

AMA/Specialty Society Relative Value Update Committee (RUC)

Final Vote Report – CPT 2027

Every year, the RUC holds three meetings to review CPT codes that are either new, revised or considered potentially misvalued by either the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) or the RUC's own process of identification performed by the Relativity Assessment Workgroup (RAW). In April 2012, the RUC approved a measure to release the final total RUC voting counts for each code reviewed during the most recently completed cycle. The release of these voting records will occur each year following CMS publication.

For the CPT 2027 cycle, the RUC convened meetings on April 23-26, 2025, September 24-27, 2025 and January 14-17, 2026 and the Committee's final recommendations for each meeting are submitted approximately one month after the close of each meeting. For the CPT 2027 cycle, CMS will publish all the RUC recommendations for 2027 in the Medicare Physician Payment Schedule Proposed Rule.

Further information about the RUC and its processes can be found at:

<https://www.ama-assn.org/about/rvs-update-committee-ruc>

Below is a list of definitions and descriptions of RUC processes to help in the understanding the voting information published on the following pages:

- **CPT Code and Long Descriptor:** These first two columns simply state each individual CPT codes and Long Descriptor.
- **Pre-Facilitation (Yes/No):** Prior to each meeting, RUC members undergo a rigorous review of each CPT code's recommendation as submitted by the specialty society(ies). If significant concerns are raised by either the reviewing RUC members or the specialty society(ies) a request for pre-facilitation may occur. Pre-facilitation meetings are assigned to a specific subset of RUC members and Advisors called a facilitation committee (*described below*) and can occur either by phone or on site, prior to the presentation of the code(s) during the RUC meeting. During the pre-facilitation meetings, issues are discussed and the specialty society(ies) have the opportunity (but have no obligation) to revise their recommendations.
- **Specialty Work RVU modified prior to or during Presentation (Yes/No):** This field indicates whether or not the specialty society(ies) involved in surveying a specific code have revised their work RVU recommendation prior to during the presentation of the code to the RUC. These modifications are typically made after review of pre-facilitation committee discussion (see above) or after consideration of RUC reviewer comments.
- **Specialty Work RVU passed by RUC (Yes/No):** This field indicates whether or not the initially presented work RVU recommendation, as presented to the RUC by the specialty society(ies), was approved.
- **Specialty Work RVU facilitated by RUC (Yes/No):** Each meeting, three facilitation committees are established. Each committee consists of a subset of RUC members, specialty society Advisors and a member of the non-MD/DO Health Care Professional Advisory Committee (HCPAC) who, when a code does not meet the required two-third vote for approval, meet with the appropriate specialty society(ies) to reach consensus on a revised work RVU and direct practice expense. At the conclusion of a facilitation committee meeting, a report is written providing a rationale for the

revised recommendations and the RUC again votes to either approve or disapprove these work RVU recommendations.

- **Specialty Work RVU modified by RUC process (Yes/No):** This field indicates if, for any reason, the specialty society(ies) RVU recommendations from initial submissions were modified by the RUC process. Modifications can happen for any number of reasons: 1) a pre-facilitation committee meeting could offer alternative suggestions that the specialties include; 2) comments made during the review process or at the table during the presentation of the code could result in modifications; 3) a facilitation committee meeting can reach consensus on revised work RVUs.
- **Final RUC Vote- Work RVU:** This field indicates the final RUC vote total for each code. These vote totals represent the final RUC determinations on each code. CPT code RVU recommendations could have changed substantially from the original specialty societies' recommendation through any of the mechanisms laid out in the fields listed in the table and described above. There are 29 voting members on the RUC. A vote total may not add up to 29 for two reasons: 1) a voting member can abstain and/or 2) a voting member may not be present at the table during the vote. The RUC requires that at least 2/3 of the member voting must approve the recommendation in order for it to be submitted to CMS. A quorum, consisting of 17 member of the RUC, must be present to conduct any business.
- **Final RUC Vote- Direct Practice Expense:** This field indicates the final RUC vote total for each code's direct practice expense inputs (clinical labor, supplies and equipment) as recommended by the Practice Expense (PE) Subcommittee. As with the work RVU recommendations, direct PE input recommendations could have changed substantially from the original specialty societies' recommendation. The PE subcommittee meets for a full day prior to the RUC proceeding and reviews specialty society submissions for direct PE inputs and makes recommendations directly to the RUC. Following each vote on work RVUs, the RUC holds a separate vote to accept the direct PE inputs as modified and/or approved by the PE Subcommittee. The same voting protocol for work RVUs apply to direct PE inputs.

