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INTRODUCTION

Effective with dates of service January 1, 2003, changes have been made to the Independent Practitioners (IPs) and Local Education Agencies (LEAs) programs to comply with the implementation of national procedure code mandated by the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA). These changes are outlined in this special bulletin.

This special bulletin pertains to only IP and LEA providers. Each service is addressed in a separate section along with a chart explaining the changes to the billing guidelines.

The information pertaining to the prior approval process for these services can be obtained from the September 2002 Special Bulletin V, *Outpatient Specialized Therapies* on the DMA website at http://www.dhhs.state.nc.us/dma.

AUDIOLOGY SERVICES

Local Education Agencies (LEAs)

Assessment

Service may include testing and/or clinical observation, as appropriate for the chronological or developmental age for one or more of the following areas, and shall yield a written report.

- auditory sensitivity, including pure tone air and bone conduction, speech detection, and speech reception thresholds
- auditory discrimination in quiet and noise
- impedance audiometry, including tympanometry and acoustic reflex
- hearing aid evaluation
- central auditory function
- auditory brainstem evoked response (ABR)

CPT Code Conversion

Y2401 (Audiology Assessment) is replaced with one or any combination of the following CPT codes:

- 92551 Screening test, pure tone, air only
- 92552 Pure tone audiometry (threshold); air only
- 92553 Pure tone audiometry (threshold); air and bone
- 92555 Speech audiometry threshold
- 92556 Speech audiometry threshold; with speech recognition
- 92557 Comprehensive audiometry threshold evaluation and speech recognition (92553 and 92556 combined)
- 92567 Tympanometry (impedance testing)
- 92568 Acoustic reflex testing
- 92569 Acoustic reflex decay testing
- 92571 Filtered speech test
- 92572 Staggered spondaic word test
- 92576 Synthetic sentence identification test
- 92579 Visual reinforcement audiometry (VRA)
- 92582 Conditioning play audiometry
- 92583 Select picture audiometry
- 92585 Auditory evoked otoacoustic potentials for evoked response audiometry and/or testing of the central nervous system; comprehensive
- 92587 Evoked otoacoustic emissions; limited (single stimulus level, either transient or distortion products)
- 92588 Evoked otoacoustic emissions; comprehensive or diagnostic evaluation (comparison of transient and/or distortion product otoacoustic emissions at multiple levels and frequencies)
- 92589 *Central auditory function test(s) (specify)*
- 92590 Hearing aid examination and selection; monaural
- 92591 *Hearing aid examination and selection; binaural*
- 92592 *Hearing aid check; monaural*
- 92593 Hearing aid check; binaural
- 92594 Electroacoustic evaluation for hearing aid; monaural
- 92595 Electroacoustic evaluation for hearing aid; binaural

Treatment

Service may include one or more of the following, as appropriate:

- auditory training
- speech reading
- aural rehabilitation, including hearing aid and cochlear implant orientation and fitting adjustments
- augmentative communication

CPT Code Conversion

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Y2402 (Audiology Treatment) is replaced with any combination of the following CPT codes:
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- 92507 Treatment of speech, language, voice, communication, and/or auditory processing disorder (includes aural rehabilitation); individual
- 92510 Aural rehabilitation following cochlear implant (includes evaluation of aural rehabilitation status and hearing, therapeutic services) with or without speech processor programming

Independent Practitioners (IPs)

Assessment

Service may include testing and/or clinical observation, as appropriate for the chronological or developmental age, for one or more of the following areas, and shall yield a written evaluation report.

- auditory sensitivity, including pure tone air and bone conduction, speech detection, and speech reception thresholds
- auditory discrimination in quiet and noise
- impedance audiometry, including tympanometry and acoustic reflex testing
- hearing aid evaluation, including amplification selection and verification
- central auditory function
- evoked otoacoustic emissions
- brainstem auditory evoked response (ABR)

CPT Code Conversion

Y2401 (Audiology Assessment) is replaced with one or any combination of the following CPT codes:

- 92551 Screening test, pure tone, air only
- 92552 Pure tone audiometry (threshold); air only
- 92553 Pure tone audiometry (threshold); air and bone
- 92555 Speech audiometry threshold
- 92556 Speech audiometry threshold; with speech recognition
- 92557 Comprehensive audiometry threshold evaluation and speech recognition (92553 and 92556 combined)
- 92567 *Tympanometry (impedance testing)*
- 92568 Acoustic reflex testing
- 92569 Acoustic reflex decay testing
- 92571 Filtered speech test
- 92572 Staggered spondaic word test
- 92576 Synthetic sentence identification test
- 92579 Visual reinforcement audiometry (VRA)
- 92582 *Conditioning play audiometry*
- 92583 Select picture audiometry
- 92585 Auditory evoked otoacoustic potentials for evoked response audiometry and/or testing of the central nervous system; comprehensive
- 92587 Evoked otoacoustic emissions; limited (single stimulus level, either transient or distortion products)
- 92588 Evoked otoacoustic emissions; comprehensive or diagnostic evaluation (comparison of transient and/or distortion product otoacoustic emissions at multiple levels and frequencies)
- 92589 *Central auditory function test(s) (specify)*
- 92590 Hearing aid examination and selection; monaural
- 92591 Hearing aid examination and selection; binaural
- 92592 Hearing aid check; monaural
- 92593 Hearing aid check; binaural
- 92594 Electroacoustic evaluation for hearing aid; monaural
- 92595 Electroacoustic evaluation for hearing aid; binaural

Treatment

Service may include one or more of the following, as appropriate:

- auditory training
- speech reading
- augmentative and alternative communication training, including sign language and cued speech training
- aural rehabilitation, including hearing aid, FM system, assistive listening device, and/or cochlear implant device training

CPT Code Conversion

Y2402 (Audiology treatment) is replaced with one or any combination of the following CPT codes:

- 92507 Treatment of speech, language, voice, communication, and/or auditory processing disorder (includes aural rehabilitation); individual
- 92510 Aural rehabilitation following cochlear implant (includes evaluation of aural rehabilitation status and hearing, therapeutic services) with or without speech processor programming

BILLING GUIDE FOR AUDIOLOGY SERVICES

Local Education Agencies	Independent Practitioners
Claim Form Type: CMS-1500	Claim Form Type: CMS-1500
Prior Approval for Evaluations: Not required	Prior Approval for Evaluations: Not required
Prior Approval for Treatments: Not required	Prior Approval for Treatments: Required
Assessment: Billed on one claim form	Assessment: Billed on one claim form
Treatments: Billed on a separate claim form	Treatments: Billed on a separate claim form
CMS-1500 Instructions	CMS-1500 Instructions
Block #1: Type of Coverage	Block #1: Type of Coverage
Block #1A: Medicaid Identification Number	Block #1A: Medicaid Identification Number
Block #2: Patient's Name	Block #2: Patient's Name
Block #3: Patient's Date of Birth	Block #3: Patient's Date of Birth
Block #5: Patient's Address/Telephone	Block #5: Patient's Address/Telephone
Block #10: If applicable to patient's condition	Block #10: If applicable to patient's condition
Block #19: Carolina ACCESS referral not	Block #15: If DEC referred, enter date of
required	physician's order
Block #21: ICD-9-CM diagnosis appropriate for	Block #19: Carolina ACCESS referral is required
service provided	Block #21: ICD-9-CM diagnosis appropriate for
Block #24A: Date of Service	service provided
Block #24B: Place of Service	Block #24A: Date of Service
99 - School, Head Start, Child Care	Block #24B: Place of Service
Block #24C: Type of Service	11 - Office
Enter 01 or leave blank	12 - Home
Block #24D:	99 - School, Head Start, Child Care
Assessment =	Block #24C: Type of Service
92551 (1 unit = 1 event)	Enter 01 or leave blank
92552 (1 unit = 1 event)	Block #24D:
92553 (1 unit = 1 event)	Assessment =
92555 (1 unit = 1 event)	92551 (1 unit = 1 event)
92556 (1 unit = 1 event)	92552 (1 unit = 1 event)
92557 (1 unit = 1 event)	92553 (1 unit = 1 event)
92567 (1 unit = 1 event)	92555 (1 unit = 1 event)
92568 (1 unit = 1 event)	92556 (1 unit = 1 event)
92569 (1 unit = 1 event)	92557 (1 unit = 1 event)
92571 (1 unit = 1 event)	92567 (1 unit = 1 event)
92572 (1 unit = 1 event)	92568 (1 unit = 1 event)
92576 (1 unit = 1 event)	92569 (1 unit = 1 event)
92579 (1 unit = 1 event)	92571 (1 unit = 1 event)
92582 (1 unit = 1 event)	92572 (1 unit = 1 event)
92583 (1 unit = 1 event)	92576 (1 unit = 1 event)
92585 (1 unit = 1 event)	92579 (1 unit = 1 event)
92587 (1 unit = 1 event)	92582 (1 unit = 1 event)
92588 (1 unit = 1 event)	92583 (1 unit = 1 event)
92589 (1 unit = 1 event)	92585 (1 unit = 1 event)
92590 (1 unit = 1 event)	92587 (1 unit = 1 event)
92591 (1 unit = 1 event)	92588 (1 unit = 1 event)
92592 (1 unit = 1 event)	92589 (1 unit = 1 event)

