

Bulletin



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Update to Attachment B: Definition of outpatient health services categories

Included with your 2012 Institutional Provider Service Agreement (Agreement) with Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota is a document entitled “Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Minnesota: Attachment B: Definition of Outpatient Health Service Categories.”

As stipulated in that document, we are notifying you of new codes that have been added and to which outpatient health service category codes have been assigned. Specifically, the Agreement states: “Provider Bulletins will inform providers when new codes are released by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) and the American Medical Association (AMA) during the 2012 calendar year. New codes will be added to the pertinent categories as updates are published and received. Any CPT or HCPCS codes that have not been assigned to a specific category will be attributed to the Non-emergency services Category VIII.”

Please note that not all hospitals are affected by these changes. To verify if your hospital is affected, refer to your Institutional Provider Service Agreement with Blue Cross.

The following CPT and HCPCS codes were added since January 1, 2012.

Added Codes

CPT / HCPCS Code	Description	2012 Attachment B	2011 Attachment B
0295T	Ext Ecg Complete	Cardiac testing	Cardiac testing
0296T	Ext Ecg Recording	Cardiac testing	Cardiac testing
0297T	Ext Ecg Scan W/Report	Cardiac testing	Cardiac testing
0298T	Ext Ecg Review And Interp	Cardiac testing	Cardiac testing
C9732	Ins Oculr Tele Pros Rmv Crystl Lens	Cataract	Cataract
J9179	Injection Eribulin Mesylate 0.1 Mg	Chemotherapy	Chemotherapy
J9228	Injection Ipilimumab 1 Mg	Chemotherapy	Chemotherapy
J9043	Injection Cabazitaxel 1 Mg	Chemotherapy	Chemotherapy
74174	Ct Angio Abd&Pelv W/O&W/Dye	CT Scan	CT Scan
94726	Pulm Funct Tst Plethysmograp	Diagnostic Heart Procedures	Diagnostic Heart Procedures
0281T	Laa Closure W/Implant	Diagnostic Heart Procedures	Diagnostic Heart Procedures
0288T	Anoscopy W/Rf Delivery	Endoscopy	Endoscopy
32607	Thoracoscopy W/Bx Infiltrate	Endoscopy	Endoscopy
32608	Thoracoscopy W/Bx Nodule	Endoscopy	Endoscopy
32609	Thoracoscopy W/Bx Pleura	Endoscopy	Endoscopy
32666	Thoracoscopy W/Wedge Resect	Endoscopy	Endoscopy
32667	Thoracoscopy W/W Resect Addl	Endoscopy	Endoscopy

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32668	Thoracoscopy W/W Resect Diag	Endoscopy	Endoscopy
32672	Thoracoscopy For Lvrs	Endoscopy	Endoscopy
32673	Thoracoscopy W/Thymus Resect	Endoscopy	Endoscopy
32674	Thoracoscopy Lymph Node Exc	Endoscopy	Endoscopy
0276T	Bronch Thermoplasty 1 Lobe	Endoscopy	Endoscopy
0277T	Bronch Thermoplasty Lobes	Endoscopy	Endoscopy
81200	Aspa Gene	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81205	Bckdhd Gene	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81206	Bcr/Abl1 Gene Major Bp	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81207	Bcr/Abl1 Gene Minor Bp	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81208	Bcr/Abl1 Gene Other Bp	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81209	Blm Gene	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81210	Braf Gene	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81211	Brca1&2 Seq & Com Dup/Del	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81212	Brca1&2 185&5385&6174 Var	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81213	Brca1&2 Uncom Dup/Del Var	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81214	Brca1 Full Seq & Com Dup/Del	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81215	Brca1 Gene Known Fam Variant	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81216	Brca2 Gene Full Sequence	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81217	Brca2 Gene Known Fam Variant	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81220	Cftr Gene Com Variants	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81221	Cftr Gene Known Fam Variants	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81222	Cftr Gene Dup/Delet Variants	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81223	Cftr Gene Full Sequence	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81224	Cftr Gene Intron Poly T	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81225	Cyp2C19 Gene Com Variants	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81226	Cyp2D6 Gene Com Variants	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81227	Cyp2C9 Gene Com Variants	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81228	Cytogen Micrarray Copy Nmbr	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81229	Cytogen M Array Copy No&Snp	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81240	F2 Gene	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81241	F5 Gene	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81242	Fancc Gene	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81243	Fmr1 Gene Detection	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81244	Fmr1 Gene Characterization	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81245	Flt3 Gene	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81250	G6Pc Gene	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81251	Gba Gene	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81255	Hexa Gene	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81256	Hfe Gene	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81257	Hba1/Hba2 Gene	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81260	Ikbkap Gene	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81261	Igh Gene Rearrange Amp Meth	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81262	Igh Gene Rearrang Dir Probe	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81263	Igh Vari Regional Mutation	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab

