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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

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Tab #	Name	Code #	Description of Editorial Panel Action	Effective Date	Request for Reconsideration
6	Chronic Care Management Services	----- -----	WITHDRAWN		
7	Non Face-to-Face Review and MDM of Lab Results	----- -----	WITHDRAWN		
8	Superficial and-or Orthovoltage Treatment	----- -----	WITHDRAWN		
9	Percutaneous Ventricular Assist Device Insertion	●339X1 ●339X2 ▲33990 ▲33991 ▲33992 ▲33993	Accepted addition of two codes 339X1, 339X2 to report insertion and removal of percutaneous ventricular assist device; revision of codes 33990, 33991, 33992, 33993 to clarify right or left heart; and revision of introductory guidelines	January 1, 2021	
10	Laparoscopic Pyloromyotomy	----- -----	WITHDRAWN		
11	Transrectal High Intensity Focused US Prostate Ablation	●558XX	Accepted addition of code 558XX to report ablation of malignant prostate tissue with high intensity focused ultrasound (HIFU)	January 1, 2021	
12	Screening CT of Thorax	●712X0 ▲71250 ▲71260 ▲71270	Accepted addition of code 712X0 to report computed tomography without contrast material; and revision of codes 71250, 71260, 71270 by adding "diagnostic" to code descriptor	January 1, 2021	
13	X Ray of Abdomen- Revise 74022	▲74022	Accepted revision of code 74022 to specify the number of views of the abdomen	January 1, 2020	
14	Cat III Radiological Imaging- Identification of Implanted Device	----- -----	REJECTED		
15	Medical Physics Dose Evaluation	●7615X	Accepted addition of code 7615X to report medical physics dose evaluation for high dose imaging procedures	January 1, 2021	
16	Adalimumab Therapeutic Drug Assay	●80XX0	Accepted addition of code 80XX0 to report therapeutic drug monitoring for adalimumab	January 1, 2020	
17	Infliximab Therapeutic Drug Assay	●80XX1	Accepted addition of code 80XX1 to report therapeutic drug monitoring for infliximab	January 1, 2020	

18	Lacosamide Therapeutic Drug Assay	●80XX2	Accepted addition of code 80XX2 to report therapeutic drug monitoring for lacosamide	January 1, 2020	
19	Posaconazole Therapeutic Drug Assay	●802X0	Accepted addition of code 802X0 to report therapeutic drug monitoring for posaconazole	January 1, 2020	
20	Vedolizumab Therapeutic Drug Assay	●802XX	Accepted addition of code 802XX to report therapeutic drug monitoring for vedolizumab	January 1, 2020	
21	Voriconazole Therapeutic Drug Assay	●802X1	Accepted addition of code 802X1 to report therapeutic drug monitoring for voriconazole	January 1, 2020	
22	Tier 1-Genome-Wide CN-SNP Array in Neoplasia	●8XX0X ▲81406	Accepted addition of Tier 1 code 8XX0X to report analysis of CN-SNP array; and revision of code 81406 by removing Tier 1 testing	January 1, 2020	
23	Tier 1 UGT1A1	▲81350 ▲81404	Accepted revision of code 81350 to include hyperbilirubinemia (Gilbert syndrome) and remove irinotecan metabolism; and accepted revision of code 81404 to include UGT1A1 hyperbilirubinemia Crigler-Najjar syndrome respectively	▲81350 January 1, 2020 ▲81404 October 1, 2019	
24	Tier 2 to Tier 1 Cytogenomic Microarray for Neoplasia	----- -----	Tabs 22 and 24 were voted as one action. <i>(see Tab 22)</i>	January 1, 2020	
25	GSP Familial Hypercholesterolemia	▲81407	Accepted revision of Tier 2 code 81407 to include the full gene sequence of the APOB gene	October 1, 2019	
26	GSP Lynch Syndrome Panel	----- -----	WITHDRAWN		
27	GSP Targeted-Solid Organ or Hematolymphoid Neoplasm	----- -----	WITHDRAWN		
28	MAAA-Breast Cancer Recurrence Risk	●815X0	Accepted addition of MAAA code 815X0 to report a 12 gene test that measures tumor biology of breast cancer	January 1, 2020	
29	MAAA Prostate Cancer Metastasis Risk Score	●815XX	Accepted addition of MAAA code 815XX to report prostate cancer metastasis risk score	January 1, 2020	
30	Mycoplasma Genitalium Infectious Agent Detection	●8XXXX	Accepted addition of code 8XXXX for mycoplasma genitalium infectious agent detection	January 1, 2020	
31	Telemedicine Health and Wellness Services	----- -----	WITHDRAWN		