CMS-1500 Instructions, continued

Local Education Agencies	Independent Practitioners
Block #24D:	Block #24D:
Assessment =	Assessment =
92593 (1 unit = 1 event)	92590 (1 unit = 1 event)
92594 (1 unit = 1 event)	92591 (1 unit = 1 event)
92595 (1 unit = 1 event)	92592 (1 unit = 1 event)
Treatment =	92593 (1 unit = 1 event)
92507 (1 unit = 1 event)	92594 (1 unit = 1 event)
92510 (1 unit = 1 event)	92595 (1 unit = 1 event)
Block #24F: Charges	Treatment =
Block #24G: Enter number of unit(s)	92507 (1 unit = 1 event)
Block #28: Total Charges	92510 (1 unit = 1 event)
Block #29: Enter if a third party made payment	Block #24F: Charges
Block #30: Balance due	Block #24G: Enter number of unit(s)
Block #31: Signature of provider	Block #28: Total Charges
Block #33: Enter Provider Number	Block #29: Enter if a third party made payment
	Block #30: Balance due
	Block #31: Signature of provider
	Block #33: Provider Number
	Individual Provider Number = PIN
	Group Provider Number = GRP

SPEECH/LANGUAGE SERVICES

Local Education Agencies (LEAs)

Assessment

Service may include testing and/or clinical observation, as appropriate for the chronological or developmental age, for **all** the following areas of functioning, and shall yield a written report.

- receptive and expressive language
- auditory memory, discrimination, and processing
- vocal quality and resonance patterns
- phonological development
- pragmatic language
- rhythm/fluency
- oral mechanism
- swallowing assessment
- augmentative communication
- hearing status based on pass/fail criteria

CPT Code Conversion

Y2403 (Speech/Language Assessment) is replaced with one or any combination of the following CPT codes:

- 92506 Evaluation of speech, language, voice, communication, auditory processing, and/or aural rehabilitation status
- 92551 Screening test, pure tone, air only
- 92610 Evaluation of oral and pharangeal swallowing function
- G0193 Endoscopic study of swallowing function (FEES)
- G0195 Clinical evaluation of swallowing function
- G0197 Evaluation of patient for prescription of speech generating devices
- G0199 Re-evaluation of patient using speech generating devices

Treatment

Service includes one or more of the following, as appropriate:

- articulation therapy
- language therapy; receptive and expressive language
- augmentative communication training
- auditory processing, discrimination, and training
- fluency training
- disorders of speech flow
- voice therapy
- oral motor training; swallowing therapy
- speech reading

CPT Code Conversion

Y2404 (Speech/Language Treatment Individual) is replaced with one or any combination of the following CPT codes:

- 92507 Treatment of speech, language, voice, communication, and/or auditory processing disorder (includes aural rehabilitation); individual
- 92510 Aural rehabilitation following cochlear implant (includes evaluation of aural rehabilitation status and hearing, therapeutic services) with or without speech processor programming
- 92526 Treatment of swallowing dysfunction and/or oral function for feeding
- G0198 Patient adaptation and training for use of speech generating devices

Y2411, Y2412, Y2413 (Speech/Language Group) is replaced with one or any combination of the following CPT codes:

92508 Treatment of speech, language, voice, communication, and/or auditory processing disorder (includes aural rehabilitation); group, two or more individuals

Independent Practitioners (IPs)

Assessment

Service must include testing and/or clinical observation, as appropriate for the chronological or developmental age, for **all** the following areas, and shall yield a written evaluation report.

- expressive language
- receptive language
- auditory processing, discrimination, and memory
- augmentative and alternative communication
- vocal quality
- resonance patterns
- articulation/phonological development
- pragmatic language
- rhythm/fluency
- oral mechanism/swallowing
- hearing status based on pass/fail criteria
- **Note:** Any of the above named areas of functioning may also be addressed as a specialized assessment, following a performance of the overall evaluation of the child's speech/language skills.

CPT Code Conversion

Y2403 (Speech/Language Assessment) is replaced with one or any combination of the following CPT codes:

- 92506 Evaluation of speech, language, voice, communication, auditory processing, and/or aural rehabilitation status
- 92551 Screening test, pure tone, air only
- 92610 Evaluation of oral and pharangeal swallowing function
- G0193 Endoscopic study of swallowing function (FEES)
- G0195 Clinical evaluation of swallowing function
- G0197 Evaluation of patient for prescription of speech generating devices
- G0199 *Re-evaluation of patient using speech generating devices*

Treatment

Service may include one or more of the following, as appropriate:

- articulation/phonological training
- language therapy
- augmentative and alternative communication training
- auditory processing/discrimination training
- fluency training
- voice therapy
- oral motor training; swallowing therapy
- speech reading

CPT Code Conversion

Y2404 (Speech/Language Treatment Individual) is replaced with one or any combination of the following CPT codes:

- 92507 Treatment of speech, language, voice, communication, and/or auditory processing disorder (includes aural rehabilitation); individual
- 92510 Aural rehabilitation following cochlear implant (includes evaluation of aural rehabilitation status and hearing, therapeutic services) with or without speech processor programming
- 92526 Treatment of swallowing dysfunction and/or oral function for feeding
- G0198 Patient adaptation and training for use of speech generating devices

Y2411, Y2412, Y2413 (Speech/Language Group) are replaced with one or any combination of the following CPT codes:

92508 Treatment of speech, language, voice, communication, and/or auditory processing disorder (includes aural rehabilitation); group, two or more individuals