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81264	Igk Rearrangeabn Clonal Pop	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81265	Str Markers Specimen Anal	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81266	Str Markers Spec Anal Addl	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81267	Chimerism Anal No Cell Selec	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81268	Chimerism Anal W/Cell Select	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81270	Jak2 Gene	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81275	Kras Gene	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81280	Long Qt Synd Gene Full Seq	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81281	Long Qt Synd Known Fam Var	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81282	Long Qt Syn Gene Dup/Dlt Var	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81290	Mcoln1 Gene	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81291	Mthfr Gene	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81292	Mlh1 Gene Full Seq	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81293	Mlh1 Gene Known Variants	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81294	Mlh1 Gene Dup/Delete Variant	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81295	Msh2 Gene Full Seq	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81296	Msh2 Gene Known Variants	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81297	Msh2 Gene Dup/Delete Variant	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81298	Msh6 Gene Full Seq	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81299	Msh6 Gene Known Variants	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81300	Msh6 Gene Dup/Delete Variant	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81301	Microsatellite Instability	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81302	Mecp2 Gene Full Seq	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81303	Mecp2 Gene Known Variant	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81304	Mecp2 Gene Dup/Delet Variant	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81310	Npm1 Gene	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81315	Pml/Raralpha Com Breakpoints	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81316	Pml/Raralpha 1 Breakpoint	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81317	Pms2 Gene Full Seq Analysis	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81318	Pms2 Known Familial Variants	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81319	Pms2 Gene Dup/Delet Variants	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81330	Smpd1 Gene Common Variants	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81331	Snrpn/Ube3A Gene	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81332	Serpina1 Gene	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81340	Trb@ Gene Rearrange Amplify	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81341	Trb@ Gene Rearrange Dirprobe	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81342	Trg Gene Rearrangement Anal	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81350	Ugt1A1 Gene	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81355	Vkorc1 Gene	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81370	Hla I & li Typing Lr	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81371	Hla I & li Type Verify Lr	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81372	Hla I Typing Complete Lr	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81373	Hla I Typing 1 Locus Lr	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81374	Hla I Typing 1 Antigen Lr	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81375	Hla li Typing Ag Equiv Lr	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab

