

**2015 PHYSICIAN  
PROCEDURE CODE CHANGES**

Effective for **dates of service** on or after **1/1/2015**, refer to the **New Codes** listed below for billing. The discontinued codes are not valid for billing dates of service after **12/31/2014**. See the **2015 FS** for Fees.

<b>DISCONTINUED CODES- NOT TO BE USED AFTER 12/31/14:</b>				
<b>Anesthesia:</b>	00452	00622	00634	
<b>Drugs:</b>	J0150	J0151	J0900	J1060
J1070	J1080	J2271	J2275	J3120
J3130	J3140	J3150	J7335	J9265
<b>Radiology:</b>	72291	72292	74291	76645
76950	77305	77310	77315	77326
77327	77328	77403	77404	77406
77408	77409	77411	77413	77414
77416	77418	77421		
<b>Surgery:</b>	21800	21810	22520	22521
22522	22523	22524	22525	29020
29025	29715	33332	33472	33960
33961	36469	36822	42508	43350
44383	44393	44397	45339	45345
45355	45383	45387	61334	61440
61470	61490	61542	61609	61875
62116	64752	64761	64870	66165
69400	69401	69405		
<b>NEW CODES- EFFECTIVE 1/1/2015:</b>				
<b>Drugs</b>	<b>Description</b>			
J0153	Injection, adenosine, 1 mg (not to be used to report any adenosine phosphate compounds)			
J1071	Injection, testosterone cypionate, 1mg			
J2274	Injection, morphine sulfate, preservative-free for epidural or intrathecal use, 10 mg			
J3121	Injection, testosterone enanthate, 1mg			
J3145	Injection, testosterone undecanoate, 1 mg			
J7336	Capsaicin 8% patch, per square centimeter			
J9267	Injection, paclitaxel, 1 mg (Taxol)			

<b>Medicine</b>	
91200	Liver elastography, mechanically induced shear wave (eg, vibration), without imaging, with interpretation and report
<b>Radiology</b>	
76641	Ultrasound, breast, unilateral ,real time with image documentation, including axilla when performed
76642	-limited
77306	Teletherapy isodose plan; simple (1 or 2 unmodified ports directed to a single area of interest ), includes basic dosimetry calculation(s)
77307	-complex (multiple treatment areas, tangential ports, the use of wedges, blocking, rotational beam, or special beam considerations),includes basic dosimetry calculation(s)
77316	Brachytherapy isodose plan; simple (calculation(s) made from 1 to 4 sources, or remote afterloading brachytherapy, 1 channel), includes basic dosimetry calculation(s)
77317	-intermediate (calculation(s) made from 5 to 10 sources, or remote afterloading brachytherapy, 2-12 channels), includes basic dosimetry calculation(s)
77318	-complex (calculation(s) made from over 10 sources, or remote afterloading brachytherapy, over 12 channels, (includes basic dosimetry calculation(s)
77385	Intensity modulated radiation treatment delivery (IMRT), includes guidance and tracking, when performed; simple
77386	-complex
77387	Guidance for localization of target volume for delivery of radiation treatment delivery, includes intrafraction tracking, when performed
<b>Radiopharm</b>	
A9606	Radium ra-223 dichloride, therapeutic, per microcurie
<b>Surgery</b>	
20604	Aspiration and/or injection of small joint or joint capsule with recording and reporting using ultrasound guidance
20606	Aspiration and/or injection of intermediate joint or joint capsule with recording and reporting using ultrasound guidance
20611	Aspiration and/or injection of major joint or joint capsule with recording and reporting using ultrasound guidance
22510	Injection of bone cement into body of middle spine bone accessed through the skin using imaging guidance
22511	Injection of bone cement into body of middle spine bone accessed through the skin using imaging guidance
22512	Injection of bone cement into body of middle or lower spine accessed through skin using imaging guidance
22513	Injection of bone cement into body of middle spine bone accessed through the skin using imaging guidance