RUC Vote Totals – CPT 2027 Summary (Physician Work ONLY)		
Vote Total	Number of Vote Total Instances	Percentage of Vote Total Instances
29-0	78	44%
28-1	30	17%
28-0*	18	10%
27-2	15	8%
23-6	7	4%
22-7	5	3%
27-1*	5	3%
24-4*	3	2%
24-5	3	2%
26-2*	3	2%
26-3	3	2%
21-8	2	1%
25-4	2	1%
20-8*	1	1%
20-9	1	1%
22-6*	1	1%

**54% of all RUC
Recommendations to CMS
for CPT 2027 were based
on unanimous votes of the
Committee**

*Represents vote totals in which a RUC member either abstained from vote or was not present.

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10005	Fine needle aspiration biopsy, including ultrasound guidance; first lesion		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	28-1	28-1
10006	Fine needle aspiration biopsy, including ultrasound guidance; each additional lesion (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	28-1
15X19	Skin cell suspension autograft (SCSA), trunk, arms, and/or legs; first 100 sq cm or less, or 1% of body area of infants and children		Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	28-0	28-0
15X20	Skin cell suspension autograft (SCSA), trunk, arms, and/or legs; each additional 100 sq cm, or each additional 1% of body area of infants and children, or part thereof (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	28-0	28-0
15X21	Skin cell suspension autograft (SCSA), face, scalp, eyelids, mouth, neck, ears, orbits, genitalia, hands, feet, and/or multiple digits; first 100 sq cm or less, or 1% of body area of infants and children		Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	28-0	28-0

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15X22	Skin cell suspension autograft (SCSA), face, scalp, eyelids, mouth, neck, ears, orbits, genitalia, hands, feet, and/or multiple digits; each additional 100 sq cm, or each additional 1% of body area of infants and children, or part thereof (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	28-0	28-0
20985	Computer-assisted surgical navigational procedure for musculoskeletal procedures (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	27-2	N/A
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209X1	Placement of localization marker(s) (eg, fiducial marker[s]), intraosseous, percutaneous, including imaging guidance, when performed; first target site		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
209X2	Placement of localization marker(s) (eg, fiducial marker[s]), intraosseous, percutaneous, including imaging guidance, when performed; each additional target site (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0

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209XX	Ablation therapy for reduction or eradication of bone tumor, including adjacent soft tissue when involved by tumor extension, cryoablation, open (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	N/A
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22210	Osteotomy of spine, posterior or posterolateral approach, 1 vertebral segment; cervical		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	22-7	29-0
22212	Osteotomy of spine, posterior or posterolateral approach, 1 vertebral segment; thoracic		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	23-6	29-0
22214	Osteotomy of spine, posterior or posterolateral approach, 1 vertebral segment; lumbar		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	29-0

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22216	Osteotomy of spine, posterior or posterolateral approach, 1 vertebral segment; each additional vertebral segment (List separately in addition to primary procedure)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
23470	Arthroplasty, glenohumeral joint; hemiarthroplasty		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	26-3	29-0
23472	Arthroplasty, glenohumeral joint; total shoulder (glenoid and proximal humeral replacement (eg, total shoulder))		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	25-4	29-0
27130	Arthroplasty, acetabular and proximal femoral prosthetic replacement (total hip arthroplasty), with or without autograft or allograft		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	21-8	29-0
27278	Arthrodesis, sacroiliac joint, percutaneous or minimally invasive, including imaging guidance, unilateral; placement of intra-articular structural bone graft, metal and/or synthetic device(s) without cortical piercing, including use of osteopromotive material and/or obtaining bone graft, when performed		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	27-1	28-0

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27279	Arthrodesis, sacroiliac joint, percutaneous or minimally invasive, including imaging guidance, unilateral; placement of transarticular and/or intra-articular device(s) that engage bone with intrinsic fixation (eg, screw[s], flange[s], blade[s]) piercing the lateral cortex of the sacrum and the medial cortex of the ilium (with or without piercing the lateral cortex of the ilium), including use of osteopromotive material and/or obtaining bone graft, when performed		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	28-0	28-0
27446	Arthroplasty, knee, condyle and plateau; medial OR lateral compartment		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	28-1	29-0
27447	Arthroplasty, knee, condyle and plateau; medial AND lateral compartments with or without patella resurfacing (total knee arthroplasty)		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	28-1	29-0
27X05	Implantation of medial knee extra-articular shock absorber including guidance		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	24-4	28-0
27XX8	Acellular scaffold(s) (eg aragonite) implant(s), for osteochondral lesion(s), knee, open		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	26-2	28-0

