

TABLE 6.—AMA RUC AND HCPAC RECOMMENDATIONS AND CMS DECISIONS FOR NEW AND REVISED 2004 CPT CODES—Continued

* CPT code	Mod	Description	RUC recommendation	HCPAC recommendation	CMS decision	2004 work RVU
#36555		Insert non-tunnel cv cath	2.68		Agree	2.68
#36556		Insert non-tunnel cv cath	2.50		Agree	2.50
#36557		Insert tunneled cv cath	5.10		Agree	5.10
#36558		Insert tunneled cv cath	4.80		Agree	4.80
#36560		Insert tunneled cv cath	6.25		Agree	6.25
#36561		Insert tunneled cv cath	6.00		Agree	6.00
#36563		Insert tunneled cv cath	6.20		Agree	6.20
#36565		Insert tunneled cv cath	6.00		Agree	6.00
#36566		Insert tunneled cv cath	6.50		Agree	6.50
#36568		Insert tunneled cv cath	1.92		Agree	1.92
#36569		Insert tunneled cv cath	1.82		Agree	1.82
#36570		Insert tunneled cv cath	5.32		Agree	5.32
#36571		Insert tunneled cv cath	5.30		Agree	5.30
#36575		Repair tunneled cv cath	0.67		Agree	0.67
#36576		Repair tunneled cv cath	3.19		Agree	3.19
#36578		Repair tunneled cv cath	3.50		Agree	3.50
#36580		Replace tunneled cv cath	1.31		Agree	1.31
#36581		Replace tunneled cv cath	3.44		Agree	3.44
#36582		Replace tunneled cv cath	5.20		Agree	5.20
#36583		Replace tunneled cv cath	5.25		Agree	5.25
#36584		Replace tunneled cv cath	1.20		Agree	1.20
#36585		Replace tunneled cv cath	4.80		Agree	4.80
#36589		Removal tunneled cv cath	2.27		Agree	2.27
#36590		Removal tunneled cv cath	3.30		Agree	3.30
#36595		Mech remov tunneled cv cath	3.60		Agree	3.60
#36596		Mech remov tunneled cv cath	0.75		Agree	0.75
#36597		Repositoin venous catheter	1.21		Agree	1.21
#36838		Dist revas ligation, hemo	20.63		Agree	20.63
#37765		Phleb veins—extrem—to 20	7.35		Agree	7.35
#37766		Phleb veins—extrem 20 +	9.30		Agree	9.30
37785		Ligate/divide/excise vein	3.84		Agree	3.84
38208		Thaw preserved stem cells	0.56		Disagree	0.00
38209		Wash harvest stem cells	0.24		Disagree	0.00
43235		Uppr gi endoscopy, diagnosis	2.39		Agree	2.39
#43237		Endoscopic us exam, esoph	3.99		Agree	3.99
#43238		Uppr gi endoscopy w/us fn bx	5.03		Agree	5.03
43242		Uppr gi endoscopy w/us fn bx	7.31		Agree	7.31
43259		Endoscopic ultrasound exam	5.20		Agree	5.20
43752		Nasal/orogastric w/stent	0.82		Disagree	0.68
47133		Removal of donor liver	†		Agree	†
#47140		Partial removal, donor liver	55.00		Agree	55.00
#47141		Partial removal, donor liver	67.50		Agree	67.50
#47142		Partial removal, donor liver	75.00		Agree	75.00
#53500		Urethrllys, transvag w/scope	12.21		Agree	12.21
#57425		Laparoscopy, surg, colpopexy	15.75		Agree	15.75
58545		Laparoscopic myomectomy	14.21		Agree	14.21
58546		Laparo-myomectomy, complex	19.00		Agree	19.00
58550		Laparo-asst vag hysterectomy	14.19		Agree	14.19
58552		Laparo-vag hyst incl t/o	16.00		Agree	16.00
58553		Laparo-vag hyst, complex	20.00		Agree	20.00
58554		Laparo-vag hyst w/t/o, compl	22.00		Agree	22.00
#59070		Transabdom amniotufus w/us	5.25		Agree	5.25
#59072		Umbilical cord occlud w/us	9.00		Agree	9.00
#59074		Fetal fluid drainage w/us	5.25		Agree	5.25
#59076		Fetal shunt placement, w/us	9.00		Agree	9.00
#59897	†	Fetal invas px w/us	†		Agree	†
#61537		Removal of brain tissue	25.00		Agree	25.00
61538		Removal of brain tissue	26.81		Agree	26.81
61539		Removal of brain tissue	32.08		Agree	32.08
#61540		Removal of brain tissue	30.00		Agree	30.00
61543		Removal of brain tissue	29.22		Agree	29.22
#61566		Removal of brain tissue	31.00		Agree	31.00
#61567		Incision of brain tissue	35.50		Agree	35.50
#61863		Implant neuroelectrode	19.00		Disagree	13.92
#61864		Implant neuroelectrode, add'l	4.50		Agree	4.50
#61867		Implant neuroelectrode	31.34		Disagree	22.96
#61868		Implant neuroelectrde, add'l	7.92		Agree	7.92
#63101		Removal of vertebral boby	32.00		Agree	32.00
#63102		Removal of vertebral body	32.00		Agree	32.00