

TABLE I. — PHYSICIAN NATIONWIDE RVUS (RELATIVE VALUE UNITS) AND CONVERSION FACTOR FOR PATHOLOGY AND LABORATORY CPT CODES WITH TOTAL RVUS ONLY — CONTINUED

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CPT Code	Mod- ifier	CPT Code Description	Physician CPT Code Group	Data Source	Total RVUs	Conversion Factor
87101		SKIN FUNGI CULTURE	Pathology		0.37	\$104.29
87102		FUNGUS ISOLATION CULTURE	Pathology		0.40	\$104.29
87103		BLOOD FUNGUS CULTURE	Pathology		0.43	\$104.29
87106		FUNGI IDENTIFICATION, YEAST	Pathology		0.50	\$104.29
87107		FUNGI IDENTIFICATION, MOLD	Pathology		0.50	\$104.29
87109		MYCOPLASMA	Pathology		0.74	\$104.29
87110		CHLAMYDIA CULTURE	Pathology		0.94	\$104.29
87116		MYCOBACTERIA CULTURE	Pathology		0.52	\$104.29
87118		MYCOBACTERIC IDENTIFICATION	Pathology		0.53	\$104.29
87140		CULTURE TYPE IMMUNOFLUORESC	Pathology		0.27	\$104.29
87143		CULTURE TYPING, GLC/HPLC	Pathology		0.60	\$104.29
87147		CULTURE TYPE, IMMUNOLOGIC	Pathology		0.25	\$104.29
87149		CULTURE TYPE, NUCLEIC ACID	Pathology		0.97	\$104.29
87152		CULTURE TYPE PULSE FIELD GEL	Pathology		0.25	\$104.29
87158		CULTURE TYPING, ADDED METHOD	Pathology		0.25	\$104.29
87164		DARK FIELD EXAMINATION	Pathology		1.01	\$104.29
87166		DARK FIELD EXAMINATION	Pathology		0.54	\$104.29
87168		MACROSCOPIC EXAM ARTHROPOD	Pathology		0.21	\$104.29
87169		MACROSCOPIC EXAM PARASITE	Pathology		0.21	\$104.29
87172		PINWORM EXAM	Pathology		0.21	\$104.29
87176		TISSUE HOMOGENIZATION, CULT	Pathology		0.28	\$104.29
87177		OVA AND PARASITES SMEARS	Pathology		0.43	\$104.29
87181		MICROBE SUSCEPTIBLE, DIFFUSE	Pathology		0.23	\$104.29
87184		MICROBE SUSCEPTIBLE, DISK	Pathology		0.33	\$104.29
87185		MICROBE SUSCEPTIBLE, ENZYME	Pathology		0.23	\$104.29
87186		MICROBE SUSCEPTIBLE, MIC	Pathology		0.42	\$104.29
87187		MICROBE SUSCEPTIBLE, MLC	Pathology		0.50	\$104.29
87188		MICROBE SUSCEPT, MACROBROTH	Pathology		0.32	\$104.29
87190		MICROBE SUSCEPT, MYCOBACTERI	Pathology		0.27	\$104.29
87197		BACTERICIDAL LEVEL, SERUM	Pathology		0.72	\$104.29
87198		CYTOMEGALOVIRUS ANTIBODY DFA	Pathology		0.58	\$104.29
87199		ENTEROVIRUS ANTIBODY, DFA	Pathology		0.58	\$104.29
87205		SMEAR, GRAM STAIN	Pathology		0.21	\$104.29
87206		SMEAR, FLUORESCENT/ACID STAI	Pathology		0.26	\$104.29
87207		SMEAR, SPECIAL STAIN	Pathology		0.84	\$104.29
87210		SMEAR, WET MOUNT, SALINE/INK	Pathology		0.21	\$104.29
87220		TISSUE EXAM FOR FUNGI	Pathology		0.21	\$104.29
87230		ASSAY, TOXIN OR ANTITOXIN	Pathology		0.95	\$104.29
87250		VIRUS INOCULATE, EGGS/ANIMAL	Pathology		0.94	\$104.29
87252		VIRUS INOCULATION, TISSUE	Pathology		1.26	\$104.29
87253		VIRUS INOCULATE TISSUE, ADDL	Pathology		0.97	\$104.29
87254		VIRUS INOCULATION, SHELL VIA	Pathology		0.24	\$104.29
87260		ADENOVIRUS AG, IF	Pathology		0.58	\$104.29
87265		PERTUSSIS AG, IF	Pathology		0.58	\$104.29
87270		CHLAMYDIA TRACHOMATIS AG, IF	Pathology		0.58	\$104.29
87272		CRYPTOSPORIDIUM/GARDIA AG, IF	Pathology		0.58	\$104.29
87273		HERPES SIMPLEX 2, AG, IF	Pathology		0.58	\$104.29
87274		HERPES SIMPLEX 1, AG, IF	Pathology		0.58	\$104.29
87275		INFLUENZA B, AG, IF	Pathology		0.58	\$104.29
87276		INFLUENZA A, AG, IF	Pathology		0.58	\$104.29
87277		LEGIONELLA MICDADEI, AG, IF	Pathology		0.58	\$104.29
87278		LEGION PNEUMOPHILIA AG, IF	Pathology		0.58	\$104.29
87279		PARAINFLUENZA, AG, IF	Pathology		0.58	\$104.29
87280		RESPIRATORY SYNCYTIAL AG, IF	Pathology		0.58	\$104.29
87281		PNEUMOCYSTIS CARINII, AG, IF	Pathology		0.58	\$104.29
87283		RUBEOLA, AG, IF	Pathology		0.58	\$104.29
87285		TREPONEMA PALLIDUM, AG, IF	Pathology		0.58	\$104.29
87290		VARICELLA ZOSTER, AG, IF	Pathology		0.58	\$104.29
87299		ANTIBODY DETECTION, NOS, IF	Pathology		0.58	\$104.29

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^a Relative Value Units based on MDR data.

^b Relative Value Units based on Medicare Standard Analytical File 5% Sample data.

^c Relative Value Units based on PHCS data.

^d Relative Value Units based on St. Anthony's RBRVS.