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33340	Percutaneous transcatheter closure of the left atrial appendage with endocardial implant, including fluoroscopy, transseptal puncture, catheter placement(s), left atrial angiography, left atrial appendage angiography, when performed, and radiological supervision and interpretation		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	28-1	29-0
33361	Transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR/TAVI) with prosthetic valve; percutaneous femoral artery approach	3	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
33362	Transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR/TAVI) with prosthetic valve; open femoral artery approach	3	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
33363	Transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR/TAVI) with prosthetic valve; open axillary artery approach	3	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
33364	Transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR/TAVI) with prosthetic valve; open iliac artery approach	3	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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33365	Transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR/TAVI) with prosthetic valve; transaortic approach (eg, median sternotomy, mediastinotomy)	3	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
33366	Transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR/TAVI) with prosthetic valve; transapical exposure (eg, left thoracotomy)	3	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
33X01	Insertion of permanent cardiac contractility modulation system, including fluoroscopic guidance and programming of sensing and therapeutic parameters, with evaluation when performed; pulse generator and transvenous electrodes (do not report 33X01 in conjunction with 33X02, 33X03, 33X04, 33X09, 93X01, 93X02, 93286, 93287, 93452, 93453, 93458, 93459, 93460, 93461)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
33X02	Insertion of permanent cardiac contractility modulation system, including fluoroscopic guidance and programming of sensing and therapeutic parameters, with evaluation when performed; pulse generator only		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	26-3	29-0

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33X03	Insertion of permanent cardiac contractility modulation system, including fluoroscopic guidance and programming of sensing and therapeutic parameters, with evaluation when performed; transvenous electrode, single		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	29-0
33X04	Insertion of permanent cardiac contractility modulation system, including fluoroscopic guidance and programming of sensing and therapeutic parameters, with evaluation when performed; transvenous electrode, dual		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
33X05	Removal of a permanent cardiac contractility modulation system; pulse generator and transvenous electrodes (do not report 33X05 in conjunction with 33X06, 33X07, 33X08, 93X01, 93X02, 93286, 93287, 93452, 93453, 93458, 93459, 93460, 93461)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	24-5	29-0
33X06	Removal of a permanent cardiac contractility modulation system; pulse generator only		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	29-0
33X07	Removal of a permanent cardiac contractility modulation system; transvenous electrode, single		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	27-2	29-0

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33X08	Removal of a permanent cardiac contractility modulation system; transvenous electrode, dual		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	27-2	29-0
33X09	Removal and replacement of permanent cardiac contractility modulation system, pulse generator only		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
33X10	Repositioning of previously implanted cardiac contractility modulation transvenous electrode(s), including fluoroscopic guidance and programming of sensing and therapeutic parameters		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	29-0
33X11	Relocation or revision of skin pocket for implanted cardiac contractility modulation pulse generator		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	29-0
33X12	Insertion of left heart ventricular assist device, including radiological supervision and interpretation, open; aorta exposure with creation of conduit by transthoracic (eg, median sternotomy, thoracotomy) incision		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	28-1	28-1
33X13	Removal of left heart ventricular assist device with resection and stapling of graft conduit and skin closure (eg, infraclavicular, supraclavicular)		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	28-1

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33X15	Insertion of left heart ventricular assist device, including radiological supervision and interpretation, open; axillary, subclavian or innominate artery exposure with creation of conduit by infraclavicular or supraclavicular incision, unilateral		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	27-2	28-1
33X50	Transcatheter tricuspid valve implantation (ttvi)/replacement with prosthetic valve, percutaneous approach, including right heart catheterization, temporary pacemaker insertion, and selective right ventricular or right atrial angiography, when performed		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	20-9	N/A
33X51	Transcatheter tricuspid valve edge-to-edge repair (t-teer), percutaneous approach; initial clip		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	23-6	N/A
33X52	Transcatheter tricuspid valve edge-to-edge repair (t-teer), percutaneous approach; each additional clip during same session (list separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	27-2	N/A

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36465	Injection of non-compounded foam sclerosant with ultrasound compression maneuvers to guide dispersion of the injectate, inclusive of all imaging guidance and monitoring; single incompetent extremity truncal vein (eg, great saphenous vein, accessory saphenous vein)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
36466	Injection of non-compounded foam sclerosant with ultrasound compression maneuvers to guide dispersion of the injectate, inclusive of all imaging guidance and monitoring; multiple incompetent truncal veins (eg, great saphenous vein, accessory saphenous vein), same leg		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	29-0
36470	Injection of sclerosant; single incompetent vein (other than telangiectasia)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
36471	Injection of sclerosant; multiple incompetent veins (other than telangiectasia), same leg		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
36473	Endovenous ablation therapy of incompetent vein, extremity, inclusive of all imaging guidance and monitoring, percutaneous, mechanochemical; first vein treated		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0

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36474	Endovenous ablation therapy of incompetent vein, extremity, inclusive of all imaging guidance and monitoring, percutaneous, mechanochemical; subsequent vein(s) treated in a single extremity, each through separate access sites (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
38X03	Microvascular anastomosis between a single vein opening and any number of lymphatic vessels, per limb; initial anastomosis		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	26-2	28-0
38X04	microvascular anastomosis between a single vein opening and any number of lymphatic vessels, per limb; initial anastomosis; each additional anastomosis (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	28-0	28-0
39540	Repair, diaphragmatic hernia (other than neonatal), via laparotomy; traumatic; acute		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	27-2	29-0
39541	Repair, diaphragmatic hernia (other than neonatal), via laparotomy; traumatic, chronic		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0