BILLING GUIDE FOR SPEECH/LANGUAGE SERVICES

Local Education Agencies	Independent Practitioners
Claim Form Type: CMS-1500	Claim Form Type: CMS-1500
Prior Approval for Evaluations: Not required	Prior Approval for Evaluations: Not required
Prior Approval for Treatments: Not required	Prior Approval for Treatments: Required
Assessment: Billed on one claim form	Assessment: Billed on one claim form
Treatments: Billed on a separate claim form	Treatments: Billed on a separate claim form
CMS-1500 Instructions	CMS-1500 Instructions
Block #1: Type of Coverage	Block #1: Type of Coverage
Block #1A: Medicaid Identification Number	Block #1A: Medicaid Identification Number
Block #2: Patient's Name	Block #2: Patient's Name
Block #3: Patient's Date of Birth	Block #3: Patient's Date of Birth
Block #5: Patient's Address/Telephone	Block #5: Patient's Address/Telephone
Block #10: If applicable to patient's condition	Block #10: If applicable to patient's condition
Block #19: Carolina ACCESS referral not	Block #15: If DEC referred, enter date of
required	physician's order
Block #21: ICD-9-CM diagnosis appropriate for	Block #19: Carolina ACCESS referral is required
service provided	Block #21: ICD-9-CM diagnosis appropriate for
Block #24A: Date of Service	service provided
Block #24B: Place of Service	Block #24A: Date of Service
99 - School, Head Start, Child Care	Block #24B: Place of Service
Block #24C: Type of Service	11 - Office
Enter 01 or leave blank	12 - Home
Block #24D:	99 - School, Head Start, Child Care
Assessment =	Block #24C: Type of Service
92506 (1 unit = 1 event)	Enter 01 or leave blank
92551 (1 unit = 1 event)	Block #24D:
92610 (1 unit = 1 event)	Assessment =
G0193 (1 unit = 1 event)	92506 (1 unit = 1 event)
G0195 (1 unit = 1 event)	92551 (1 unit = 1 event)
G0197 (1 unit = 1 event)	92610 (1 unit = 1 event)
G0199 (1 unit = 1 event)	G0193 (1 unit = 1 event)
Treatment =	G0195 (1 unit = 1 event)
92507 (1 unit = 1 event)	G0197 (1 unit = 1 event)
92508 (1 unit = 1 event)	G0199 (1 unit = 1 event)
92510 (1 unit = 1 event)	Treatment =
92526 (1 unit = 1 event)	92507 (1 unit = 1 event)
G0198 (1 unit = 1 event)	92508 (1 unit = 1 event)
Block #24F: Charges	92510 (1 unit = 1 event)
Block #24G: Enter number of unit(s)	92526 (1 unit = 1 event)
Block #28: Total Charges	G0198 (1 unit = 1 event)
Block #29: Enter if a third party made payment	Block #24F: Charges
Block #30: Balance due	Block #24G: Enter number of unit(s)
Block #31: Signature of provider	Block #28: Total Charges
Block #33: Enter Provider Number	Block #29: Enter if a third party made payment
	Block #30: Balance due
	Block #31: Signature of provider
	Block #33: Provider Number
	Individual Provider Number = PIN
	Group Provider Number = GRP

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY SERVICES

Local Education Agencies (LEAs)

Assessment

Service may include testing and/or clinical observation, as appropriate for the chronological or developmental age, for one or more of the following areas of functioning, and shall yield a written report.

- activities of daily living assessment
- sensorimotor assessment
- neuromuscular assessment
- fine motor assessment
- feeding/oral motor assessment
- visual perceptual assessment
- perceptual motor development assessment
- musculoskeletal assessment
- gross motor assessment
- functional mobility assessment
- pre-vocational assessment

CPT Code Conversion

Y2405 (Occupational Therapy Assessment) is replaced with one or any combination of the following CPT codes:

- 97003 Occupational therapy evaluation
- 97004 Occupational therapy re-evaluation
- 92610 Evaluation of swallowing and oral function for feeding
- 95831 Muscle testing, manual (separate procedure) with report; extremity (excluding hand) or trunk
- 95832 Muscle testing, manual (separate procedure) with report; hand, with or without comparison with normal side
- 95833 Muscle testing, manual (separate procedure) with report; total evaluation of body, excluding hands
- 95834 Muscle testing, manual (separate procedure) with report; total evaluation of body, including hands
- 97703 Checkout for orthotic/prosthetic use, established patient, each 15 minutes
- 97750 *Physical performance test or measurement (eg, musculoskeletal, functional capacity), with written report*

Treatment

Service may include one or more of the following, as appropriate:

- activities of daily living training
- sensory integration
- neuromuscular development
- muscle strengthening, endurance training
- feeding/oral motor training
- adaptive equipment application
- visual perceptual training
- facilitation of gross motor skills
- facilitation of fine motor skills
- fabrication and application of splinting and orthotic devices

- manual therapy techniques
- sensorimotor training
- pre-vocational training
- functional mobility training
- perceptual motor training

CPT Code Conversion

Y2406 (Occupational Therapy Treatment) is replaced with one or any combination of the following CPT codes:

- 29075 Application, cast; figure-of-eight elbow to finger (short arm)
- 29085 Application, cast; figure-of-eight hand and lower forearm (gauntlet)
- 29105 Application of long arm splint (shoulder to hand)
- 29125 Application of short arm splint (forearm to hand); static
- 29126 Application of short arm splint (forearm to hand); dynamic
- 29130 Application of finger splint; static
- 29131 Application of finger splint; dynamic
- 29240 Strapping; shoulder (eg, Velpeau)
- 29260 Strapping; elbow or wrist
- 29280 Strapping; hand or finger
- 29530 Strapping; knee
- 29540 Strapping; ankle and/or foot
- 92065 Orthoptic and/or pleoptic training, with continuing medical direction and evaluation
- 92526 Treatment of swallowing dysfunction and/or oral function for feeding
- 97110 Therapeutic procedure, one or more areas, each 15 minutes; therapeutic exercises to develop strength and endurance, range of motion and flexibility
- 97112 Therapeutic procedure, one or more areas, each 15 minutes; neuromuscular re-education of movement, balance, coordination, kinesthetic sense, posture, and/or proprioception for sitting and/or standing activities
- 97116 Therapeutic procedure, one or more areas, each 15 minutes; gait training (includes stair climbing
- 97140 Manual therapy techniques (eg, mobilization/manipulation, manual lymphatic drainage, manual traction), one or more regions, each 15 minutes
- 97504 Orthotic(s) fitting and training, upper extremity(ies), lower extremity(ies), and/or trunk, each 15 minutes
- 97520 Prosthetic training, upper and/or lower extremities, each 15 minutes
- 97530 Therapeutic activities, direct (one-on-one) patient contact by the provider (use of dynamic activities to improve functional performance), each 15 minutes
- 97533 Sensory integrative activities to enhance sensory processing and promote adaptive response to environmental demands, direct (one-on-one) patient contact by the provider, each 15 minutes
- 97535 Self-care/home management training (eg, activities of daily living (ADL)and compensatory training, meal preparation, safety procedures, and instructions in use of assistive technology devices/adaptive equipment) direct one-on-one contact by the provider, each 15 minutes
- 97542 Wheelchair management/propulsion training, each 15 minutes

Independent Practitioners (IPs)

Assessment

Service may include testing and/or clinical observation, as appropriate for the chronological or developmental age, for one or more of the following areas, and shall yield a written evaluation report.