32	Retinal Imaging	●9225X ▲92227 ▲92228	Accepted addition of code 9225X to report retinal imaging with automated point-of-care; and revision of codes 92227, 92228 to include imaging of retina for detection and monitoring	January 1, 2021	
33	Remote Interrogation Device Eval 93297-Telemedicine Symbol	▲93298	Accepted revision of code 93298 by removing the Telemedicine Services symbol; and revision to Appendix P to remove code 93298	January 1, 2020	
34	Arterial Compliance Measurement	----- -----	REJECTED		
36	Cat II Eye Exam for Diabetes	●20X0F ●20X1F ●20X2F ▲2022F ▲2024F ▲2026F	Accepted addition of Category II codes 20X0F, 20X1F, 20X2F to identify dilated retinal eye exam with interpretation; and revision of Category II codes 2022F, 2024F, 2026F to include evidence of retinopathy	October 1, 2019	
37	Cat III Transcatheter Tricuspid Valve Repair	●0X74T ●0X75T	Accepted addition of a new Category III subsection and guidelines for percutaneous transcatheter tricuspid valve repair (TTVr); and addition of codes 0X74T, 0X75T to report percutaneous transcatheter tricuspid repair	January 1, 2020	
38	Cat III Percutaneous Cryoablation Breast Tumor	●05X5T	Accepted addition of Category III code 05X5T to report ablation, breast tumor(s), including imaging guidance	January 1, 2020	
39	Cat III Transurethral US-Guided Ablation of Prostate	●0X76T	Accepted addition of Category III code 0X76T to report transurethral destruction of prostate tissue	January 1, 2020	
40	Cat III Extravascular Implantable Cardioverter Defibrillator Procedures	●06X0T ●06X1T ●06X2T ●06X3T ●06X4T ●06X5T ●06X6T ●07X2T ●07X3T ●07X4T	Accepted addition of new Category III subsection for implantable cardioverter defibrillator procedures; and addition of ten codes 06X0T 06X1T, 06X2T, 06X3T, 06X4T, 06X5T, 06X6T, 07X2T, 07X3T, 07X4T to report the work of implantation, removal, repositioning, interrogation, or programming	January 1, 2020	
41	Cat III Tympanostomy with Iontophoresis	●05X6T	Accepted addition of Category III code 05X6T to report tympanostomy with iontophoresis	January 1, 2020	
42	Cat III Digital Screening-Diagnostic Support	----- -----	REJECTED		
43	Cat III Health Coaching	●05X0T ●07X0T ●07X1T	Accepted addition of new heading Health and Well-Being Coaching within the Category III subsection; and addition of Category III codes 05X0T, 07X0T, 07X1T to report Health Coaching	January 1, 2020	

44	Cat III Meditation and Mindfulness-Based Stress Reduction	----- -----	REJECTED		
45	Cat III Tai Chi	----- -----	REJECTED		
46	Cat III Yoga and Yoga Therapy	----- -----	REJECTED		
47	Cat III Islet Cell Transplantation	●0X63T ●0X64T ●0X65T	Accepted addition of Category III codes 0X63T, 0X64T, 0X65T to report islet cell transplantation	January 1, 2020	
48	Cat III Posterior Tibial Nerve Neurostimulation	●07X0T ●07X1T ●08X0T ●08X1T	Accepted addition of Category III codes 07X0T, 07X1T to report percutaneous implantation or removal of single-device neurostimulators; and addition of Category III codes 0X80T, 0X81T to report separate simple or complex electronic analysis of neurostimulator devices	January 1, 2020	
49	Cat III 0100T 0472T 0473T to Cat I- Retinal Implant Svcs	----- -----	WITHDRAWN		
50	Code Set Maintenance	D43401	Accepted deletion of code 43401 due to low utilization	January 1, 2020	
51	Modifier 51 Exempt Review	----- -----	Accepted revision of Appendix E	January 1, 2020	
52	Bilateral Procedures Instruction Revisions	----- -----	Accepted revision of instructions throughout the code set to state that add-on codes should be reported twice when the procedure is performed bilaterally, and that modifier 50 should not be used with add-on codes	January 1, 2020	
53	PLA Category I Code Symbol	----- -----	Accepted addition of new symbol (↓†) to indicate a PLA code has been approved for Category I status and will remain in the PLA section of the code book	January 1, 2020	
54	PLA Category I Publication Policy	----- -----	Accepted addition of policy that states if a test has already been accepted as a Category I code but a code has not been published, subsequent applications for a PLA code will take precedence and the code will only be placed in the PLA section of the code book	January 1, 2020	
55	Advisor Response Form Revisions	----- -----	Accepted request to revise the Advisor Response Form	September 2019	
56	PLA Codes Q2 2019 Consent Calendar	D0104U	Accepted addition of 34 Proprietary Laboratory Analysis codes; and deletion of PLA code 0104U	October 1, 2019	
EC	Request for Reconsideration - Tab 24 (Lumbar Puncture)	----- -----	REJECTED		

EC	Parenthetical Revision - 33866	----- -----	Accepted revision of parenthetical following code 33866	January 1, 2020	
EC	Parenthetical Revision - 96155	----- -----	Accepted revision of parenthetical notes following codes 97153, 97154, 97155, 97156, 97157, 97158	January 1, 2020	
EC	Parenthetical Revision – 0XX0T	----- -----	Accepted revision of parenthetical following code 0XX0T	July 1, 2019	
EC	Descriptor Revision - 31293	▲31293	Accepted revision of code 31293 by removing “orbital”	January 1, 2020	
EC	Descriptor & Guideline Revision	▲64XX0	Accepted revision of 64XX0 to be a child to 64400; and revision to the Somatic Nerves introductory guidelines	January 1, 2020	
EC	Guideline Revision – Non-Face-to-Face Nonphysician Services Telephone Services	----- -----	Accepted revision to the Non-Face-to-Face Nonphysician Services Telephone Services guidelines by removing deleted code 98969	January 1, 2020	
EC	Table Illustration Revision – 6XX00	----- -----	Accepted revision to the Extracranial Nerves, Peripheral Nerves, and Autonomic Nervous System chart by adding code 6XX00	January 1, 2020	
EC	Modifier 63	----- -----	Accepted revision to the modifier 63 listing by removing codes 93463 and 93505 from the listing	January 1, 2020	
EC	Programmed stimulation and pacing after intravenous drug infusion (93623)	----- -----	Accepted revision of the parenthetical following code 93623	January 1, 2020	