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81376	Hla Ii Typing 1 Locus Lr	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81377	Hla Ii Type 1 Ag Equiv Lr	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81378	Hla I & Ii Typing Hr	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81379	Hla I Typing Complete Hr	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81380	Hla I Typing 1 Locus Hr	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81381	Hla I Typing 1 Allele Hr	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81382	Hla Ii Typing 1 Loc Hr	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81383	Hla Ii Typing 1 Allele Hr	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81400	Mopath Procedure Level 1	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81401	Mopath Procedure Level 2	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81402	Mopath Procedure Level 3	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81403	Mopath Procedure Level 4	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81404	Mopath Procedure Level 5	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81405	Mopath Procedure Level 6	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81406	Mopath Procedure Level 7	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81407	Mopath Procedure Level 8	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
81408	Mopath Procedure Level 9	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
86386	Nuclear Matrix Protein 22	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
87389	Hiv-1 Ag W/Hiv-1 & Hiv-2 Ab	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
0279T	Ctc Test	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
0280T	Ctc Test W/I & R	Microscopic Lab	Microscopic Lab
0286T	Near Ifr Spectrsc Of Wounds	MRI / MRA	MRI / MRA
78226	Hepatobiliary System Imaging	Nuclear Medicine	Nuclear Medicine
78227	Hepatobil Syst Image W/Drug	Nuclear Medicine	Nuclear Medicine
78579	Lung Ventilation Imaging	Nuclear Medicine	Nuclear Medicine
78582	Lung Ventilat&Perfus Imaging	Nuclear Medicine	Nuclear Medicine
78597	Lung Perfusion Differential	Nuclear Medicine	Nuclear Medicine
78598	Lung Perf&Ventilat Diferentl	Nuclear Medicine	Nuclear Medicine
77424	Io Rad Tx Delivery By X-Ray	Nuclear Medicine	Nuclear Medicine
77425	Io Rad Tx Deliver By Elctrns	Nuclear Medicine	Nuclear Medicine
77469	Io Radiation Tx Management	Nuclear Medicine	Nuclear Medicine
22633	Lumbar Spine Fusion Combined	Scheduled Surgery 1	Scheduled Surgery 1
22634	Spine Fusion Extra Segment	Scheduled Surgery 1	Scheduled Surgery 1
33221	Insert Pulse Gen Mult Leads	Scheduled Surgery 1	Scheduled Surgery 1
33230	Insrt Pulse Gen W/Dual Leads	Scheduled Surgery 1	Scheduled Surgery 1
33231	Insrt Pulse Gen W/Mult Leads	Scheduled Surgery 1	Scheduled Surgery 1
37192	Redo Endovas Vena Cava Filtr	Scheduled Surgery 1	Scheduled Surgery 1
37193	Rem Endovas Vena Cava Filter	Scheduled Surgery 1	Scheduled Surgery 1
0282T	Periph Field Stimul Trial	Scheduled Surgery 1	Scheduled Surgery 1
0283T	Periph Field Stimul Perm	Scheduled Surgery 1	Scheduled Surgery 1
37191	Ins Endovas Vena Cava Filtr	Scheduled Surgery 2	Scheduled Surgery 2
37619	Ligation Of Inf Vena Cava	Scheduled Surgery 2	Scheduled Surgery 2
38232	Bone Marrow Harvest Autolog	Scheduled Surgery 3	Scheduled Surgery 3
0289T	Laser Inc For Pkp/Lkp Donor	Scheduled Surgery 3	Scheduled Surgery 3
0290T	Laser Inc For Pkp/Lkp Recip	Scheduled Surgery 3	Scheduled Surgery 3

