

CPT® Editorial Summary of Panel Actions May 2023

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Submitting the Request: Requests for reconsideration must be received by AMA staff no later than midnight, Central, June 16, 2023, fourteen (14) days after the published posting date (June 2, 2023) of the Summary Grid of Editorial Panel Actions on the CPT website https://www.ama-assn.org/about/cpt-editorial-panel/summary-panel-actions. The request should contain (1) the specific action requested for reconsideration; (2) the basis for the reconsideration request; and (3) all information relevant to the matter, including any literature (whether favorable or adverse) related to the requestor's position. Requests for reconsideration and relevant information must be in writing and submitted (via email) to:

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Note: Codes that contain an 'X' (e.g., 102X4, 234X2, 030XT) 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 around early to mid-September of each year. To report the services for 'X' codes, please refer to the actual codes as they appear in the CPT Datafiles publication.

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Tab #	Name	Code #	Request-Description	Effective Date
6	Critical Care Services		WITHDRAWN	
7	E/M Guidelines Revision - Definition of Discussion		WITHDRAWN	
8	Cat III to Cat I - Health and Well-being Coaching Services		REJECTED	
9	E/M Guideline Revisions - MDM Table		WITHDRAWN	
10	Cat III 0537T to Cat I - CAR-T Cell Therapy Services	● 3X018	Accepted addition of codes 3X018 - 3X021 and guidelines to report Chimeric Antigen Receptor T Cell (CAR-T) Services; and deletion Category III codes 0537T - 0540T	January 2025
11	Nerve Block by Continuous Infusion		WITHDRAWN	
12	Intra-Abdominal Tumor Excision or Destruction	● 4X015	Accepted addition of codes 4X015 - 4X019 (open procedure) to report excision, destruction, of intraabdominal peritoneal, mesenteric, and/or retroperitoneal primary or secondary tumor(s), cyst(s); revision of code 58958; and deletion of codes 49203, 49204, 49205, 58957	January 2025
13	MRI-Monitored Transurethral US Ablation Prostate	● 5X006 ● 5X007 ● 5X008	Accepted addition of codes 5X006, 5X007, 5X008 to report thermal ultrasound tissue ablation	January 2025

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14	Coronary Therapeutic Service Revisions		POSTPONED	
15	Skin Cell Suspension Autograft		POSTPONED	
16	Hand Repair Service Bundling	● 2X005		January 2025
		▲25447	with interposition when performed; and revision of code	
			25447 by removing the term "interposition" and adding the	
			phrase "interposition (eg, tendon)"	
	Acetylcholine Receptor and Muscle Specific	● 8X036		January 2024
	Kinase Antibody	● 8X037	identify testing for Acetylcholine receptor (AChR)	
		● 8X038	antibodies; and addition of code 8X039 to identify testing	
		● 8X039	for Muscle specific kinase (MuSK) antibody	
18	Cat III-Digital Pathology	● X139T ● X154T	Accepted addition of 30 codes (X139T- X168T) to report	Release Date: July 1, 2023
		● X140T ● X155T		Effective Date: January 1, 2024
		● X141T ● X156T	glass microscope slides for primary diagnosis; and revision	
		● X142T ● X157T	of the Category III Digital Pathology Digitization Procedure	
		● X143T ● X158T	guidelines	
		● X144T ● X159T		
		● X145T ● X160T		
		● X146T ● X161T		
		● X147T ● X162T		
		● X148T ● X163T		
		● X149T ● X164T		
		● X150T ● X165T		
		● X151T ● X166T		
		● X152T ● X167T		
		● X153T ● X168T		