22514	Injection of bone cement into body of lower spine bone accessed through the skin using imaging guidance
22515	Injection of bone cement into body of middle or lower spine bone accessed through the skin using imaging guidance
22858	Insertion of artificial upper spine disc anterior approach
27279	Fusion sacroiliac joint through the skin or minimally invasive using image guidance
33946	Initiation of external vein to vein blood circulation in heart and lungs using a pump (ECMO)
33947	Initiation of external vein to artery blood circulation in heart and lungs using a pump (ECMO)
33948	Daily management of external vein to vein blood circulation in heart and lungs using a pump (ECMO)
33949	Daily management of external vein to artery blood circulation in heart and lungs using a pump (ECMO)
33951	-insertion of peripheral (arterial and/or venous) cannula(e) ,percutaneous, birth through 5 years of age (includes fluoroscopic guidance, when performed)
33952	- insertion of peripheral (arterial and/or venous) cannula(e), percutaneous, 6 years and older
33953	- insertion of peripheral (arterial and/or venous) cannula(e), open, birth through 5 years of age
33954	- insertion of peripheral (arterial and/or venous) cannula(e), open, 6 years and older
33955	-insertion of central cannula(e) by sternotomy or thoracotomy, birth through 5 years of age
33956	-insertion of central cannula(e) by sternotomy or thoracotomy, 6 years and older
33957	-reposition peripheral cannula(e), percutaneous, birth through 5 years of age
33958	-reposition peripheral cannula(e) percutaneous,6 years and older
33959	-reposition peripheral cannula(e), open, birth through 5 years of age
33962	-reposition peripheral cannula(e), open, 6 years and older
33963	-reposition of central cannula(e) by sternotomy or thoracotomy, birth through 5 years of age
33964	-reposition central cannula(e) by sternotomy or thoracotomy,6 years and older
33965	-removal of peripheral cannula(e),percutaneous, birth through 5 years of age
33966	-removal of peripheral cannula(e) ,percutaneous, 6 years and

	older
33969	-removal pf peripheral cannula(e),open, birth through 5 years of age
33984	-removal pf peripheral cannula(e),open, 6 years and older
33985	-removal of central cannula(e) by sternotomy or thoracotomy, birth through 5 years of age
33986	-removal of central cannula(e) by sternotomy or throracotomy,6 years and older
33987	Arterial exposure with creation of graft conduit to facilitate arterial perfusion for ECMO/ECLS
33988	Insertion of left heart vent by thoracic incision for ECMO/ECLS
33989	Removal of left heart vent by thoracic incision for ECMO/ECLS
37218	Transcatheter placement of intravascular stent(s), intrathoracic common carotid artery or innominate artery, open or percutaneous antegrade approach, including angioplasty ,when performed, and radiological supervision and interpretation
44381	-with transendoscopic balloon dilation
44384	-with placement of endoscopic stent
44401	-with ablation of tumor(s),polyp(s),or other lesion(s)
44402	-with endoscopic stent placement
44403	-with endoscopic mucosal resection
44404	-with directed submucosal injection(s),any substance
44405	-with transendoscopic balloon dilation
44406	-with endoscopic ultrasound examination ,limited to the sigmoid,descending,transverse,or ascending colon and cecum and adjacent structures
44407	-with transendoscopic ultrasound guided intramural or transmural fine needle aspiration/biopsy(s),includes endoscopic ultrasound examination limited to the sigmoid,descending,transverse,or ascending colon and eceum and adjacent structures
44408	-with decompression,including placement of decompression tube,when performed
45346	-with ablation of tumor(s),polyp(s),or other lesion(s)
45347	-with placement of endoscopic stent
45349	-with endoscopic mucosal resection
45350	-with band ligation(s)
45388	-with ablation of tumor(s),polyp(s), or other lesion(s)
45389	-with endoscopic stent placement
45390	-with endoscopic mucosal resection

45393	-with decompression, including placement of decompression tube,when performed
45398	-with band ligation(s)
46601	Diagnostic examination of anus with magnification and chemical agent enhancement, using an endoscope
46607	Biopsies of anus with magnification and chemical agent enhancement using an endoscope
66179	Aqueous shunt to extraocular equatorial plate reservoir, external approach; without graft
66184	Revision of aqueous shunt to extraocular equatorial plate reservoir, external approach; without graft