- activities of daily living assessment
- sensorimotor assessment
- neuromuscular assessment
- fine motor assessment
- feeding/oral motor assessment
- visual perceptual assessment
- perceptual motor development assessment
- musculoskeletal assessment
- gross motor assessment
- functional mobility assessment
- pre-vocational assessment

CPT Code Conversion

Y2405 (Occupational Therapy Assessment) is replaced with one or any combination of the following CPT codes:

- 97003 Occupational therapy evaluation
- 97004 Occupational therapy re-evaluation
- 92610 Evaluation of oral and pharangeal swallowing function
- 95831 Muscle testing, manual (separate procedure) with report; extremity (excluding hand) or trunk
- 95832 Muscle testing, manual (separate procedure) with report; hand, with or without comparison with normal side
- 95833 Muscle testing, manual (separate procedure) with report; total evaluation of body, excluding hands
- 95834 Muscle testing, manual (separate procedure) with report; total evaluation of body, including hands
- 97703 Checkout for orthotic/prosthetic use, established patient, each 15 minutes
- 97750 *Physical performance test or measurement (eg, musculoskeletal, functional capacity), with written report*

Treatment

Service may include one or more of the following, as appropriate:

- activities of daily living training
- neuromuscular development
- muscle strengthening, endurance training
- feeding/oral motor training
- adaptive equipment application
- visual perceptual training
- facilitation of gross motor skills
- facilitation of fine motor skills

- fabrication and application of splinting and orthotic devices
- manual therapy techniques
- sensorimotor training
- pre-vocational training
- functional mobility training
- perceptual motor training

CPT Code Conversion

Y2406 (Occupational Therapy Treatment) is replaced with one or any combination of the following CPT codes:

- 29075 Application, cast; figure-of-eight elbow to finger (short arm)
- 29085 Application, cast; figure-of-eight hand and lower forearm (gauntlet)
- 29105 Application of long arm splint (shoulder to hand)
- 29125 Application of short arm splint (forearm to hand); static
- 29126 Application of short arm splint (forearm to hand); dynamic
- 29130 Application of finger splint; static
- 29131 Application of finger splint; dynamic
- 29240 Strapping; shoulder (eg, Velpeau)
- 29260 Strapping; elbow or wrist
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- 92526 Treatment of swallowing dysfunction and/or oral function for feeding
- 97110 Therapeutic procedure, one or more areas, each 15 minutes; therapeutic exercises to develop strength and endurance, range of motion and flexibility
- 97112 Therapeutic procedure, one or more areas, each 15 minutes; neuromuscular re-education of movement, balance, coordination, kinesthetic sense, posture, and/or proprioception for sitting and/or standing activities
- 97116 Therapeutic procedure, one or more areas, each 15 minutes; gait training (includes stair climbing
- 97140 Manual therapy techniques (eg, mobilization/manipulation, manual lymphatic drainage, manual traction), one or more regions, each 15 minutes
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- 97530 Therapeutic activities, direct (one-on-one) patient contact by the provider (use of dynamic activities to improve functional performance), each 15 minutes
- 97533 Sensory integrative activities to enhance sensory processing and promote adaptive response to environmental demands, direct (one-on-one) patient contact by the provider, each 15 minutes
- 97535 Self-care/home management training (eg, activities of daily living (ADL) and compensatory training, meal preparation, safety procedures, and instructions in use of assistive technology devices/adaptive equipment) direct one-on-one contact by the provider, each 15 minutes
- 97542 Wheelchair management/propulsion training, each 15 minutes

BILLING GUIDE FOR OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY SERVICES

Local Education Agencies	Independent Practitioners
Claim Form Type: CMS-1500	Claim Form Type: CMS-1500
Prior Approval for Evaluations: Not required	Prior Approval for Evaluations: Not required
Prior Approval for Treatments: Not required	Prior Approval for Treatments: Required
Assessment: Billed on one claim form	Assessment: Billed on one claim form
Treatments: Billed on a separate claim form	Treatments: Billed on a separate claim form
Local Education Agencies	Independent Practitioners
Block #1: Type of Coverage	Block #1: Type of Coverage
Block #1A: Medicaid Identification Number	Block #1A: Medicaid Identification Number
Block #2: Patient's Name	Block #2: Patient's Name
Block #3: Patient's Date of Birth	Block #3: Patient's Date of Birth
Block #5: Patient's Address/Telephone	Block #5: Patient's Address/Telephone
Block #10: If applicable to patient's condition	Block #10: If applicable to patient's condition
Block #19: Carolina ACCESS referral not	Block #15: If DEC referred, enter date of
required	physician's order
Block #21: ICD-9-CM diagnosis appropriate for	Block #19: Carolina ACCESS referral is required
service provided Block #24A: Date of Service	Block #21: ICD-9-CM diagnosis appropriate for
	service provided Block #24A: Date of Service
Block #24B: Place of Service	
99 - School, Head Start, Child Care	Block #24B: Place of Service 11 - Office
Block #24C: Type of Service	
Enter 01 or leave blank	12 - Home
Block #24D:	99 - School, Head Start, Child Care
Assessment = $02(10)(1)$ unit (1) event)	Block 24C: Type of Service
92610 (1 unit = 1 event)	Enter 01 or leave blank
95831 (1 unit = 1 event)	Block 24D:
95832 (1 unit = 1 event) 95822 (1 unit = 1 event)	Assessment = $02610(1)$ unit = 1 event)
95833 (1 unit = 1 event) 95834 (1 unit = 1 event)	92610 (1 unit = 1 event)
97003 (1 unit = 1 event)	95831 (1 unit = 1 event) 95832 (1 unit = 1 event)
97003 (1 unit = 1 event) 97004 (1 unit = 1 event)	95832 (1 unit = 1 event) 95833 (1 unit = 1 event)
97703 (1 unit = 15 minutes)	95835 (1 unit = 1 event) 95834 (1 unit = 1 event)
97750 (1 unit = 15 minutes) 97750 (1 unit = 15 minutes)	93834 (1 unit = 1 event) 97003 (1 unit = 1 event)
Treatment =	97003 (1 unit = 1 event) 97004 (1 unit = 1 event)
92065 (1 unit = 1 event)	97703 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
92505 (1 unit = 1 event) 92526 (1 unit = 1 event)	97750 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
97110 (1 unit = 15 minutes)	Treatment =
97110 (1 unit = 15 minutes) 97112 (1 unit = 15 minutes)	92065 (1 unit = 1 event)
97112 (1 unit = 15 minutes) 97116 (1 unit = 15 minutes)	92505 (1 unit = 1 event) 92526 (1 unit = 1 event)
97140 (1 unit = 15 minutes) 97140 (1 unit = 15 minutes)	97110 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
97504 (1 unit = 15 minutes)	97110 (1 unit = 15 minutes) 97112 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
97542 (1 unit = 15 minutes)	97112 (1 unit = 15 minutes) 97116 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
97542 (1 unit = 15 minutes) 97520 (1 unit = 15 minutes)	97140 (1 unit = 15 minutes) 97140 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
97530 (1 unit = 15 minutes)	97504 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
97533 (1 unit = 15 minutes)	97542 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
97535 (1 unit = 15 minutes)	97520 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
29075 (1 unit = 1 event)	97530 (1 unit = 15 minutes) 97530 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
	77550 (1 unit – 15 minutes)

CMS-1500 Instructions	continued
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Local Education Agencies	Independent Practitioners
Block 24D:	Block 24D:
Treatment =	Treatment =
29085 (1 unit = 1 event)	97533 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
29105 (1 unit = 1 event)	97535 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
29125 (1 unit = 1 event)	29075 (1 unit = 1 event)
29126 (1 unit = 1 event)	29085 (1 unit = 1 event)
29130 (1 unit = 1 event)	29105 (1 unit = 1 event)
29131 (1 unit = 1 event)	29125 (1 unit = 1 event)
29240 (1 unit = 1 event)	29126 (1 unit = 1 event)
29260 (1 unit = 1 event)	29130 (1 unit = 1 event)
29280 (1 unit = 1 event)	29131 (1 unit = 1 event)
29530 (1 unit = 1 event)	29240 (1 unit = 1 event)
29540 (1 unit = 1 event)	29260 (1 unit = 1 event)
Block #24F: Charges	29280 (1 unit = 1 event)
Block #24G: Enter number of unit(s)	29530 (1 unit = 1 event)
Block #28: Total Charges	29540 (1 unit = 1 event)
Block #29: Enter if a third party made payment	Block #24F: Charges
Block #30: Balance due	Block #24G: Enter number of unit(s)
Block #31: Signature of provider	Block #28: Total Charges
Block #33: Enter Provider Number	Block #29: Enter if a third party made payment
	Block #30: Balance due
	Block #31: Signature of provider
	Block #33: Provider Number
	Individual Provider Number = PIN
	Group Provider Number = GRP
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PHYSICAL THERAPY SERVICES

Local Education Agencies (LEAs)

Assessment

Service may include testing and/or clinical observation, as appropriate for the chronological or developmental age, for one or more of the following areas of functioning, and shall yield a written report.