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19	MAAA - Colon Cancer-Revise 81528		REJECTED	
	Tier 1-OGM-Constitutional Genome-wide Analysis		WITHDRAWN	
21	Tier 1-OGM- Hematologic Malignancy		WITHDRAWN	
22	Gadolinium Serum Level		REJECTED	
23	Hepatitis D (Delta) Quantitative PCR	● 8X041	Accepted addition of code 8X041 to identify quantitative detection of Hep D RNA in serum for Hep D virus confirmation	January 2024
24	Admin MAAA-Cardiovascular Disease	● 00X6M	Accepted addition of administrative MAAA code 00X6M to identify residual cardiovascular risk (RCVR) using a multianalyte assay with algorithm	Release Date: July 1, 2023 Effective Date: January 1, 2024
	GSP-Matched Normal Sequence Analysis Add-on Code		WITHDRAWN	
26	Molecular Microbial Resistance		WITHDRAWN	
27	Ultrasensitive Protein		WITHDRAWN	
28	Q2 PLA Consent Agenda			Release Date: July 1, 2023 Effective Date: October 1, 2023

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29	Psychotherapy Codes - Revise 90832, 90834, 90837		WITHDRAWN	
30	Adaptive Behavior Service Revisions		WITHDRAWN	
31	Digital Cognitive Behavioral Therapy		WITHDRAWN	
32	Psychotherapy Duration Codes		REJECTED	
33	mRNA RSV Vaccine		Accepted addition of code 9X097 to report vaccine	Release Date: July 1, 2023
			product, mRNA lipid nanoparticles, for intramuscular use	Effective Date: January 1, 2024
34	Pediatric Healthy Weight Program		POSTPONED	
35	Prolonged Psychotherapy Services		WITHDRAWN	
36	Respiratory Syncytial Virus, Pediatric, Seasonal	● 9X094 ● 9X095		Release Date: Upon FDA approval Effective Date: Upon FDA approval
37	HIPEC Guideline Revisions		Accepted addition of introductory guidelines that describe work that is included in the HIPEC procedures	January 2024

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38	Transcranial Doppler	+93X94+93X95+93X96▲93893D93890	Accepted addition of add-on codes to report procedures performed with complete transcranial Doppler study of intracranial arteries: vasoreactivity study (93X94), emboli detection without intravenous microbubble injection (93X95), and venous-arterial shunt detection with intravenous microbubble injection (93X96); revision of code 93893 to describe venous-arterial shunt detection; and deletion of code 93890	January 2025
	Cat III - Noninvasive Artificial Intelligence Classifier		WITHDRAWN	
40	Cat III - Hybrid SI Joint Fusion - Delete 0809T	D 0809T	Accepted deletion of code 0809T and provide alternative instruction for reporting hybrid SI joint fusion	January 2024
41	Cat III-Cerebral Perfusion Analysis		TERMINATED	
	Cat III - Percutaneous Nerve Field Stimulation - Revise 0720T		WITHDRAWN	
	Cat III - Spectroscopy Study-Wound or Flap - Revise 0640T	● 0194T ▲ 0640T D0641T D0642T	Accepted addition of code 0194T to report noncontact near-infrared spectroscopy measurement, other than for screening for peripheral artery disease; revision of code 0640T by removing "of flap or wound" and adding "each site and/or extremity"; and deletion of codes 0641T, 0642T	January 2024
44	Cat III 0042T to Cat I - Computed Tomography Perfusion		WITHDRAWN	

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45	Cat III - Opto-Acoustic Imaging for Breast	● + X183T	Accepted addition of add-on code X183T to report opto-	Release Date: July 1, 2023
	Masses		acoustic imaging for breast masses	Effective Date: January 1, 2024
46	Cat III - Vascular Embolization with Pressure		WITHDRAWN	
	Modulated Drug Delivery			
47	Cat III - Percutaneous Coronary Intervention		WITHDRAWN	
	(PCI) by Therapeutic Drug Delivery with			
	Drug-coated Balloon			
48	Cat III - Electrophysiological Focused	● X169T	Accepted addition of code X169T and guidelines to report	Release Date: July 1, 2023
	Magnetic Stimulation of Brain		electrophysiologic-focused magnetic subthreshold and low-	Effective Date: January 1, 2024
			frequency stimulation measuring brain physiology	
49	Cat III - Quantitative MRI Analysis of Brain	● X188T	Accepted addition of codes X188T, X189T to report	Release Date: July 1, 2023
	with Comparison	● X189T	quantitative magnetic resonance image analysis of the	Effective Date: January 1, 2024
			brain	
50	Cat III - Near Infrared Spectroscopy (NIRS) for	● X171T	Accepted addition of code X171T to report noncontact	January 2024
	Peripheral Arterial Disease (PAD)		near-infrared spectroscopy measurement, for screening for	
			peripheral arterial disease, including provocative	
			maneuvers	
51	Cat III - Capture and Harvest of Circulating		REJECTED	
	Tumor Cells			
52	Cat III - Prescription Digital Therapeutics		POSTPONED	
53	Cat III - Noninvasive Pulmonary Gas		POSTPONED	
	Exchange Assessment			

