# Proposed Panel Agenda
# February 2026 CPT® Editorial Panel Meeting

The proposed agenda for the February 2026 CPT Editorial Panel meeting shows the code application names, code(s) affected, and a description of the request. The Code Numbers and Request Descriptions detailed in this document are extracted from Code Applications submitted for discussion at this meeting. **Until such time as the CPT Editorial Panel acts on these requests, the information that appears in this Proposed Agenda is provided for informational purposes only, giving interested individuals the information to help determine whether or not to attend the meeting and provide comment on a given topic(s).**

Codes that contain an 'X' (e.g., 102X4, 2342X, 130XT) below are placeholder codes that are intended, through the first three digits, to give readers an idea of the proposed placement in the code set of the potential code changes. **These codes are not used for claims reporting and will be removed and not retained when the final CPT Datafiles are distributed February of each year. To report the services for "X" codes listed on this form, please refer to the actual codes as they appear in the CPT Datafiles publication distributed early February of the corresponding year.**

## INTERESTED PARTY PROCESS

Upon review of this agenda, if the reviewer believes that they may want to provide written comments on an application, the reviewer must seek Interested Party status by submitting a request form. The form requires identification of the potential Interested Party, a brief summary of the basis for the request (e.g., associated vendor/ industry representative), and signature of the confidentiality agreement and disclosure of interest forms. For more information, please visit our website.

**Only requests submitted via the CPT Smart App's Interested Party Portal will be considered.**

## IMPORTANT UPDATE
We want to inform you that the deadline for interested party (IP) comments has been updated. The new deadline to submit comments for the upcoming February 2026 meeting is January 6, 2026.

This adjustment allows more time for thorough review by Editorial Panel members, as well as aligns with the CPT Advisor comment deadline. We hope this change will accommodate all involved in the CPT Editorial Panel process.

Any recognized Interested Party who provides written comments must do so no later than the deadlines below and in the Interested Party Portal. Should you miss the **January 6**, 2026 verbal comments can be provided in person at the Panel meeting.

**Written comments must be submitted via the CPT Smart App's Interested Party Portal.**

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| Issues | Tabs | Comments Deadline (Noon, CST) | Deadline to Request Materials (Noon, CST) |
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| All Non-Pathology Issues | 4-17, 30-44, 46-69 | Jan. 6, 2026 | Feb. 5, 2026 |
| Path/Lab | 18-29, 45 | Dec. 1, 2025 | Feb. 5, 2026 |

During the time between now and the Panel meeting, the agenda will more than likely be modified to reflect changes (additions, deletions, or updates). Please check back frequently for the most up to date information. Outcomes on these actions will be found in the CPT Editorial Panel Summary of Actions for the February 2026 meeting which will be published on or before February 20, 2026, to the AMA website.

| Tab | Name | Code # | Request-Description |
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| 4 | Child Maltreatment Services | ● 99XX0 <br> ● 99XX1 | Add new subsection in Evaluation and Management (E/M), new guidelines, and establish codes 99XX0, 99XX1 for child maltreatment services. |
| 5 | Alcohol, Substance Abuse Assessment-Revise 99408, 99409 | ▲99408 <br> ▲99409 | Request to revise codes 99408, 99409 to add "assessment" and delete "screening". |
| 6 | Adjacent Tissue Transfer Guideline Revisions | -------------- --------------- | Revise adjacent tissue transfer guidelines to allow reporting of excision of lesion with adjacent tissue transfer or rearrangement. |
| 7 | Carpometacarpal Aspiration or Injection-Revise 20605 | ▲20605 <br> ▲20606 | Revise codes 20605 and 20606 to allow reporting including carpometacarpal (CMC) within the example description. |
| 8 | Spine Deformity Guideline Revisions | -------------- --------------- | Revise the Spine Deformity (eg, Scoliosis, Kyphosis) guidelines and revise the exclusionary parentheticals for codes 22804, 22812, 22819, 22847, 22837 and 0657T. |
| 9 | Injection Bone Substitute-Subchondral Defect | D0707T <br> ● 20X01 | Delete Category III code 0707T and establish Category I code 20X01 for reporting injection of bone substitute material into subchondral bone defects. |
| 10 | Extra-osseous Stabilization-Talotarsal Joint | ● 28XX0 | Establish code 28XX0 reporting extra-osseous stabilization of talotarsal joint. |