- neuromotor assessment
- range of motion, joint integrity and functional mobility, flexibility assessment
- gait, balance, and coordination assessment
- posture and body mechanics assessment
- soft tissue assessment
- pain assessment
- cranial nerve assessment
- clinical electromyographic assessment
- nerve conduction, latency and velocity assessment
- manual muscle test
- activities of daily living assessment
- cardiac assessment
- pulmonary assessment
- sensory motor assessment
- feed/oral motor assessment

CPT Codes Conversion

Y2407 (Physical Therapy Assessment) is replaced with one or any combination of the following CPT codes:

- 97001 *Physical therapy evaluation*
- 97002 Physical therapy re-evaluation
- 92610 Evaluation of oral and pharangeal swallowing function
- 95831 Muscle testing, manual (separate procedure) with report; extremity (excluding hand) or trunk
- 95832 Muscle testing, manual (separate procedure) with report; hand, with or without comparison with normal side
- 95833 Muscle testing, manual (separate procedure) with report; total evaluation of body, excluding hands
- 95834 Muscle testing, manual (separate procedure) with report; total evaluation of body, including hands
- 97703 Checkout for orthotic/prosthetic use, established patient, each 15 minutes
- 97750 *Physical performance test or measurement (eg, musculoskeletal, functional capacity), with written report, each 15 minutes*

Treatment

Service may include one or more of the following, as appropriate:

- manual therapy techniques
- fabrication and application of orthotic devices
- therapeutic exercise
- functional training
- facilitation of motor milestones
- sensory motor training
- cardiac training
- pulmonary enhancement
- adaptive equipment application
- feeding/oral motor training
- activities of daily living training
- gait training
- posture and body mechanics training
- muscle strengthening
- gross motor development
- modalities
- therapeutic procedures
- hydrotherapy
- manual manipulation

CPT Code Conversion

Y2408 (Physical Therapy Treatment) is replaced with one or any combination of the following CPT codes:

- 29075 Application, cast; figure-of-eight elbow to finger (short arm)
- 29085 Application, cast; figure-of-eight hand and lower forearm (gauntlet)
- 29105 Application of long arm splint (shoulder to hand)
- 29125 Application of short arm splint (forearm to hand); static
- 29126 Application of short arm splint (forearm to hand); dynamic
- 29130 Application of finger splint; static
- 29131 Application of finger splint; dynamic
- 29240 Strapping; shoulder (eg, Velpeau)
- 29260 Strapping; elbow or wrist
- 29280 Strapping; hand or finger
- 29405 Application of short leg cast (below knee to toes)
- 29505 Application of long leg splint (thigh to ankle or toes)
- 29515 Application of short leg splint (calf to foot)
- 29530 Strapping; knee

- 29540 Strapping; ankle and/or foot
- 92526 Treatment of swallowing dysfunction and/or oral function for feeding
- 97110 Therapeutic procedure, one or more areas, each 15 minutes; therapeutic exercises to develop strength and endurance, range of motion and flexibility
- 97112 Therapeutic procedure, one or more areas, each 15 minutes; neuromuscular re-education of movement, balance, coordination, kinesthetic sense, posture, and/or proprioception for sitting and/or standing activities
- 97116 Therapeutic procedure, one or more areas, each 15 minutes; gait training (includes stair climbing
- 97140 Manual therapy techniques (eg, mobilization/manipulation, manual lymphatic drainage, manual traction), one or more regions, each 15 minutes
- 97504 Orthotic(s) fitting and training, upper extremity(ies), lower extremity(ies), and/or trunk, each 15 minutes
- 97520 Prosthetic training, upper and/or lower extremities, each 15 minutes
- 97530 Therapeutic activities, direct (one-on-one) patient contact by the provider (use of dynamic activities to improve functional performance), each 15 minutes
- 97533 Sensory integrative activities to enhance sensory processing and promote adaptive response to environmental demands, direct (one-on-one) patient contact by the provider, each 15 minutes
- 97535 Self-care/home management training (eg, activities of daily living (ADL)and compensatory training, meal preparation, safety procedures, and instructions in use of assistive technology devices/adaptive equipment) direct one-on-one contact by the provider, each 15 minutes
- 97542 Wheelchair management/propulsion training, each 15 minutes

Independent Practitioners (IPs)

Assessment

Service may include testing and/or clinical observation, as appropriate for the chronological or developmental age, for one or more of the following areas, and shall yield a written evaluation report.

- neuromotor assessment
- range of motion, joint integrity, functional mobility, and flexibility assessment
- gait, balance, and coordination assessment
- posture and body mechanics assessment
- soft tissue assessment
- pain assessment
- cranial nerve assessment
- clinical electromyographic assessment
- nerve conduction, latency and velocity assessment
- manual muscle test
- reflex integrity
- activities of daily living assessment
- cardiac assessment
- pulmonary assessment
- sensory motor assessment
- feeding/oral motor assessment

CPT Code Conversion

Y2407 (Physical Therapy Assessment) is replaced with one or any combination of the following CPT codes:

97001	Physical therapy evaluation
97002	Physical therapy re-evaluation
92610	Evaluation of oral and pharangeal swallowing function
95831	Muscle testing, manual (separate procedure) with report; extremity (excluding hand) or trunk
95832	Muscle testing, manual (separate procedure) with report; hand, with or without comparison with normal side
95833	Muscle testing, manual (separate procedure) with report; total evaluation of body, excluding hands
95834	Muscle testing, manual (separate procedure) with report; total evaluation of body, including hands
97703	Checkout for orthotic/prosthetic use, established patient, each 15 minutes
97750	<i>Physical performance test or measurement (eg, musculoskeletal, functional capacity), with written report, each 15 minutes</i>

Treatment

Service may include one or more of the following, as appropriate:

- manual therapy techniques
- fabrication and application of orthotic device
- therapeutic exercise
- functional training
- facilitation of motor milestones
- sensory motor training
- cardiac training
- pulmonary enhancement
- adaptive equipment application
- feeding/oral motor training
- activities of daily living training
- gait training
- posture and body mechanics training
- muscle strengthening
- gross motor development
- modalities
- therapeutic procedures
- hydrotherapy
- manual manipulation
- wheelchair management

CPT Code Conversion

Y2408 (Physical Therapy Treatment) is replaced with one or any combination of the following CPT codes:

- 29075 Application, cast; figure-of-eight elbow to finger (short arm)
- 29085 Application, cast; figure-of-eight hand and lower forearm (gauntlet)
- 29105 Application of long arm splint (shoulder to hand)
- 29125 Application of short arm splint (forearm to hand); static
- 29126 Application of short arm splint (forearm to hand); dynamic
- 29130 Application of finger splint; static
- 29131 Application of finger splint; dynamic
- 29240 Strapping; shoulder (eg, Velpeau)
- 29260 Strapping; elbow or wrist
- 29280 Strapping; hand or finger
- 29405 Application of short leg cast (below knee to toes)
- 29425 Application of short leg cast (below knee to toes); walking or ambulatory type
- 29505 Application of long leg splint (thigh to ankle or toes)
- 29515 Application of short leg splint (calf to foot)
- 29530 Strapping; knee
- 29540 Strapping; ankle
- 92526 Treatment of swallowing dysfunction and/or oral function for feeding