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0299T	Esw Wound Healing Init Wound	Scheduled Surgery 3	Scheduled Surgery 3
0300T	Esw Wound Healing Addl Wound	Scheduled Surgery 3	Scheduled Surgery 3
33227	Remove&Replace Pm Gen Singl	Scheduled Surgery 4	Scheduled Surgery 4
33228	Remv&Replc Pm Gen Dual Lead	Scheduled Surgery 4	Scheduled Surgery 4
33229	Remv&Replc Pm Gen Mult Leads	Scheduled Surgery 4	Scheduled Surgery 4
0284T	Periph Field Stimul Revise	Scheduled Surgery 4	Scheduled Surgery 4
0301T	Mw Therapy For Breast Tumor	Scheduled Surgery 4	Scheduled Surgery 4
64635	Destroy Lumb/Sac Facet Jnt	Scheduled Surgery 5	Scheduled Surgery 5
15271	Skin Sub Graft Trnk/Arm/Leg	Scheduled Surgery 6	Scheduled Surgery 6
15272	Skin Sub Graft T/A/L Add-On	Scheduled Surgery 6	Scheduled Surgery 6
15273	Skin Sub Grft T/Arm/Lg Child	Scheduled Surgery 6	Scheduled Surgery 6
15274	Skn Sub Grft T/A/L Child Add	Scheduled Surgery 6	Scheduled Surgery 6
15275	Skin Sub Graft Face/Nk/Hf/G	Scheduled Surgery 6	Scheduled Surgery 6
15276	Skin Sub Graft F/N/Hf/G Addl	Scheduled Surgery 6	Scheduled Surgery 6
15277	Skn Sub Grft F/N/Hf/G Child	Scheduled Surgery 6	Scheduled Surgery 6
15278	Skn Sub Grft F/N/Hf/G Ch Add	Scheduled Surgery 6	Scheduled Surgery 6
15777	Acellular Derm Matrix Implt	Scheduled Surgery 6	Scheduled Surgery 6
20527	Inj Dupuytren Cord W/Enzyme	Scheduled Surgery 6	Scheduled Surgery 6
26341	Manipulat Palm Cord Post Inj	Scheduled Surgery 6	Scheduled Surgery 6
29582	Apply Multlay Compr Upr Leg	Scheduled Surgery 6	Scheduled Surgery 6
29583	Apply Multlay Compr Upr Arm	Scheduled Surgery 6	Scheduled Surgery 6
29584	Appl Multlay Compr Arm/Hand	Scheduled Surgery 6	Scheduled Surgery 6
49082	Abd Paracentesis	Scheduled Surgery 6	Scheduled Surgery 6
49083	Abd Paracentesis W/Imaging	Scheduled Surgery 6	Scheduled Surgery 6
49084	Peritoneal Lavage	Scheduled Surgery 6	Scheduled Surgery 6
62369	Anal Sp Inf Pmp W/Reprg&Fill	Scheduled Surgery 6	Scheduled Surgery 6
62370	Anl Sp Inf Pmp W/Mdreprg&Fil	Scheduled Surgery 6	Scheduled Surgery 6
64633	Destroy Cerv/Thor Facet Jnt	Scheduled Surgery 6	Scheduled Surgery 6
64634	Destroy C/Th Facet Jnt Addl	Scheduled Surgery 6	Scheduled Surgery 6
64636	Destroy L/S Facet Jnt Addl	Scheduled Surgery 6	Scheduled Surgery 6
32096	Open Wedge/Bx Lung Infiltr	Scheduled Surgery 7	Scheduled Surgery 7
32097	Open Wedge/Bx Lung Nodule	Scheduled Surgery 7	Scheduled Surgery 7
32098	Open Biopsy Of Lung Pleura	Scheduled Surgery 7	Scheduled Surgery 7
32505	Wedge Resect Of Lung Initial	Scheduled Surgery 7	Scheduled Surgery 7
32506	Wedge Resect Of Lung Add-On	Scheduled Surgery 7	Scheduled Surgery 7
32507	Wedge Resect Of Lung Diag	Scheduled Surgery 7	Scheduled Surgery 7
32669	Thoracoscopy Remove Segment	Scheduled Surgery 7	Scheduled Surgery 7
32670	Thoracoscopy Bilobectomy	Scheduled Surgery 7	Scheduled Surgery 7
32671	Thoracoscopy Pneumonectomy	Scheduled Surgery 7	Scheduled Surgery 7
33262	Remv&Replc Cvd Gen Sing Lead	Scheduled Surgery 7	Scheduled Surgery 7
33263	Remv&Replc Cvd Gen Dual Lead	Scheduled Surgery 7	Scheduled Surgery 7
33264	Remv&Replc Cvd Gen Mult Lead	Scheduled Surgery 7	Scheduled Surgery 7
36251	Ins Cath Ren Art 1St Unilat	Scheduled Surgery 7	Scheduled Surgery 7
36252	Ins Cath Ren Art 1St Bilat	Scheduled Surgery 7	Scheduled Surgery 7
36253	Ins Cath Ren Art 2Nd+ Unilat	Scheduled Surgery 7	Scheduled Surgery 7

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36254	Ins Cath Ren Art 2Nd+ Bilat	Scheduled Surgery 7	Scheduled Surgery 7
0291T	Iv Oct For Proc Init Vessel	Scheduled Surgery 7	Scheduled Surgery 7
0292T	Iv Oct For Proc Addl Vessel	Scheduled Surgery 7	Scheduled Surgery 7
G0448	Ins/Rpl Prm Cv-Dfib Tv Leads Pace E	Scheduled Surgery 1	Scheduled Surgery 1
0287T	Near Ifr Guide Of Vasc Site	Ultrasound	Ultrasound
0293T	Ins Lt Atrl Press Monitor	Ultrasound	Ultrasound
0294T	Ins Lt Atrl Press Mont Addon	Ultrasound	Ultrasound

Questions?

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