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| 11 | Non-Vascular Substernal Implantable Defibrillator Procedures | D0571T<br>D0572T<br>D0573T<br>D0574T<br>D0575T<br>D0576T<br>D0577T<br>D0578T<br>D0579T<br>D0580T | D0614T<br>● 332X1<br>● 332X2<br>● 332X3<br>● 332X4<br>▲93260<br>▲93261<br>▲93644 | Delete Category III codes 0571T-0580T, 0614T and establish codes 332X1, 332X2, 332X3, 332X4 to report implantable cardioverter-defibrillator with system with non-vascular substernal electrode; establish new sub-heading; revise codes 93260, 93261, and 93644 and all related guidelines and parenthetical notes. |
| 12 | Transcath Intracardiac Shunt Optimization-Revise 33745 | ▲33745<br>▲33746 | | Revise codes 33745, 33746 to describe creation or optimization and to include pulmonary vein in the "eg" parenthetical within the code descriptors. |
| 13 | Central Venous Catheter Insertion Services | D36557<br>D36563<br>▲36558<br>▲36560<br>▲36561<br>▲36565<br>▲36566<br>● 36XX0<br>● 36XX1<br>● 36XX2<br>● 36XX3<br>● 36XX4 | ● 36XX5<br>● 36XX6<br>● 36XX7<br>● 36XX8<br>● 36XX9<br>● 36X10<br>● 36X11<br>● 36X12<br>● 36X13<br>● 36X14<br>● 36X15<br>● 36X16 | Delete codes 36557, 36563, revise 36558, 36560, 36561, 36565, 36566, establish 36XX0-36X16 for tunneled central venous catheter procedures. |

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| 14 | Appendectomy | D44955 ▲44950 ▲44960 ● 44XX3 ● 44XX4 ● 44XX5 ● 44XX6 | ● 44XX7 ● 44XX8 ● 44XX9 ● 44X10 ● 44X11 ● 44X12 ● 44X13 | Delete 44955, revise 44950, 44960, and establish 44XX3-44X13 for open and laparoscopic appendectomy procedures. |
| 15 | Goniotomy | ▲65820 ● 65XX0 | | Revise 65820 to describe goniotomy in infant or child under 18 y.o., establish 65XX0 to describe goniotomy in an adult. |
| 16 | Open Posterior Tibial Neurostimulator Services | D0816T D0817T D0818T D0819T D0988T D0989T | ● 64X21 ● 64X22 ● 64X23 ● 64X24 | Delete codes 0816T, 0817T, 0818T, 0819T, 0988T, 0989T and establish codes 64X21, 64X22, 64X23, 64X24; revise guidelines and add parenthetical notes throughout the code set. |
| 17 | Cranial and Hypoglossal Neurostimulation Revisions | -------------- ---------------- | | WITHDRAWN |
| 18 | MoPath Tier 2-RBM20 | -------------- ---------------- | | WITHDRAWN |
| 19 | MoPath Tier 2-COL3A1 | ▲81408 | | Revise code 81408 to include testing for COL3A1. |
| 20 | MoPath Tier 2-SMAD3 | ▲81406 | | Revise code 81406 to include testing for SMAD3. |