- 97010 Application of a modality to one or more areas; hot or cold packs
- 97012 Application of a modality to one or more areas; traction, mechanical
- 97016 Application of a modality to one or more areas; vasopneumatic devices
- 97018 Application of a modality to one or more areas; paraffin bath
- 97020 Application of a modality to one or more areas; microwave
- 97022 Application of a modality to one or more areas; whirlpool
- 97024 Application of a modality to one or more areas; diathermy
- 97026 Application of a modality to one or more areas; infrared
- 97028 Application of a modality to one or more areas; ultraviolet
- 97032 Application of a modality to one or more areas; electrical stimulation (manual), each 15 minutes
- 97033 Application of a modality to one or more areas; iontophoresis, each 15 minutes
- 97034 Application of a modality to one or more areas; contrast baths, each 15 minutes
- 97035 Application of a modality to one or more areas; ultrasound, each 15 minutes
- 97036 Application of a modality to one or more areas; Hubbard tank, each 15 minutes
- 97110 Therapeutic procedure, one or more areas, each 15 minutes; therapeutic exercises to develop strength and endurance, range of motion and flexibility
- 97112 Therapeutic procedure, one or more areas, each 15 minutes; neuromuscular re-education of movement, balance, coordination, kinesthetic sense, posture, and/or proprioception for sitting and/or standing activities
- 97116 Therapeutic procedure, one or more areas, each 15 minutes; gait training (includes stair climbing
- 97124 Therapeutic procedure, one or more areas, each 15 minutes; massage, including effleurage, petrissage, and/or tapotement (stroking, compression, percussion)
- 97140 Manual therapy techniques (eg, mobilization/manipulation, manual lymphatic drainage, manual traction), one or more regions, each 15 minutes
- 97504 Orthotic(s) fitting and training, upper extremity(ies), lower extremity(ies), and/or trunk, each 15 minutes
- 97520 Prosthetic training, upper and/or lower extremities, each 15 minutes
- 97530 Therapeutic activities, direct (one-on-one) patient contact by the provider (use of dynamic activities to improve functional performance), each 15 minutes
- 97533 Sensory integrative activities to enhance sensory processing and promote adaptive response to environmental demands, direct (one-on-one) patient contact by the provider, each 15 minutes
- 97535 Self-care/home management training (eg, activities of daily living (ADL)and compensatory training, meal preparation, safety procedures, and instructions in use of assistive technology devices/adaptive equipment) direct one-on-one contact by the provider, each 15 minutes
- 97542 Wheelchair management/propulsion training, each 15 minutes
- 97601 **Removal of devitalized tissue from wound(s); selective debridement, without anesthesia (eg,** pressure waterjet, sharp selective debridement with scissors, scalpel and tweezers), including topical application(s), wound assessment, and instruction(s) for ongoing care, per session
- 97602 **Removal of devitalized tissue from wound(s); non selective debridement, without anesthesia** (eg, wet-to-moist dressings, enzymatic, abrasion), including topical application(s), wound assessment, and instruction(s) for ongoing care, per session

BILLING GUIDE FOR PHYSICAL THERAPY

Local Education Agencies	Independent Practitioners
Claim Form Type: CMS-1500	Claim Form Type: CMS-1500
Prior Approval for Evaluations: Not required	Prior Approval for Evaluations: Not required
Prior Approval for Treatments: Not required	Prior Approval for Treatments: Required
Assessment: Billed on one claim form	Assessment: Billed on one claim form
Treatments: Billed on a separate claim form	Treatments: Billed on a separate claim form
CMS-1500 Instructions	CMS-1500 Instructions
Block #1: Type of Coverage	Block #1: Type of Coverage
Block #1A: Medicaid Identification Number	Block #1A: Medicaid Identification Number
Block #2: Patient's Name	Block #2: Patient's Name
Block #3: Patient's Date of Birth	Block #3: Patient's Date of Birth
Block #5: Patient's Address/Telephone	Block #5: Patient's Address/Telephone
Block #10: If applicable to patient's condition	Block #10: If applicable to patient's condition
Block #19: Carolina ACCESS referral not	Block #15: If DEC referred, enter date of
required	physician's order
Block #21: ICD-9-CM diagnosis appropriate for	Block #19: Carolina ACCESS referral is required
service provided	Block #21: ICD-9-CM diagnosis appropriate for
Block #24A: Date of Service	service provided
Block #24B: Place of Service	Block #24A: Date of Service
99 - School, Head Start, Child Care	Block #24B: Place of Service
Block #24C: Type of Service Enter 01 or leave blank	11 - Office
Block #24D:	12 - Home
Assessment =	99 - School, Head Start, Child Care Block #24C: Type of Service
92610 (1 unit = 1 event)	Enter 01 or leave blank
95831 (1 unit = 1 event)	Block #24D:
95831 (1 unit = 1 event) 95832 (1 unit = 1 event)	Assessment =
95832 (1 unit = 1 event) 95833 (1 unit = 1 event)	92610 (1 unit = 1 event)
95834 (1 unit = 1 event)	95831 (1 unit = 1 event)
97001 (1 unit = 1 event)	95832 (1 unit = 1 event)
97002 (1 unit = 1 event)	95833 (1 unit = 1 event)
97703 (1 unit = 15 minutes)	95834 (1 unit = 1 event)
97750 (1 unit = 15 minutes)	97001 (1 unit = 1 event)
Treatment =	97002 (1 unit = 1 event)
92526 (1 unit = 1 event)	97703 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
97110 (1 unit = 15 minutes)	97750 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
97112 (1 unit = 15 minutes)	Treatment =
97116 (1 unit = 15 minutes)	92526 (1 unit = 1 event)
97504 (1 unit = 15 minutes)	97110 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
97140 (1 unit = 15 minutes)	97112 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
97542 (1 unit = 15 minutes)	97116 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
97520 (1 unit = 15 minutes)	97504 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
97530 (1 unit = 15 minutes)	97140 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
97533 (1 unit = 15 minutes)	97542 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
97535 (1 unit = 15 minutes)	97520 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
29075 (1 unit = 1 event)	97530 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
29085 (1 unit = 1 event)	97533 (1 unit = 15 minutes)

CMS-1500 Instructions, continued

Local Education Agencies	Independent Practitioners
Block #24D:	Block #24D:
Treatment =	Treatment =
29105 (1 unit = 1 event)	29075 (1 unit = 1 event)
29125 (1 unit = 1 event)	29085 (1 unit = 1 event)
29126 (1 unit = 1 event)	29105 (1 unit = 1 event)
29130 (1 unit = 1 event)	29125 (1 unit = 1 event)
29131 (1 unit = 1 event)	29126 (1 unit = 1 event)
29240 (1 unit = 1 event)	29130 (1 unit = 1 event)
29260 (1 unit = 1 event)	29131 (1 unit = 1 event)
29280 (1 unit = 1 event)	29240 (1 unit = 1 event)
29530 (1 unit = 1 event)	29260 (1 unit = 1 event)
29540 (1 unit = 1 event)	29280 (1 unit = 1 event)
29405 (1 unit = 1 event)	29405 (1 unit = 1 event)
29505 (1 unit = 1 event)	29425 (1 unit = 1 event)
29515 (1 unit = 1 event)	29505 (1 unit = 1 event)
Block #24F: Charges	29515 (1 unit = 1 event)
Block #24G: Enter number of unit(s)	29530 (1 unit = 1 event)
Block #28: Total Charges	29540 (1 unit = 1 event)
Block #29: Enter if a third party made payment	97010 (1 unit = 1 event)
Block #30: Balance due	97012 (1 unit = 1 event)
Block #31: Signature of provider	97016 (1 unit = 1 event)
Block #33: Enter Provider Number	97018 (1 unit = 1 event)
	97020 (1 unit = 1 event)
	97022 (1 unit = 1 event)
	97024 (1 unit = 1 event)
	97026 (1 unit = 1 event)
	97028 (1 unit = 1 event)
	97032 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
	97033 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
	97034 (1 unit = 15 minutes) 97025 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
	97035 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
	97036 (1 unit = 15 minutes) 97124 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
	97124 (1 unit = 15 minutes) 97535 (1 unit = 15 minutes)
	97601 (1 unit = 1 s minutes)
	97602 (1 unit = 1 event)
	Block #24F: Charges
	Block #24G: Enter number of unit(s)
	Block #249: Enter humber of unit(s) Block #28: Total Charges
	Block #29: Enter if a third party made payment
	Block #29: Enter if a unit's party made payment Block #30: Balance due
	Block #30: Datatee due Block #31: Signature of provider
	Block #33: Provider Number
	Individual Provider Number = PIN
	Group Provider Number = GRP

PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES

Local Education Agencies (LEAs) Only

Assessment

Service may include testing and/or clinical observation, as appropriate for the chronological or developmental age, for one or more of the following areas of functioning, and shall yield a written report.

