

The Physicians' Fee & Coding Guide

Features Chart

The *Physicians' Fee & Coding Guide* is unique in that it provides a fee range for virtually all CPT® codes, including the new 2009 codes. Compare this Guide with other products that cost twice as much, yet contain no coding and billing tips. You will find that the Fee Guide will help improve the bottom line at your practice. We guarantee that the *Physicians' Fee & Coding Guide* includes benefits only available through MAG Mutual HealthCare Solutions, Inc.

Non-Medicare Physician Charge \$FEE RANGE: from our proprietary fee analysis of actual physician charges

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CPT®	DESCRIPTION	Medicare		Healthcare Solutions	
		RVUs	NAA	\$ FEE RANGE	REL VAL
■ Destruction, Benign or Premalignant Lesions					
17000	Destruction (eg, laser surgery, electrosurgery, cryosurgery, chemosurgery, surgical curettement), premalignant lesions (eg, actinic keratoses); first lesion	1.84	\$ 70	\$ 91 - \$ 113	10.2
17003	second through 14 lesions, each (List separately in addition to code for first lesion) (Use 17003 in conjunction with 17000) (For destruction of common plantar warts, see 17110, 17111)	0.19	7	31 - 39	3.5
17004	Destruction (eg, laser surgery, electrosurgery, cryosurgery, chemosurgery, surgical curettement), premalignant lesions (eg, actinic keratoses), 15 or more lesions	4.30	163	320 - 412	36.6
17106	Destruction of cutaneous vascular proliferation lesions (eg, laser technique) ; less than 10 sq cm	8.27	313	545 - 637	61.0
17107	10.0 - 50.0 sq cm	15.02	569	1,139 - 1,423	112.0
17108	over 50.0 cm	20.78	788	1,576 - 1,998	181.0
17110	Destruction (eg, laser surgery, electrosurgery, cryosurgery, chemosurgery, surgical curettement), of benign lesions other than skin tags or cutaneous vascular <i>proliferative</i> lesions; up to 14 lesions	2.42	92	110 - 138	12.4
17111	15 or more lesions	2.95	112	131 - 163	14.7
17250	Chemical cauterization of granulation tissue (proud flesh, sinus or fistula) (17250 is not to be used with removal or excision codes for the same lesion)	1.83	69	98 - 126	11.2
■ DESTRUCTION MALIGNANT LESIONS, BY ANY METHOD					
17260	Destruction, malignant lesion,(eg, laser surgery, electrosurgery, cryosurgery, chemosurgery, surgical curettement) trunk, arms, or legs ; lesion diameter 0.5 cm or less	2.31	\$ 88	\$ 173 - \$ 213	19.3
17261	lesion diameter 0.6 to 1.0 cm	3.29	125	217 - 267	24.2
17262	lesion diameter 1.1 to 2.0 cm	4.02	152	262 - 323	29.3
17263	lesion diameter 2.1 to 3.0 cm	4.44	168	298 - 370	33.4
17264	lesion diameter 3.1 to 4.0 cm	4.78	181	328 - 405	36.7

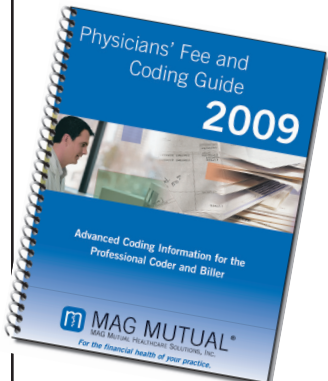
Integumentary System
17000 - 17264

CPT® Codes & Descriptions: includes the AMA's long descriptions and notes

Medicare Relative Values & National Average Allowances: Medicare fees presented alongside actual charges

Robust Coding & Billing Tips: extensively researched & verified by certified practice managers and coders

Make sure you are using 17260-17286 only when performing **DESTRUCTION of malignant lesions**. (See codes beginning 17000 for *benign* lesions. See codes at 11600 for **EXCISION** of *malignant* lesions.) Medicare's RBRVS relative values indicated these codes on average "should" pay about 20 to 40% **less** than those in the 11600 (Excision - Malignant Lesion) series.



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