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| 21 | GSP-Genetic Testing-Heritable Renal Conditions | ●8XX18 | Establish code 8XX18 to report genetic testing for heritable renal conditions. |
| 22 | GSP-Complement-Mediated TMA-C3G Gene Panels for Renal Disorders | ●8XX22 | Establish code 8XX22 to report heritable, complement-mediated renal disorder genetics testing Panels (TMA, C3G). |
| 23 | MAAA-pTau-217-Aβ1-42 Ratio for Alzheimer's Testing | ●8XX23 | Establish code 8XX23 for ptau-217/beta-amyloid and 1-42 plasma testing as a ratio for analyzing Alzheimer's. |
| 24 | Osteopontin-c IHC-Revise 88360 | ▲88360 | Revise code 88360 to identify intercellular cytokines as an example for morphometric analysis tumor IHC for breast cancer prediction. |
| 25 | Mycoplasma Species Resistance | ●87XX2 | Establish code 87XX2 to report Mycoplasma species resistance. |
| 26 | Mycoplasma Genitalium ID and Resistance | ●87XX3 | Establish code 87XX3 to report Mycoplasma genitalium resistance. |
| 27 | Cell-free DNA HPV Assay | ●87XX4 | Establish code 87XX4 to report a molecular diagnostic assay that detects high-risk human papillomavirus (HPV) DNA in circulating cell-free DNA (cfDNA) extracted from plasma. |
| 28 | MAAA-Bacterial Vaginitis RNA Markers | ●8XX20 | Establish a Category I Multianalyte Assays with Algorithmic Analyses (MAAA) code 8XX20 for infectious disease testing for bacterial vaginosis and vaginitis using quantitative real-time amplification of RNA markers. |
| 29 | Cell Purification-Immunomagnetic Beads Technique | ●8XX21 | Establish Category I code 8XX21 to report immunomagnetic beads-based cell sorting of specific (target) cell populations prior to downstream testing. |
| 30 | PLA Q1 2026 Consent Agenda | N/A | Consent calendar for PLA codes |

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| 31 | mRNA Influenza Vaccine Trivalent, 37.5 mcg | ● 90X11 | Establish code 90X11 to report 37.5 mcg/0.38 mL dosage of trivalent mRNA influenza virus vaccine |
| 32 | mRNA Influenza Vaccine, Quadrivalent, 50mcg | ● 90X12 | Establish code 90X12 to report 50 mcg/0.5 mL dosage of quadrivalent mRNA influenza virus vaccine. |
| 33 | Web-based Mental Health Community Assistance Program | --------------- ---------------- | WITHDRAWN |
| 34 | Adaptive Behavior Services Guideline Revisions | --------------- ---------------- | Update and remove parenthetical notes that duplicate instructions provided in ABS guidelines. |
| 35 | AI Algorithm-generated Synthetic Nerve Potentials | D0278T<br>● 97XX5 | Establish code 97XX5 reporting transcutaneous neuromodulation and delete code 0278T and all corresponding parenthetical notes. |
| 36 | Cat III- Drug Coated Balloon Delivery-Airway | ● X583T<br>● X584T | Establish codes X583T and X584T for laryngoscopic and bronchoscopic treatment of stricture via mechanical and drug-coated ballon catheter. |
| 37 | Cat III-Ultrasonic Propulsion Clearance of Urinary Calculi | ● X559T | Establish code X559T to report ultrasonic propulsion clearance of renal and ureteral calculi. |
| 38 | Cat III-Saline-coupled Intra-op Ablation Lumpectomy Cavity | ✛ ● X560T | Establish add-on code X560T for saline-coupled intraoperative ablation of lumpectomy cavity. |
| 39 | Cat III-Cochlear Infusion | ● X565T | Establish code X565T to report cochlear infusion of pharmacological agent into inner ear. |
| 40 | Cat III-Bilat Supraorbital-Occipital Neurostimulator Svcs | ● X590T<br>● X591T<br>● X592T<br>● X593T | Establish codes X590T, X591T, X592T, X593T, X594T, new guidelines in the Cat III section and add and revise parenthetical notes throughout the code set. |