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39545	Plication of diaphragm for eventration or paralysis, via thoracotomy		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
395X2	Thoracoscopy, surgical, with plication of diaphragm for eventration or paralysis		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
39X11	Thoracoscopy surgical, with repair of diaphragmatic hernia (other than neonatal); traumatic, chronic		Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	28-0	28-0
39X12	Thoracoscopy surgical, with repair of diaphragmatic hernia (other than neonatal); nontraumatic (ie, Bochdalek, Morgagni)		Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	28-0	28-0
39X13	Implantation of mesh or other prosthesis with open, laparoscopic, or thoracoscopic diaphragmatic hernia repair (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
39XX1	Division of median arcuate ligament and release of celiac trunk, with ganglionectomy, when performed		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	29-0

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39XX2	Laparoscopy, surgical, with division of median arcuate ligament and release of celiac trunk, with ganglionectomy, when performed		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	29-0
39XX3	Repair, diaphragmatic hernia (other than neonatal), via laparotomy; nontraumatic (ie, Bochdalek, Morgagni)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	28-1	29-0
39XX4	Repair, diaphragmatic hernia (other than neonatal), via thoracotomy; traumatic, chronic		Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	28-0	28-0
39XX5	Repair, diaphragmatic hernia (other than neonatal), via thoracotomy; nontraumatic (ie, Bochdalek, Morgagni)		Yes	No	No	Yes	Yes	28-0	28-0
39XX7	Laparoscopy, surgical, with repair of diaphragmatic hernia (other than neonatal); traumatic, acute		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	28-1	29-0
39XX8	Laparoscopy, surgical, with repair of diaphragmatic hernia (other than neonatal); traumatic, chronic		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0

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39XX9	Laparoscopy, surgical, with repair of diaphragmatic hernia (other than neonatal); nontraumatic (ie, Bochdalek, Morgagni)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	28-1	29-0
42808	Excision or destruction of lesion of pharynx, without magnification, any method		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
42XX1	Transoral removal of oropharyngeal and/or pharyngeal neoplasm under magnification (eg with microscope or telescope), includes robotic assistance, when performed; tongue base		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	28-1	29-0
42XX2	Transoral removal of oropharyngeal and/or pharyngeal neoplasm under magnification (eg with microscope or telescope), includes robotic assistance, when performed; lateral pharyngeal wall, including tonsil		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	27-2	29-0
44950	Appendectomy;	3	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
44955	Appendectomy; when done for indicated purpose at time of other major procedure (not as separate procedure) (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	3	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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44960	Appendectomy; for ruptured appendix with abscess or generalized peritonitis	3	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
44970	Laparoscopy, surgical, appendectomy	3	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
44XX1	Duodenoduodenostomy or duodenojejunostomy for congenital duodenal obstruction		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	28-1	29-0
44XX2	Laparoscopy, surgical; Duodenoduodenostomy or duodenojejunostomy for congenital duodenal obstruction		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	28-1	29-0
48XXX	Ablation, irreversible electroporation of tumor(s) of the pancreas, open, including imaging guidance		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	28-1	29-0
4XX01	Endoscopic submucosal dissection (ESD) of upper gastrointestinal tract, including mucosal closure, when performed		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
4XX02	Endoscopic submucosal dissection (ESD) of lower gastrointestinal tract, including mucosal closure, when performed		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0

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55705	Biopsy, prostate, any approach, non-imaging guided		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	28-1	29-0
55707	Biopsy, prostate, transrectal, including imaging guidance, regional		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	27-2	29-0
55708	Biopsy, prostate, transrectal, including imaging guidance, regional and fusion-targeted lesion(s)		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	27-2	29-0
55709	Biopsy, prostate, transperineal, including imaging guidance, regional		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	27-2	29-0
55710	Biopsy, prostate, transperineal, including imaging guidance, regional and of fusion targeted lesion(s)		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	28-1	29-0
55711	Biopsy, prostate, transrectal or transperineal, including imaging guidance, fusion targeted lesion(s) without regional; first targeted lesion		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	28-1	29-0
55714	Biopsy, prostate, including imaging guidance, in-bore CT- or MRI-guided; first targeted lesion		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0

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55715	Biopsy, prostate, including imaging guidance, in-bore CT- or MRI-guided; each additional targeted lesion (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
59030	Fetal scalp blood sampling (For repeat fetal scalp blood sampling, use 59030 and see modifiers 76 and 77)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	N/A
59051	Fetal monitoring during labor by consulting physician (ie, non-attending physician) or other qualified health care professional, with interpretation and report		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	21-8	N/A
59160	Curettage, postpartum		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	N/A
59300	Repair of first or second-degree episiotomy or laceration, by other than attending physician or other qualified health care professional performing vaginal delivery care (separate procedure)		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	N/A
59320	Cerclage of cervix, during pregnancy; vaginal		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	N/A