- cognitive
- emotional/personality
- adaptive behavior
- behavior
- perceptual or visual motor

CPT Code Conversion

Y2409 (Psychological Assessment) is replaced with one or any combination of the following CPT codes:

- 90801 Psychiatric diagnostic interview examination
- 90802 Interactive psychiatric diagnostic interview examination using play equipment, physical devices, language interpreter, or other mechanisms of communication
- 96100 Psychological testing (includes psychodiagnostic assessment of personality, psychopathology, emotionality, intellectual abilities, eg, WAIS-R, Rorschach, MMPI) with interpretation and report, per hour
- 96110 Developmental testing; limited (eg, Developmental Screening Test II, Early Language Milestone Screen), with interpretation and report
- 96111 Developmental testing; extended (includes assessment of motor, language, social, adaptive and/or cognitive functioning by standardized developmental instruments, eg, Bayley Scales of Infant Development with interpretation and report, per hour
- 96115 Neurobehavioral status exam (clinical assessment of thinking, reasoning and judgment, eg, acquired knowledge, attention, memory, visual spatial abilities, language functions, planning) with interpretation and report, per hour
- 96117 Neuropsychological testing battery (eg, Halstead-Reitan, Luris, WAIS-R) with interpretation and report, per hour

Note: All testing codes are 1-hour increments face-to-face time.

Treatment

Service may include one or more of the following, as appropriate:

- cognitive-behavioral therapy
- rational-emotive therapy
- family therapy
- sociodrama and social skills training
- sensory integrative therapy

CPT Code Conversion

Y2410 (Psychological Treatment) is replaced with one or any combination of the following CPT codes:

- 90804 Individual psychotherapy, insight oriented, behavior modifying and/or supportive, in an office or outpatient facility, approximately 20 to 30 minutes face-to-face with the patient
- 90806 Individual psychotherapy, insight oriented, behavior modifying and/or supportive, in an office or outpatient facility, approximately 45 to 50 minutes face-to-face with the patient
- 90808 Individual psychotherapy, insight oriented, behavior modifying and/or supportive, in an office or outpatient facility, approximately 75 to 80 minutes face-to-face with the patient
- 90810 Individual psychotherapy, interactive, using play equipment, physical devices, language interpreter, or other mechanisms of non-verbal communication in an office or outpatient facility, approximately 20 to 30 minutes face-to-face with the patient
- 90812 Individual psychotherapy, interactive, using play equipment, physical devices, language interpreter, or other mechanisms of non-verbal communication in an office or outpatient facility, approximately 45 to 50 minutes face-to-face with the patient
- 90814 Individual psychotherapy, interactive, using play equipment, physical devices, language interpreter, or other mechanisms of non-verbal communication in an office or outpatient facility, approximately 75 to 80 minutes face-to-face with the patient
- 90846 Family psychotherapy (without the patient present)
- 90853 Group psychotherapy (other than of a multiple-family group)

BILLING GUIDE FOR PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES

Local Education Agencies

Claim Form Type: CMS-1500 Prior Approval for Evaluations: Not required Prior Approval for Treatments: Not required Assessment: Billed on one claim form Treatments: Billed on a separate claim form

CMS-1500 Instructions

Block #1: Type of Coverage
Block #1A: Medicaid Identification Number
Block #2: Patient's Name
Block #3: Patient's Date of Birth
Block #5: Patient's Address/Telephone
Block #10: If applicable to patient's condition
Block #19: Carolina ACCESS referral not required
Block #21: ICD-9-CM diagnosis appropriate for service provided
Block #24A: Date of Service
Block #24B: Place of Service
99 - School, Head Start, Child Care
Block #24C: Type of Service
Enter 01 or leave blank
Block #24D:
Assessment =
90801 (1 unit = 1 event)
90802 (1 unit = 1 event)
96100 (1 unit = 1 hour)
96110 (1 unit = 1 hour)
96111 (1 unit = 1 hour)
96115 (1 unit = 1 hour)
96117 (1 unit = 1 hour)
Treatment =
90804 (1 unit = 20 - 30 minutes)
90806 (1 unit = 45 - 50 minutes)
90808 (1 unit = 75 - 80 minutes)
90810 (1 unit = 20 - 30 minutes)
90812 (1 unit = 45 - 50 minutes)
90814 (1 unit = 75 - 80 minutes)
90846 (1 unit = 1 event)
90853 (1 unit = 1 event)
Block #24F: Charges
Block #24G: Enter number of unit(s)
Block #28: Total Charges
Block #29: Enter if a third party made payment
Block #30: Balance due
Block #31: Signature of provider
Block #33: Enter Provider Number

Block #33: Enter Provider Number

RESPIRATORY THERAPY SERVICES

Independent Practitioners (IPs) Only

Assessment

Service may include testing and/or clinical observation, as appropriate for evaluation of pulmonary status, for one or more of the following areas, and shall yield a written evaluation report.

- collection of specimen for arterial blood gas analysis (ABGs)
- pulmonary function studies
- breath sounds
- acute and chronic lung disease patients
- ventilator dependent patients

CPT Code Conversion

Y2415 (Respiratory Therapy Assessment) is replaced with the following CPT code:

94799 Unlisted pulmonary service or procedure

Note: This code must be used for assessment.

Treatment

Service may include one or more of the following, as appropriate:

- bronchodilator and aerosol therapy
- oxygen therapy
- sterile and non-sterile suctioning techniques
- tracheostomy care
- chest vibrations, postural drainage, and breathing techniques
- ventilator care
- monitoring of respiratory status (ABGs, pulse oximetry, pulmonary function studies, sputum cultures, apnea-bradycardiac monitors, etc.)

CPT Code Conversion

Y2416 (Respiratory Therapy Treatment) is replaced with one or any combination of the following CPT codes:

- 31502 Tracheotomy tube change prior to establishment of fistula tract
- 31720 Catheter aspiration (separate procedure); nasotracheal
- 94010 Spirometry, including graphic record, total and timed vital capacity, expiratory flow rate measurement(s), with or without maximal voluntary ventilation
- 94060 Bronchospasm evaluation: spirometry as in 94010 before and after bronchodilator (aerosol or parenteral)
- 94150 Vital capacity, total (separate procedure)
- 94200 Maximum breathing capacity, maximum voluntary ventilation
- 94240 Functional residual capacity or residual volume: helium method, nitrogen open circuit method or other method
- 94375 *Respiratory flow volume loop*

- 94657 Ventilation assist and management, initiation of pressure or volume preset ventilators for assisted or controlled breathing; subsequent days
- 94664 Aerosol or vapor inhalations for sputum mobilization, bronchodilation, or sputum induction for diagnostic purposes; demonstration and/or evaluation
- 94667 Manipulation chest wall, such as cupping, percussing, and vibration to facilitate lung function; initial demonstration and/or evaluation
- 94668 Manipulation chest wall, such as cupping, percussing, and vibration to facilitate lung function; subsequent
- 94760 Noninvasive ear or pulse oximetry for oxygen saturation; single determination
- 99503 Home visit for respiratory therapy care (eg, bronchodilator, oxygen therapy, respiratory assessment, apnea evaluation)