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| | | ● X594T | |
| 41 | Cat III-Intratubal Insemination w Transabdominal US | ● X550T | Establish code X550T to report transcervical intratubal insemination using ultrasound, single or both fallopian tubes. |
| 42 | Cat III-AI Augmentative Analysis-Hemodynamic Parameters | ● X551T<br>● X552T<br>● X553T<br>● X554T<br>● X555T<br>● X556T<br>● X589T | Establish codes X551T, X552T, X553T, X554T, X555T, X556T, X589T, X608T to report assessment of seismocardiographic (SCG), electrocardiographic (ECG), and photoplethysmographic (PPG) data for augmentative analysis of hemodynamic parameters management of heart failure and other intravascular volume-sensitive conditions. |
| 43 | Cat III-Exam and Selection-Cancer Tissue | ● X557T | Establish code X557T to report examination and selection of cancer tissues specimens for hematoxylin & eosin image analysis. |
| 44 | Cat III-AI Algorithmic Image Analysis-Cancer Tissue | ● X548T<br>● X549T | Establish codes X548T, X549T for testing oncology specimens using algorithmic image analysis of histologic features from formalin-fixed paraffin embedded (FFPE) cancer tissue reported as prognosis or prediction of response to therapy. |
| 45 | Cat III-AI Response to Immunotherapy-Bladder (NMIBC) | ● X568T<br>● X569T | Establish codes X568T, X569T to report use of AI to provide autonomous algorithmic image analysis of FFPE bladder cancer tissue for BCG treatment success for cancer. |
| 46 | Cat III-Synucleinopathies Testing | ● X547T | Establish code X547T to report histopathologic quantitative immunofluorescence testing for diagnosing synucleinopathies related disease in nerve fibers from skin samples. |

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| 47 | Cat III-AI Noninvasive Synchronous Multimodal Signal Analysis-Heart | ● X585T | Establish code X585T for non-invasive collection of physiological signal info from multiple sensing modalities for AI augmentative analyses of multiple cardiopulmonary conditions. |
| 48 | Cat III-Co2 Cryotherapy-Bladder Lesions | ● X595T<br>● X596T<br>● X597T<br>● X598T | Establish codes X595T, X596T, X597T, X598T reporting cystourethroscopy, with CO2 and corresponding parenthetical notes in the Category III and Surgery section of the code set. |
| 49 | Cat III-Mechanical Extremity Cryocompression | ● X601T<br>● X602T<br>● X603T | Establish codes X601T, X602T, X603T, reporting mechanical extremity cryocompression, add new guidelines in Category III section and add parenthetical notes throughout the code set. |
| 50 | Cat III-Hypothermic Oxygenated Perfusion Services-Liver | ● X561T<br>● X562T<br>● X563T<br>● X564T | Establish codes X561T, X562T, X563T, X564T to report hypothermic oxygenated perfusion and decannulation of the liver allograft. |
| 51 | Cat III-Normothermic Machine Perfusion Services-Liver | ● X558T<br>▲0894T<br>▲0895T<br>▲0896T | Establish code X558T for reporting normothermic liver perfusion services and revise codes 0894T, 0895T, 0896T. |
| 52 | Cat III-AI 3D Quantitative Transmission Volumetric US Tomography-Breast | ● X579T | Establish code X579T for 3D quantitative transmission volumetric US tomography, breast. |
| 53 | Cat III-Insertion of Intracapsular Magnification Device | ● X580T | Establish code X580T for insertion of intracapsular magnifier. |