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59325	Cerclage of cervix, during pregnancy; abdominal		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	28-1	N/A
59412	External cephalic version		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	28-1	N/A
59414	Delivery of placenta only (separate procedure)		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	N/A
59871	Removal of cerclage suture under anesthesia (other than local)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	28-1	N/A
59X10	Uterine tamponade (eg, balloon, catheter, vacuum, packing material)		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	N/A
59X11	Repair of episiotomy or laceration; third-degree laceration		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	N/A
59X12	Repair of episiotomy or laceration; fourth-degree laceration		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	N/A
59XX1	Initial day labor management; straightforward, per day		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	28-0	N/A

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59XX2	Initial day labor management; complex, per day		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	28-0	N/A
59XX3	Subsequent day labor management;straightforward, per day(Do not report 59XX3 in conjunction with 59XX4, for the same calendar date)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	28-0	N/A
59XX4	Subsequent day labor management; complex, per day(Do not report 59XX3, 59XX4 in conjunction with 99221, 99222, 99223, 99231, 99232, 99233, 99234, 99235, 99236)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	28-0	N/A
59XX5	Vaginal delivery, with or without episiotomy;		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	27-1	N/A
59XX6	Vaginal delivery, with or without episiotomy; after previous cesarean delivery		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	28-0	N/A
59XX7	Cesarean delivery; primary		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	27-1	N/A
59XX8	Cesarean delivery; repeat		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	27-1	N/A

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59XX9	Subtotal or total hysterectomy after cesarean delivery(For subtotal or total hysterectomy performed during the same operative session as the cesarean delivery, use 59XX9)(When the same physician performs both the cesarean delivery and hysterectomy, report 59XX9 with modifier 51)(For ligation or transection of fallopian tube[s] performed at the time of subtotal or total hysterectomy, use 58611)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	28-1	N/A
5XX14	Biopsy, prostate, transrectal or transperineal, including imaging guidance, fusion-targeted lesion(s) without regional; each additional targeted lesion (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	27-2	29-0
61781	Stereotactic computer-assisted (navigational) procedure; cranial, intradural (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	28-0	28-0
61782	Stereotactic computer-assisted (navigational) procedure; cranial, extradural (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	29-0

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61782	Stereotactic computer-assisted (navigational) procedure; cranial, extradural (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	27-1	28-0
61783	Stereotactic computer-assisted (navigational) procedure; spinal (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	20-8	28-0
61783	Stereotactic computer-assisted (navigational) procedure; spinal (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	28-1	N/A
62287	Decompression, percutaneous, of nucleus pulposus of intervertebral disc, any method utilizing needle-based technique to remove disc material under fluoroscopic imaging or other form of indirect visualization, with discography and/or epidural injection(s) at the treated level(s), when performed, single or multiple levels, lumbar		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
62330	Decompression, percutaneous, with partial removal of the ligamentum flavum, including laminotomy for access, epidurography, and imaging guidance (ie, CT or fluoroscopy), bilateral; one interspace, lumbar		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0

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62331	Decompression, percutaneous, with partial removal of the ligamentum flavum, including laminotomy for access, epidurography, and imaging guidance (ie, CT or fluoroscopy), bilateral; additional interspace(s), lumbar (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
63045	Laminectomy, facetectomy and foraminotomy (unilateral or bilateral with decompression of spinal cord, cauda equina and/or nerve root[s], [eg, spinal or lateral recess stenosis]), single vertebral segment; cervical		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	22-6	28-0
63046	Laminectomy, facetectomy and foraminotomy (unilateral or bilateral with decompression of spinal cord, cauda equina and/or nerve root[s], [eg, spinal or lateral recess stenosis]), single vertebral segment; thoracic		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	24-4	28-0
63047	Laminectomy, facetectomy and foraminotomy (unilateral or bilateral with decompression of spinal cord, cauda equina and/or nerve root[s], [eg, spinal or lateral recess stenosis]), single vertebral segment; lumbar		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	24-4	28-0

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63048	Laminectomy, facetectomy and foraminotomy (unilateral or bilateral with decompression of spinal cord, cauda equina and/or nerve root[s], [eg, spinal or lateral recess stenosis]), single vertebral segment; each additional vertebral segment, cervical, thoracic, or lumbar		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	26-2	28-0
64400	Injection(s), anesthetic agent(s) and/or steroid; trigeminal nerve, each branch (ie, ophthalmic, maxillary, mandibular)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
64405	Injection(s), anesthetic agent(s) and/or steroid; greater occipital nerve		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	29-0
70544	Magnetic resonance angiography, head, including image postprocessing; without contrast material(s)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
70545	Magnetic resonance angiography, head, including image postprocessing; with contrast material(s)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
70546	Magnetic resonance angiography, head, including image postprocessing; without contrast material(s), followed by contrast material(s) and further sequences		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0

