

TABLE G. — PHYSICIAN AND OTHER PROFESSIONAL SERVICES RELATIVE VALUE UNITS (RVUS) BY CPT/HCPCS CODE  
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CPT/ HCPCS Code	Modifier	CPT/HCPCS Code Description	Conversion Factor/GAAF Category	Status/ Usage Indicator	Work Expense RVUs	Facility Practice Expense RVUs	Non- Facility Practice Expense RVUs	Total Expense RVUs	Charge Method- ology
22804		Fusion of spine	Surgery		36.27	23.15	23.15		MDR
22808		Fusion of spine	Surgery		26.27	16.72	16.72		
22810		Fusion of spine	Surgery		30.27	18.75	18.75		
22812		Fusion of spine	Surgery		32.70	20.27	20.27		
22818		Kyphectomy, 1-2 segments	Surgery		31.83	19.49	19.49		
22819		Kyphectomy, 3 or more	Surgery		36.44	20.58	20.58		
22830		Exploration of spinal fusion	Surgery		10.85	8.32	8.32		
22840		Insert spine fixation device	Surgery		12.54	6.67	6.67	9.74	
22841		Insert spine fixation device	Surgery						
22842		Insert spine fixation device	Surgery		12.58	6.69	6.69		
22843		Insert spine fixation device	Surgery		13.46	6.78	6.78		
22844		Insert spine fixation device	Surgery		16.44	8.99	8.99		
22845		Insert spine fixation device	Surgery		11.96	6.24	6.24		
22846		Insert spine fixation device	Surgery		12.42	6.51	6.51		
22847		Insert spine fixation device	Surgery		13.80	7.21	7.21		
22848		Insert spine fixation device	Surgery		6.00	3.27	3.27		
22848		Reinsert spinal fixation	Surgery		18.51	13.75	13.75		
22849		Remove spine fixation device	Surgery		9.52	8.50	8.50		
22850		Apply spine prosth device	Surgery		6.71	3.45	3.45		
22851		Remove spine fixation device	Surgery		9.01	8.26	8.26		
22852		Remove spine fixation device	Surgery		15.13	11.24	11.24	25.88	Misc
22855		Spine surgery procedure	Surgery						
22899		Remove abdominal wall lesion	Surgery		5.80	4.29	4.29		
22900		Removal of calcium deposits	Surgery		4.36	8.97	8.97		
23000		Release shoulder joint	Surgery		8.93	10.95	10.95		
23020		Drain shoulder lesion	Surgery		3.43	6.24	4.54		
23030		Drain shoulder bursa	Surgery		2.74	6.00	4.34		
23031		Drain shoulder bone lesion	Surgery		8.61	15.81	15.81		
23035		Exploratory shoulder surgery	Surgery		9.20	12.15	12.15		
23040		Exploratory shoulder surgery	Surgery		7.12	11.01	11.01		
23044		Biopsy shoulder tissues	Surgery		2.27	2.71	1.33		
23065		Biopsy shoulder tissues	Surgery		4.16	7.96	6.49		
23066		Removal of shoulder lesion	Surgery		2.39	5.36	3.21		
23075		Removal of shoulder lesion	Surgery		7.63	8.42	8.42		
23077		Remove tumor of shoulder	Surgery		16.09	14.26	14.26		
23100		Biopsy of shoulder joint	Surgery		6.03	9.13	9.13		
23101		Shoulder joint surgery	Surgery		5.58	9.14	9.14		
23105		Remove shoulder joint lining	Surgery		8.23	10.55	10.55		
23106		Incision of collarbone joint	Surgery		5.96	9.25	9.25		
23107		Explore treat shoulder joint	Surgery		8.62	10.74	10.74		
23120		Partial removal, collar bone	Surgery		7.11	9.97	9.97		
23125		Removal of collar bone	Surgery		9.39	11.08	11.08		
23130		Remove shoulder bone, part	Surgery		7.55	10.20	10.20		
23140		Removal of bone lesion	Surgery		6.89	8.64	8.64		
23145		Removal of bone lesion	Surgery		9.09	12.05	12.05		
23146		Removal of bone lesion	Surgery		7.83	11.37	11.37		

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