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| 54 | Cat III-Lymph Node-Vein Anastomosis | ● X586T<br>● X587T | Establish codes X586T, X587T to report microvascular anastomosis of lymph vessels including robotic assistance) for any anatomy |
| 55 | Cat III-Selective Demyelination-Genicular Nerve | ● X581T | Establish X581T for selective demyelination using thermoregulated multi-phase suspension, genicular nerve. |
| 56 | Cat III-Stereotactic Placement Infusion Catheter-Brain | ● X566T | Establish code X566T to report stereotactic placement of infusion catheter in the brain. |
| 57 | Cat III-Cardiac Conduction-guided Intervention (CGI) Procedures | ● X570T<br>● X571T<br>● X572T<br>● X573T | Establish codes X570T-X573T for patient-specific 3D model for the cardiac conduction system. |
| 58 | Cat III-AI Remote Noninvasive Monitoring-Neutrophil Level | ● X604T<br>● X605T | Establish codes X604T, X605T for reporting remote noninvasive monitoring of neutrophil level |
| 59 | Cat III-AI Analysis-ECG for ST Elevation MI (STEMI) | ● X582T | Establish code X582T for identification of STEMI, STEMI equivalents, and myocardial ischemia. |
| 60 | Cat III-AI-Interactive 4D Physical Replica Preparation | ● X574T<br>● X575T<br>● X576T<br>● X577T<br>● X578T | Establish codes X574T-X578T for preparation of interactive 4D physical replica procedures. |
| 61 | Cat III-Allograft Reinforcement, Intraocular Spacer Implantation | ● X512T | Establish code X512T to report internal uveo-scleral allograft reinforcement and implantation of sub scleral scaffolding intraocular spacer(s). |

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| 62 | Cat III-Measurement, Preparation-Personalized Intravaginal Pessary | ● X606T<br>● X607T | Establish codes X606T, X607T for reporting measurement and custom preparation of a personalized pessary. |
| 63 | Cat III-Real-time Augmented Reality 3D Visualization | ● X599T | Establish code X599T for reporting real-time augmented reality 3D visualization |
| 64 | Cat III-AI Heterogeneity of Treatment Response-Metastatic Cancer | ● X567T | Establish code X567T to report an algorithm-based service ordered by medical or radiation oncologists treating patients with metastatic cancer (solid-tumor or lymphoma). |
| 65 | Cat III-AI Cerebrovascular Triage | ● X600T | Establish code X600T for reporting AI cerebrovascular triage. |
| 66 | Category III Sundown | 0174T, 0175T, 0671T, 0263T, 0264T, 0265T, 0274T, 0278T, 0419T, 0420T, 0422T, 0437T, 0439T, 0440T, 0441T, 0442T, 0443T, 0444T, 0445T, 0446T, 0447T, 0448T, 0449T, 0450T, 0640T, 0859T, 0643T, 0644T, 0645T, 0647T, 0648T, 0697T, 0649T, 0698T, 0650T, 0651T, 0652T, 0653T, 0654T, 0655T, 0658T, 0569T, 0660T, 0661T, 0664T, 0665T, 0666T, 0667T, | Delete Category III codes that are scheduled for sundown in January 2027. |

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|  |  | 0668T, 0669T, 0670T, 0672T, 0673T, 0674T, 0675T, 0676T, 0677T, 0678T, 0679T, 0680T, 0681T, 0682T, 0683T, 0684T, 0685T, 0686T, 0687T, 0688T, 0689T, 0690T, 0691T, 0692T, 0693T, 0694T, 0695T, 0696T, 0699T, 0700T, 0701T, 0704T, 0705T, 0706T, 0707T, 0708T, 0709T, 0710T, 0711T, 0712T, 0713T |  |
| 67 | Code Set Maintenance | 21183, 25931, 27175, 27326, 29058, 29750, 31086, 33710, 33779, 34471, 34501, 35508, 35512, 35535, 42507, 44720, 45805, 50065, 50972, 68745, 79440 | CPT Advisory Committee review of low utilization codes 21183, 25931, 27175, 27326, 29058, 29750, 31086, 33710, 33779, 34471, 34501, 35508, 35512, 35535, 42507, 44720, 45805, 50065, 50972, 68745, and 79440 for possible deletion at the May 2026 Panel meeting. |
| 68 | Appendix S Revisions | -------------- ---------------- | Revise Appendix S guidelines to introduce a definition of software device for CPT purposes; refine the definitions of assistive, augmentative and autonomous; establish the type of clinical evidence needed to classify an AI medical service as assistive, augmentative or autonomous; clarify what constitutes clinically meaningful output. |

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| 69 | Prescription Mgmt Risk Guidelines | -------------- ---------------- | Revise E/M Risk of Complications and/or Morbidity or Mortality of Patient Management guidelines with the addition of a definition for prescription drug management. |

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