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70547	Magnetic resonance angiography, neck, including image postprocessing; without contrast material(s)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
70548	Magnetic resonance angiography, neck, including image postprocessing; with contrast material(s)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	28-1	29-0
70549	Magnetic resonance angiography, neck, including image postprocessing; without contrast material(s), followed by contrast material(s) and further sequences		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
70XX4	Magnetic resonance angiography, head and neck, including image postprocessing; without contrast material(s)		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	29-0
70XX5	Magnetic resonance angiography, head and neck, including image postprocessing; with contrast material(s)		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	29-0
70XX6	Magnetic resonance angiography, head and neck; without contrast material(s) in one or both body regions, followed by contrast material(s) and further sequences in one or both body regions, including image postprocessing		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	29-0

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73200	Computed tomography, upper extremity; without contrast material		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	28-1	29-0
73201	Computed tomography, upper extremity; with contrast material(s)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
73202	Computed tomography, upper extremity; without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further sections		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
76872	Ultrasound, transrectal		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
90912	Biofeedback training, perineal muscles, anorectal or urethral sphincter, including EMG and/or manometry, when performed; initial 15 minutes of one-on-one physician or other qualified health care professional contact with the patient		No	No	Yes	No	No	28-0	28-0

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90913	Biofeedback training, perineal muscles, anorectal or urethral sphincter, including EMG and/or manometry, when performed; each additional 15 minutes of one-on-one physician or other qualified health care professional contact with the patient (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		No	No	Yes	No	No	28-0	28-0
92920	Percutaneous transluminal coronary angioplasty, single major coronary artery and/or its branch(es)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	N/A
92924	Percutaneous transluminal coronary atherectomy, with coronary angioplasty when performed, single major coronary artery and/or its branch(es)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	N/A
92928	Percutaneous transcatheter placement of intracoronary stent(s), with coronary angioplasty when performed, single major coronary artery and/or its branch(es); 1 lesion involving 1 or more coronary segments		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	N/A

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92930	Percutaneous transcatheter placement of intracoronary stent(s), with coronary angioplasty when performed, single major coronary artery and/or its branch(es); 2 or more distinct coronary lesions with 2 or more coronary stents deployed in 2 or more coronary segments, or a bifurcation lesion requiring angioplasty and/or stenting in both the main artery and the side branch		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	N/A
92933	Percutaneous transluminal coronary atherectomy, with intracoronary stent, with coronary angioplasty when performed, single major coronary artery and/or its branch(es)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	N/A
92937	Percutaneous transluminal revascularization of or through coronary artery bypass graft (internal mammary, free arterial, venous), any combination of intracoronary stent, atherectomy and angioplasty, including distal protection when performed, single major coronary artery and/or its branches		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	N/A

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92941	Percutaneous transluminal revascularization of acute total/subtotal occlusion during acute myocardial infarction, any combination of intracoronary stent, atherectomy and angioplasty, including aspiration thrombectomy when performed, single major coronary artery and/or its branches or single bypass graft and/or its subtended branches		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	N/A
92943	Percutaneous transluminal revascularization of chronic total occlusion, single coronary artery, coronary artery branch, or coronary artery bypass graft, and/or subtended major coronary artery branches of the bypass graft, any combination of intracoronary stent, atherectomy and angioplasty; antegrade approach		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	N/A
92945	Percutaneous transluminal revascularization of chronic total occlusion, single coronary artery, coronary artery branch, or coronary artery bypass graft, and/or subtended major coronary artery branches of the bypass graft, any combination of intracoronary stent, atherectomy and angioplasty; combined antegrade and retrograde approaches		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	N/A

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92972	Percutaneous transluminal coronary lithotripsy (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	N/A
92973	Percutaneous transluminal coronary mechanical aspiration thrombectomy (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	N/A
92978	Endoluminal imaging of coronary vessel or graft using intravascular ultrasound (ivus) or optical coherence tomography (oct) during diagnostic evaluation and/or therapeutic intervention including imaging supervision, interpretation and report; initial vessel (list separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	23-6	29-0
92979	Endoluminal imaging of coronary vessel or graft using intravascular ultrasound (ivus) or optical coherence tomography (oct) during diagnostic evaluation and/or therapeutic intervention including imaging supervision, interpretation and report; each additional vessel (list separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	23-6	29-0

