

**Medicare Physician Fee Schedule
Comparison of Non-Facility Payment for Select Pathology Services
December 2015 to January 2016**

Prepared by the College of American Pathologists

CPT/HCPCS Code	Modifier	Short Descriptor ¹	Status	Global	Non-Facility Payment Final 2015*	Non-Facility Payment Final 2016 **	Non-Facility Payment % Change
10021		Fna w/o image	A	XXX	\$152.00	\$124.96	-17.8%
10022		Fna w/image	A	XXX	\$144.45	\$143.22	-0.9%
36430		Blood transfusion service	A	XXX	\$35.21	\$35.09	-0.3%
36440		Bl push transfuse 2 yr/<	A	XXX	\$58.21	\$59.08	1.5%
36450		Bl exchange/transfuse nb	A	XXX	\$122.89	\$120.66	-1.8%
36455		Bl exchange/transfuse non-nb	A	XXX	\$133.67	\$130.69	-2.2%
36460		Transfusion service fetal	A	XXX	\$358.98	\$356.25	-0.8%
36511		Apheresis wbc	A	000	\$95.22	\$96.31	1.1%
36512		Apheresis rbc	A	000	\$97.74	\$97.03	-0.7%
36513		Apheresis platelets	A	000	\$100.25	\$100.25	0.0%
36514		Apheresis plasma	A	000	\$544.75	\$548.52	0.7%
36515		Apheresis adsorp/reinfuse	A	000	\$2,092.77	\$2,102.79	0.5%
36516		Apheresis selective	A	000	\$2,112.89	\$2,118.54	0.3%
36522		Photopheresis	A	000	\$1,417.58	\$1,424.30	0.5%
36600		Withdrawal of arterial blood	A	XXX	\$32.34	\$32.22	-0.4%
38205		Harvest allogeneic stem cell	R	000	\$84.80	\$85.21	0.5%
38206		Harvest auto stem cells	R	000	\$85.52	\$85.57	0.1%
38220		Bone marrow aspiration	A	XXX	\$167.81	\$167.56	-0.1%
38221		Bone marrow biopsy	A	XXX	\$171.04	\$170.43	-0.4%
38230		Bone marrow harvest allogeneic	A	000	\$204.82	\$204.80	0.0%
80500		Lab pathology consultation	A	XXX	\$23.36	\$22.20	-5.0%
80502		Lab pathology consultation	A	XXX	\$73.66	\$72.32	-1.8%
83020	26	Hemoglobin electrophoresis	A	XXX	\$19.04	\$18.62	-2.2%
84165	26	Protein e-phoresis serum	A	XXX	\$19.04	\$18.62	-2.2%
84166	26	Protein e-phoresis/urine/csf	A	XXX	\$19.04	\$18.62	-2.2%
84181	26	Western blot test	A	XXX	\$19.04	\$18.62	-2.2%
84182	26	Protein western blot test	A	XXX	\$19.04	\$18.62	-2.2%
85060		Blood smear interpretation	A	XXX	\$25.15	\$25.42	1.1%
85097		Bone marrow interpretation	A	XXX	\$89.83	\$90.94	1.2%
85390	26	Fibrinolysins screen i&r	A	XXX	\$19.04	\$18.62	-2.2%
85396		Clotting assay whole blood	A	XXX	\$20.84	\$21.12	1.3%
85576	26	Blood platelet aggregation	A	XXX	\$19.04	\$18.62	-2.2%
86077		Phys blood bank serv xmatch	A	XXX	\$56.77	\$57.29	0.9%
86078		Phys blood bank serv reactj	A	XXX	\$56.42	\$56.93	0.9%
86079		Phys blood bank serv authrj	A	XXX	\$55.34	\$56.21	1.6%
86153	26	Cell enumeration phys interp	A	XXX	\$35.57	\$34.73	-2.4%
86255	26	Fluorescent antibody screen	A	XXX	\$19.04	\$18.62	-2.2%
86256	26	Fluorescent antibody titer	A	XXX	\$19.04	\$18.62	-2.2%
86320	26	Serum immunoelectrophoresis	A	XXX	\$19.04	\$18.62	-2.2%
86325	26	Other immunoelectrophoresis	A	XXX	\$19.04	\$18.62	-2.2%
86327	26	Immunoelectrophoresis assay	A	XXX	\$21.92	\$21.12	-3.6%
86334	26	Immunofix e-phoresis serum	A	XXX	\$19.04	\$18.62	-2.2%
86335	26	Immunifix e-phorsis/urine/csf	A	XXX	\$19.04	\$18.62	-2.2%
87164	26	Dark field examination	A	XXX	\$19.04	\$18.62	-2.2%
87207	26	Smear special stain	A	XXX	\$19.04	\$18.62	-2.2%
88104		Cytopath fl nongyn smears	A	XXX	\$75.46	\$76.62	1.5%
88104	26	Cytopath fl nongyn smears	A	XXX	\$29.82	\$30.08	0.9%
88104	TC	Cytopath fl nongyn smears	A	XXX	\$45.64	\$46.55	2.0%
88106		Cytopath fl nongyn filter	A	XXX	\$88.40	\$75.55	-14.5%
88106	26	Cytopath fl nongyn filter	A	XXX	\$20.12	\$20.41	1.4%
88106	TC	Cytopath fl nongyn filter	A	XXX	\$68.27	\$55.14	-19.2%
88108		Cytopath concentrate tech	A	XXX	\$85.16	\$73.04	-14.2%
88108	26	Cytopath concentrate tech	A	XXX	\$23.72	\$23.63	-0.4%
88108	TC	Cytopath concentrate tech	A	XXX	\$61.45	\$49.41	-19.6%
88112		Cytopath cell enhance tech	A	XXX	\$65.04	\$72.32	11.2%
88112	26	Cytopath cell enhance tech	A	XXX	\$28.75	\$29.00	0.9%
88112	TC	Cytopath cell enhance tech	A	XXX	\$36.29	\$43.32	19.4%
88120		Cytp urne 3-5 probes ea spec	A	XXX	\$626.32	\$639.82	2.2%

