



## CPT® Category I Pathology and Laboratory Codes for Rubella Short Descriptors

**Most recent changes to the CPT® Category I New Rubella Short Descriptor document:**

- Addition of 1 Category I code (87638) accepted for immediate release by the CPT Editorial Panel.

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**The following code was accepted at the May 2026 CPT Editorial Panel meeting for the 2027 CPT production cycle. This code is effective immediately on May 15, 2026.**

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