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92X10	Video head impulse testing (vhit), with recording, interpretation, and report; of lateral semicircular canal function		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	28-1
92X11	Video head impulse testing (vhit), with recording, interpretation, and report; of lateral and vertical semicircular canal function		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	27-2	28-1
92XX5	Rotational vestibular assessment by sinusoidal harmonic acceleration (SHA) testing with calibrated, computer-controlled chair, with interpretation and report (do not report 92XX5 in conjunction with 92270)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	28-1	29-0
92XX6	Rotational vestibular assessment by sinusoidal harmonic acceleration (SHA) testing with calibrated, computer-controlled chair, with interpretation and report; with velocity step testing (VST) (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	28-1	29-0

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93355	Echocardiography, transesophageal (TEE) for guidance of a transcatheter intracardiac or great vessel(s) structural intervention(s) (eg, TAVR, transcatheter pulmonary valve replacement, mitral valve repair, paravalvular regurgitation repair, left atrial appendage occlusion/closure, ventricular septal defect closure) (peri-and intra-procedural), real-time image acquisition and documentation, guidance with quantitative measurements, probe manipulation, interpretation, and report, including diagnostic transesophageal echocardiography and, when performed, administration of ultrasound contrast, Doppler, color flow, and 3D	3	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
93571	Intravascular Doppler velocity and/or pressure derived coronary flow reserve measurement (coronary vessel or graft) during coronary angiography including pharmacologically induced stress, when performed; initial vessel (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	N/A

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93572	Intravascular Doppler velocity and/or pressure derived coronary flow reserve measurement (coronary vessel or graft) during coronary angiography including pharmacologically induced stress, when performed; each additional vessel (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	N/A
93X01	Programming of the cardiac contractility modulation system (in person) with iterative adjustment of the implantable device to test the function of the device and select optimal permanent programmed values with analysis, including review and report by a physician or other qualified health care professional (do not report 93X01 in conjunction with 33X01, 33X02, 33X03, 33X04, 33X05, 33X06, 33X07, 33X08, 33X09)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	28-1	29-0
93X02	Interrogation device evaluation (in person) with analysis, review and report by a physician or other qualified healthcare professional, includes connection, recording and disconnection per patient encounter, implantable cardiac contractility modulation system (do not report 93X02 in conjunction with 33X01, 33X02, 33X03, 33X04, 33X05, 33X06, 33X07, 33X08, 33X09)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0

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93X03	Interrogation device evaluation (remote), up to 90 days, cardiac contractility modulation system with interim analysis, review and report(s) by a physician or other qualified health care professional		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	29-0
93X04	Interrogation device evaluation (remote), up to 90 days, cardiac contractility modulation system, remote data acquisition(s), receipt of transmissions, technician review, technical support, and distribution of results	1	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	29-0
95151	Ambulatory continuous glucose monitoring of interstitial tissue fluid via a subcutaneous sensor for a minimum of 72 hours; physician or other qualified health care professional (office) provided equipment, sensor placement, hook-up, calibration of monitor, patient training, removal of sensor, and printout of recording	3	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
95249	Ambulatory continuous glucose monitoring of interstitial tissue fluid via a subcutaneous sensor for a minimum of 72 hours; patient-provided equipment, sensor placement, hook-up, calibration of monitor, patient training, and printout of recording	3	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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95250	Ambulatory continuous glucose monitoring of interstitial tissue fluid via a subcutaneous sensor for a minimum of 72 hours; physician or other qualified health care professional (office) provided equipment, sensor placement, hook-up, calibration of monitor, patient training, removal of sensor, and printout of recording	3	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
95921	Testing of autonomic nervous system function, with interpretation and report; cardiovagal innervation (parasympathetic function), including 2 or more of the following: heart rate response to deep breathing with recorded R-R interval, Valsalva ratio, and 30:15 ratio		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	24-5	28-1
95922	Testing of autonomic nervous system function, with interpretation and report; vasomotor adrenergic innervation (sympathetic adrenergic function), including beat-to-beat blood pressure and R-R interval changes during Valsalva maneuver and at least 5 minutes of passive tilt (ie, tilt table). (Do not report 95922 in conjunction with 95921, 95923, 95924, 95XX6, 95XX7, 95XX8, 95XX9)		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	23-6	28-1

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95923	Testing of autonomic nervous system function, with interpretation and report; sudomotor, quantitative sudomotor axon reflex test (QSART), or silastic sweat imprint. (Do not report 95923 in conjunction with 95921, 95922, 95924, 95XX6, 95XX7, 95XX8, 95XX9)		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	22-7	28-1
95924	Testing of autonomic nervous system function, with interpretation and report; combined parasympathetic and sympathetic adrenergic function testing with at least 5 minutes of passive tilt (ie, tilt table). (Do not report 95924 in conjunction with 95921, or 95922, 95923, 95XX6, 95XX7, 95XX8, 95XX9)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	22-7	28-1
95X18	Unattended sleep study, set-up, data acquisition and technical analysis; low complexity of 3-4 channels that generate at least 3-5 parameter categories	1	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	29-0
95X19	Unattended sleep study, set-up, data acquisition and technical analysis; moderate complexity of 5-10 channels that generate at least 6-8 parameter categories	1	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	29-0

