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NEW

cpt Standard

AMA announces the release of the new CPT® 2024 Standard File

The CPT 2024 Standard Data File was released on 9 September 2023. Changes to the Current Procedural Terminology (CPT®) code set are decided through an open editorial process to ensure CPT content reflects the coding and data-driven demands of a modern healthcare system. This year's annual update to the CPT code set created 349 editorial changes, including 230 additions, 49 deletions and 70 revisions. With 11,163 codes that describe the medical procedures and services available to patients, the CPT code set continues to grow and evolve with the rapid pace of innovation in medical science and health technology.

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Read the latest issue of *The CPT Quarterly*, a resource for exploring the capabilities of the CPT code set

The CPT Quarterly explores the many ways that CPT content can support your innovative and committed work toward the betterment of patient care. Published by the American Medical Association (AMA) every few months, please consider this publication another resource for staying current with the CPT code set and keeping pace with the speed of health care.

The CPT code set communicates the medical services defining health care today and helps reduce barriers to the clinical adoption of technologies shaping the future of health care.

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Register for the CPT & RBRVS 2024 Annual Symposium

Join us online from Wednesday, 15 November through Friday, 17 November 2023 to get the first look at the CPT 2024 code set with guidance from the CPT experts, earn continuing education credits and connect with over a thousand of your peers! Plus, build your clinical documentation skillset by attending the virtual pre-event Outpatient CDI Virtual Workshop the day prior to the CPT & RBRVS Symposium on Tuesday, 14 November 2023.

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AMA Update: Putting AI programs into practice

The AMA Update video series covers a range of healthcare topics affecting the lives of physicians, residents, medical students and patients. In this episode, gain insights on implementing an AI program at a health system from an early adopter. Vincent Liu, MD, MS, a senior research scientist and regional medical director of Augmented Clinical Intelligence at Kaiser Permanente, shares how AI is helping save physicians' time and patients' lives, and how health systems can prioritize their AI initiatives.

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WEBINARS/EVENTS

Recent Events

CPT Webinar | Value-Based Care and the CPT Code Set

Recorded on 7 September 2023

The CPT code set is foundational to innovative care models and payment reforms to achieve high-quality and equitable patient care. When new value-based care models emerge, the transparent and evidence-based CPT Editorial Panel process can provide coding solutions that adequately respond to the needs of physicians, health professionals, health systems, policymakers, and payers. View this free webinar recording to learn how the CPT code set supports value-based care through cost and quality measures, digitally enabled care and emerging technologies, and coordination of patient care.

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CPT Webinar | Entrepreneurs & CPT: Powering the Future of Health Care from Ideation to Implementation

Recorded on 31 July 2023

This free AMA webinar focused on supporting innovation with clinical perspective and expertise at the early stages of ideation, design, development, and validation. View this free webinar recording to learn about the programs helping to drive ideas at the forefront of possibility towards implementation by those on the frontlines of our healthcare system, including:

- Physician Innovation Network (PIN), an AMA platform built for the community bringing better healthcare solutions to market.
- CPT Developer Program, which grants access to CPT content for building and testing innovations that will help to improve patient care.
- Health2047, a Silicon Valley innovation firm that helps early-stage startups transform bold ideas into healthy returns.

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Find past recordings in the CPT Webinars portal

Hosted by the AMA, the CPT Webinars series spotlights healthcare topics of today—and tomorrow—by putting CPT coding in conversation with digitally-enabled care, health equity, AI and more. View previously broadcasted webinar recordings on demand, and download presentation slides and additional educational resources including a synthesis of the information presented.

How to download CPT Webinars resources:

1. Go to the [CPT Webinar Portal](#).
2. Select a topic (logging into the webinar may be required, if not previously registered).
3. Locate the Resources module in the bottom left of the screen and click on the PDF listed to download.

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Upcoming Events

CPT Editorial Panel Meeting

New Orleans, Louisiana and Virtual
21-23 September 2023

The CPT Editorial Panel convenes meetings three times per year to solicit the direct input of practicing physicians, medical device manufacturers, developers of the latest diagnostic tests, and advisors from over 100 societies representing physicians and other qualified healthcare professionals. Registration is mandatory whether attending in person or virtually.

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GCC eHealth Workforce Development Conference

Dubai, U.A.E.
1-2 November 2023

AMA speakers Kenneth Brin, MD, past chairman of the CPT Editorial Panel and Dean Parisi, director of Health Solutions, will be presenting during the event forums on the topics of artificial intelligence (AI) and health information exchanges (HIEs) in Dubai.

NEW FROM *CPT ASSISTANT*

CPT Assistant Online is a fully searchable, comprehensive archive of all new and previously published *CPT Assistant* newsletter articles. As the official resource for CPT coding guidance, *CPT Assistant* offers guidance on past, present, and future code set releases via articles and insights on trends in medicine, as well as changing clinical scenarios and FAQs related to the CPT code set.

The **August 2023 issue** includes the following articles:

- Conventions Used in the CPT Code Set
- Reporting Guidance for Codes 22554 and 63081 vs 22551 and 22552
- Coding Brief: Quantitative Pupillometry (95919)
- Questions and Answers

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