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54	Cat III - Peripheral Nerve Transcutaneous	▲ 0766T		Accepted revision of codes 0766T, 0767T to include each	January 2024
	Magnetic Stimulation	▲ 0767T		treatment for peripheral nerve transcutaneous magnetic	
		D 0768T		stimulation; and deletion of codes 0768T, 0769T	
		D 0769T			
55	Cat III - Wireless Cardiac Stimulation System	• X180T	▲ 0517T	Accepted addition of codes X180T, X181T, X182T and	Release Date: July 1, 2023
	for Left Ventricular Pacing	• X181T	▲ 0518T	revision of codes 0517T - 0520T to allow more granular	Effective Date: January 1, 2024
		• X182T	▲0519T	reporting of wireless cardiac stimulator components for LV	
			▲ 0520T	pacing	
56	Cat III - Low Intensity ESWT-Corpus	● X170T		Accepted addition of code X170T to report low intensity	Release Date: July 1, 2023
	Cavernosum			extracorporeal low energy shock wave therapy involving	Effective Date: January 1, 2024
				the corpus cavernosum	
57	Cat III – Myofascial Pain Syndrome with			WITHDRAWN	
	Trigger Points				
58	Category III Sundown	R0512T		Accepted retention of Category III codes 0512T, 0513T;	January 2024
		R0513T		and deletion of Category III codes 0533T, 0534T, 0535T,	
		D0533T		0536T that are scheduled for sundown in January 2024	
		D0534T			
		D0535T			
		D0536T			
59	Code Set Maintenance	R34510		Accepted retention of code 34510; and deletion of code	January 2024
		D74710		74710 due to low utilization	
60	Appendix S Al Taxonomy Revisions			Accepted revision of Appendix S-AI Taxonomy to include	January 2024
				new examples recently included in the CPT code set that	
				are assistive and augmentative services	
61	Vaccine Early Release Policy Revision			Accepted revision of the policy for	Release Date: July 1, 2023
					Effective Date: July 1, 2023

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			1) Expedited release for immunizations (ie, vaccines/toxoids, immune globulins, serum or recombinant products) that meet code criteria and process for expedited release; 2) Revision of the FDA approval pending policy to include both vaccines and immune globulins	
62	Delete 81439		TERMINATED	
63	CCA Revisions Related to Digital Medicine/AI		Accepted addition of questions regarding Artificial Intelligence to the CPT Code Change Application	N/A
EC	9X096 RSV Vaccine – Expedited Release Request		Accepted early release of code 90679 to report vaccination for older adults against respiratory syncytial virus (RSV) using adjuvanted product	Release Date: May 3, 2023 Effective Date: May 3, 2023
EC	RUC Report - April 2023-Issue #2 Tab 8 - Laser Treatment – Skin (96920, 96921, 96922)		Accepted editorial revision of codes 96920-96922 to include the term, "Excimer" in the descriptors to align with intended use	January 2024
EC	RUC Report – April 2023-Issue #3 Tab 6 - Telemedicine Evaluation and Management Services (9X075, 9X076, 9X077, 9X078, 9X079, 9X080, 9X081, 9X082, 9X083, 9X084, 9X085, 9X086, 9X087, 9X088, 9X089, 9X090)		Accepted RUC provided time recommendations for Telemedicine Evaluation and Management Services codes 9X075, 9X076, 9X077, 9X078, 9X079, 9X080, 9X081, 9X082, 9X083, 9X084, 9X085, 9X086, 9X087, 9X088, 9X089, 9X090	January 2025