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95X20	Unattended sleep study, set-up, data acquisition and technical analysis; high complexity of 11 or more channels that generate at least 9 parameter categories	1	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	29-0
95X21	Unattended sleep study, interpretation and report by a physician or other qualified health care professional; low complexity of 3-4 channels that generate at least 3-5 parameter categories		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	29-0	29-0
95X22	Unattended sleep study, interpretation and report by a physician or other qualified health care professional; moderate complexity of 5-10 channels that generate at least 6-8 parameter categories		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	27-2	29-0
95X23	Unattended sleep study, interpretation and report by a physician or other qualified health care professional; high complexity of 11 or more channels that generate at least 9 parameter categories		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	23-6	29-0

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95XX4	Testing of autonomic nervous system function, with interpretation and report; use of tilt table (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure). (Use 95XX4 in conjunction with 95921, 95XX7, when a tilt table is used to perform these services)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	28-1
95XX5	Testing of the autonomic nervous system function, with interpretation and report; sudomotor, thermoregulatory sweat test		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	23-6	28-1
95XX6	Testing of autonomic nervous system function, with interpretation and report; sudomotor, assessing the sympathetic skin response (SSR) potential. (Do not report 95XX6 in conjunction with 95921, 95922, 95923, 95924, 95XX7, 95XX8, 95XX9)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	28-1	28-1
95XX7	Testing of autonomic nervous system function, with interpretation and report; combined parasympathetic and sudomotor testing, quantitative sudomotor axon reflex test (QSART) or silastic sweat imprint. (Do not report 95XX7 in conjunction with 95921, 95922, 95923, 95924, 95XX6, 95XX8, 95XX9)		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	27-2	28-1

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95XX8	Testing of autonomic nervous system function, with interpretation and report; combined sympathetic adrenergic with at least 5 minutes of passive tilt (ie, tilt table) and sudomotor testing, quantitative sudomotor axon reflex test (QSART) or silastic sweat imprint. (Do not report 95XX8 in conjunction with 95921, 95922, 95923, 95924, 95XX6, 95XX7, 95XX9)		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	22-7	28-1
95XX9	Testing of autonomic nervous system function, with interpretation and report; combined parasympathetic, sympathetic adrenergic function with at least 5 minutes of passive tilt (ie, tilt table), and sudomotor testing, quantitative sudomotor axon reflex test (QSART) or silastic sweat imprint. (Do not report 95XX9 in conjunction with 95921, 95922, 95923, 95924, 95XX6, 95XX7, 95XX8)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	25-4	28-1
96920	Laser treatment, 308-312 nanometer wavelengths, for inflammatory or auto-immune skin diseases (eg, psoriasis); total area less than 250 sq cm		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	28-1	29-0
96920	Laser treatment, 308-312 nanometer wavelengths, for inflammatory or auto-immune skin diseases (eg, psoriasis); total area less than 250 sq cm		No	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0

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96921	Laser treatment, 308-312 nanometer wavelengths, for inflammatory or auto-immune skin diseases (eg, psoriasis); 250 sq cm to 500 sq cm		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	28-1	29-0
96921	Laser treatment, 308-312 nanometer wavelengths, for inflammatory or auto-immune skin diseases (eg, psoriasis); 250 sq cm to 500 sq cm		No	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
96922	Laser treatment, 308-312 nanometer wavelengths, for inflammatory or auto-immune skin diseases (eg, psoriasis); over 500 sq cm		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	27-2	29-0
96922	Laser treatment, 308-312 nanometer wavelengths, for inflammatory or auto-immune skin diseases (eg, psoriasis); over 500 sq cm		No	No	Yes	No	No	29-0	29-0
978X1	Lactation care directed by a physician or other qualified health care professional, including history, assessment, training, and report; each additional 15 minutes (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	1	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	27-2

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978XX	Lactation care directed by a physician or other qualified health care professional, including history, assessment, training, and report; first 30 minutes		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	26-3	27-2
9XX04	Percutaneous transcatheter therapeutic drug delivery by intracoronary drug-delivery balloon (eg, drug-coated, drug-eluting), including mechanical dilation by nondrug-delivery balloon angioplasty, single major coronary artery and/or its branch(es)		Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes	22-7	N/A
9XX07	Percutaneous transcatheter therapeutic drug-delivery by intracoronary drug-delivery balloon (eg, drug-coated, drug-eluting), single major artery and/or its branches (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)		Yes	No	Yes	No	No	24-5	N/A
G0561	Tympanostomy with local or topical anesthesia and insertion of a ventilating tube when performed with tympanostomy tube delivery device, unilateral	1	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	28-0

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