BILLING GUIDE FOR RESPIRATORY SERVICES

Independent Practitioners

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Claim Form Type: CMS-1500
Prior Approval for Evaluations: Not required
Prior Approval for Treatments: Required
Assessment: Billed on one claim form
Treatments: Billed on a separate claim form
CMS-1500 Instructions
Block #1: Type of Coverage
Block #1A: Medicaid Identification Number
Block #2: Patient's Name
Block #3: Patient's Date of Birth
Block #5: Patient's Address/Telephone
Block #10: If applicable to patient's condition
Block #15: If DEC referred, enter date of physician's order
Block #19: Carolina ACCESS referral required
Block #21: ICD-9-CM diagnosis appropriate for service provided
Block #24A: Date of Service
Block #24B: Place of Service
11 - Office
12 - Home
99 - School, Head Start, Child Care
Block #24C: Type of Service
Enter 01 or leave blank
Block #24D:
Assessment =
94799 (1 unit = 1 event)
Treatment =
31502 (1 unit = 1 event)
31720 (1 unit = 1 event)
94010 (1 unit = 1 event)
94060 (1 unit = 1 event)
94150 (1 unit = 1 event)
94200 (1 unit = 1 event)
94240 (1 unit = 1 event)
94375 (1 unit = 1 event)
94657 (1 unit = 1 event)
94664 (1 unit = 1 event)
94667 (1 unit = 1 event)
94668 (1 unit = 1 event)
94760 (1 unit = 1 event)
99503 (1 unit = 1 event)
Block #24F: Charges
Block #24G: Enter number of unit(s)
Block #28: Total Charges
Block #29: Enter if a third party made payment
Block #30: Balance due
Block #31: Signature of provider
Block #33: Enter Provider Number
Individual Provider Number = PIN
Group Provider Number = GRP

APPENDIX A: RATES FOR INDEPENDENT PRACTITIONERS

Procedure Code	Time Segment per CPT Description	Rates
G0193	per event	\$ 78.50
G0195	per event	125.60
G0197	per event	125.60
G0198	per event	62.80
G0199	per event	62.80
29075	per event	47.10
29085	per event	47.10
29105	per event	47.10
29125	per event	31.40
29126	per event	47.10
29130	per event	20.93
29131	per event	47.10
29240	per event	31.40
29260	per event	31.40
29280	per event	31.40
29405	per event	62.80
29425	per event	62.80
29505	per event	78.50
29515	per event	62.80
29530	per event	31.40
29540	per event	31.40
31502	per event	31.40
31720	per event	20.93
92065	per event	31.40
92506	per event	125.60
92507	per event	62.80
92508	per event	31.40
92510	per event	62.80
92610	per event	125.60
92526	per event	47.10
92551	per event	15.70

Procedure Code	Time Segment per CPT Description	Rates
92552	per event	\$ 15.70
92553	per event	31.40
92555	per event	15.70
92556	per event	31.40
92557	per event	62.80
92567	per event	15.70
92568	per event	15.70
92569	per event	15.70
92571	per event	31.40
92572	per event	31.40
92576	per event	31.40
92579	per event	31.40
92582	per event	31.40
92583	per event	31.40
92585	per event	125.60
92587	per event	15.70
92588	per event	31.40
92589	per event	94.20
92590	per event	78.50
92591	per event	94.20
92592	per event	15.70
92593	per event	31.40
92594	per event	15.70
92595	per event	31.40
94010	per event	62.80
94060	per event	62.80
94150	per event	26.17
94200	per event	15.70
94240	per event	62.80
94375	per event	31.40
94657	per event	31.40

Rates for Independent Practitioners, continued

Procedure Code	Time Segment per CPT Description	Rates
94664	per event	\$ 31.40
94667	per event	\$ 52.33
94668	per event	41.87
94760	per event	10.47
94799	per event	94.20
95831	per event	15.70
95832	per event	15.70
95833	per event	31.40
95834	per event	47.10
97001	per event	125.60
97002	per event	62.80
97003	per event	125.60
97004	per event	62.80
97010	per event	15.70
97012	per event	15.70
97016	per event	15.70
97018	per event	15.70
97020	per event	15.70
97022	per event	31.40
97024	per event	15.70
97026	per event	15.70
97028	per event	15.70

Procedure	Time Segment per CPT	
Code	Description	Rates
97032	each 15 min	\$ 15.70
97033	each 15 min	15.70
97034	each 15 min	15.70
97035	each 15 min	15.70
97036	each 15 min	15.70
97110	each 15 min	15.70
97112	each 15 min	15.70
97116	each 15 min	15.70
97124	each 15 min	15.70
97140	each 15 min	15.70
97504	each 15 min	15.70
97520	each 15 min	15.70
97530	each 15 min	15.70
97533	each 15 min	15.70
97535	each 15 min	15.70
97542	each 15 min	15.70
97601	per event	20.93
97602	per event	20.93
97703	each 15 min	15.70
97750	each 15 min	15.70
99503	per event	94.20

APPENDIX B: RATES FOR LOCAL EDUCATION AGENCIES

Procedure Code	Time Segment per CPT Description	Rates
G0193	per event	\$ 59.00
G0195	per event	94.40
G0195 G0197	per event	94.40
G0197 G0198	per event	47.20
G0198	per event	47.20
29075	per event	39.39
29085		39.39
29083	per event	39.39
29105	per event	26.26
29125	per event	39.39
29120	per event	17.51
29130	per event	39.39
29131	per event	26.26
29260	per event	26.26
29280	per event	26.26
29405	per event	52.52
29505	per event	65.65
29515	per event	52.52
29530	per event	26.26
29540	per event	26.26
90801	per event	49.92
90802	per event	49.92
90804	20-30 min	24.96
90806	45-50 min	41.60
90808	75-80 min	66.56
90810	20-30 min	24.96
90812	45-50 min	41.60
90814	75-80 min	66.56
90846	per event	49.92
90853	per event	49.92
92065	per event	26.26

Procedure Code	Time Segment per CPT Description	Rates
92506	per event	\$ 94.40
92507	per event	47.20
92508	per event	11.82
92510	per event	47.20
92610	per event	94.40
92526	per event	35.40
92551	per event	11.80
92552	per event	11.80
92553	per event	23.60
92555	per event	11.80
92556	per event	23.60
92557	per event	47.20
92567	per event	11.80
92568	per event	11.80
92569	per event	11.80
92571	per event	23.60
92572	per event	23.60
92576	per event	23.60
92579	per event	23.60
92582	per event	23.60
92583	per event	23.60
92585	per event	94.40
92587	per event	11.80
92588	per event	23.60
92589	per event	70.80
92590	per event	59.00
92591	per event	70.80
92592	per event	11.80
92593	per event	23.60
92594	per event	11.80
92595	per event	23.60

Rates for Local Education Agencies, continued

Procedure Code	Time Segment per CPT Description	Rates
95831	per event	\$ 13.13
95832	per event	13.13
95833	per event	26.26
95834	per event	39.39
96100	per hour	49.92
96110	per hour	49.92
96111	per hour	49.92
96115	per hour	49.92
96117	per hour	49.92
97001	per event	105.04
97002	per event	52.52
97003	per event	105.04
97004	per event	52.52

Procedure Code	Time Segment per CPT Description	Rates
97110	each 15 min	\$ 13.13
97112	each 15 min	13.13
97116	each 15 min	13.13
97140	each 15 min	13.13
97504	each 15 min	13.13
97520	each 15 min	13.13
97530	each 15 min	13.13
97533	each 15 min	13.13
97535	each 15 min	13.13
97542	each 15 min	13.13
97703	each 15 min	13.13
97750	each 15 min	13.13

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