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88120	26	Cytp urne 3-5 probes ea spec	A	XXX	\$59.29	\$60.15	1.5%
88120	TC	Cytp urne 3-5 probes ea spec	A	XXX	\$567.03	\$579.67	2.2%
88121		Cytp urine 3-5 probes cmptr	A	XXX	\$556.97	\$558.55	0.3%
88121	26	Cytp urine 3-5 probes cmptr	A	XXX	\$51.74	\$51.92	0.3%
88121	TC	Cytp urine 3-5 probes cmptr	A	XXX	\$505.23	\$506.63	0.3%
88125		Forensic cytopathology	A	XXX	\$26.59	\$23.63	-11.1%
88125	26	Forensic cytopathology	A	XXX	\$14.73	\$13.96	-5.2%
88125	TC	Forensic cytopathology	A	XXX	\$11.86	\$9.67	-18.5%
88141		Cytopath c/v interpret	A	XXX	\$32.70	\$32.94	0.7%
88160		Cytopath smear other source	A	XXX	\$67.55	\$73.04	8.1%
88160	26	Cytopath smear other source	A	XXX	\$26.95	\$27.21	1.0%
88160	TC	Cytopath smear other source	A	XXX	\$40.60	\$45.83	12.9%
88161		Cytopath smear other source	A	XXX	\$61.09	\$65.52	7.3%
88161	26	Cytopath smear other source	A	XXX	\$25.87	\$26.14	1.0%
88161	TC	Cytopath smear other source	A	XXX	\$35.21	\$39.38	11.8%
88162		Cytopath smear other source	A	XXX	\$100.61	\$105.62	5.0%
88162	26	Cytopath smear other source	A	XXX	\$41.32	\$41.17	-0.4%
88162	TC	Cytopath smear other source	A	XXX	\$59.29	\$64.45	8.7%
88172		Cytp dx eval fna 1st ea site	A	XXX	\$57.13	\$58.00	1.5%
88172	26	Cytp dx eval fna 1st ea site	A	XXX	\$37.37	\$37.95	1.6%
88172	TC	Cytp dx eval fna 1st ea site	A	XXX	\$19.76	\$20.05	1.5%
88173		Cytopath eval fna report	A	XXX	\$152.36	\$155.39	2.0%
88173	26	Cytopath eval fna report	A	XXX	\$72.59	\$74.11	2.1%
88173	TC	Cytopath eval fna report	A	XXX	\$79.77	\$81.28	1.9%
88177		Cytp fna eval ea addl	A	ZZZ	\$30.90	\$30.79	-0.4%
88177	26	Cytp fna eval ea addl	A	ZZZ	\$23.00	\$23.27	1.2%
88177	TC	Cytp fna eval ea addl	A	ZZZ	\$7.91	\$7.52	-4.9%
88182		Cell marker study	A	XXX	\$109.24	\$113.14	3.6%
88182	26	Cell marker study	A	XXX	\$36.29	\$37.59	3.6%
88182	TC	Cell marker study	A	XXX	\$72.95	\$75.55	3.6%
88184		Flowcytometry/ tc 1 marker	A	XXX	\$94.51	\$76.26	-19.3%
88185		Flowcytometry/tc add-on	A	ZZZ	\$57.49	\$46.55	-19.0%
88187		Flowcytometry/read 2-8	A	XXX	\$72.59	\$73.04	0.6%
88188		Flowcytometry/read 9-15	A	XXX	\$92.35	\$93.09	0.8%
88189		Flowcytometry/read 16 & >	A	XXX	\$113.91	\$114.22	0.3%
88291		Cyto/molecular report	A	XXX	\$31.98	\$32.22	0.8%
88300		Surgical path gross	A	XXX	\$15.45	\$15.40	-0.3%
88300	26	Surgical path gross	A	XXX	\$4.67	\$4.65	-0.4%
88300	TC	Surgical path gross	A	XXX	\$10.78	\$10.74	-0.4%
88302		Tissue exam by pathologist	A	XXX	\$32.34	\$32.94	1.9%
88302	26	Tissue exam by pathologist	A	XXX	\$7.19	\$7.52	4.6%
88302	TC	Tissue exam by pathologist	A	XXX	\$25.15	\$25.42	1.1%
88304		Tissue exam by pathologist	A	XXX	\$45.99	\$46.19	0.4%
88304	26	Tissue exam by pathologist	A	XXX	\$11.86	\$11.82	-0.3%
88304	TC	Tissue exam by pathologist	A	XXX	\$34.14	\$34.37	0.7%
88305		Tissue exam by pathologist	A	XXX	\$73.30	\$74.11	1.1%
88305	26	Tissue exam by pathologist	A	XXX	\$39.17	\$39.74	1.5%
88305	TC	Tissue exam by pathologist	A	XXX	\$34.14	\$34.37	0.7%
88307		Tissue exam by pathologist	A	XXX	\$307.59	\$312.21	1.5%
88307	26	Tissue exam by pathologist	A	XXX	\$86.24	\$87.36	1.3%
88307	TC	Tissue exam by pathologist	A	XXX	\$221.35	\$224.85	1.6%
88309		Tissue exam by pathologist	A	XXX	\$466.78	\$474.05	1.6%
88309	26	Tissue exam by pathologist	A	XXX	\$152.36	\$154.67	1.5%
88309	TC	Tissue exam by pathologist	A	XXX	\$314.42	\$319.37	1.6%
88311		Decalcify tissue	A	XXX	\$21.20	\$21.84	3.0%
88311	26	Decalcify tissue	A	XXX	\$12.94	\$13.25	2.4%
88311	TC	Decalcify tissue	A	XXX	\$8.26	\$8.59	4.0%
88312		Special stains group 1	A	XXX	\$98.10	\$98.82	0.7%
88312	26	Special stains group 1	A	XXX	\$28.03	\$28.29	0.9%
88312	TC	Special stains group 1	A	XXX	\$70.07	\$70.53	0.7%
88313		Special stains group 2	A	XXX	\$68.27	\$69.10	1.2%
88313	26	Special stains group 2	A	XXX	\$12.58	\$12.53	-0.4%
88313	TC	Special stains group 2	A	XXX	\$55.70	\$56.57	1.6%
88314		Histochemical stains add-on	A	XXX	\$75.10	\$77.70	3.5%

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88314	26	Histochemical stains add-on	A	XXX	\$23.00	\$23.27	1.2%
88314	TC	Histochemical stains add-on	A	XXX	\$52.10	\$54.42	4.5%
88319		Enzyme histochemistry	A	XXX	\$89.12	\$89.87	0.8%
88319	26	Enzyme histochemistry	A	XXX	\$28.39	\$28.29	-0.4%
88319	TC	Enzyme histochemistry	A	XXX	\$60.73	\$61.58	1.4%
88321		Microslide consultation	A	XXX	\$97.02	\$103.47	6.6%
88323		Microslide consultation	A	XXX	\$153.08	\$140.71	-8.1%
88323	26	Microslide consultation	A	XXX	\$89.83	\$89.87	0.0%
88323	TC	Microslide consultation	A	XXX	\$63.24	\$50.84	-19.6%
88325		Comprehensive review of data	A	XXX	\$216.68	\$174.72	-19.4%
88329		Path consult introp	A	XXX	\$59.29	\$51.20	-13.6%
88331		Path consult intraop 1 bloc	A	XXX	\$103.85	\$97.03	-6.6%
88331	26	Path consult intraop 1 bloc	A	XXX	\$64.68	\$65.52	1.3%
88331	TC	Path consult intraop 1 bloc	A	XXX	\$39.17	\$31.51	-19.6%
88332		Path consult intraop addl	A	XXX	\$45.64	\$51.20	12.2%
88332	26	Path consult intraop addl	A	XXX	\$31.98	\$32.22	0.8%
88332	TC	Path consult intraop addl	A	XXX	\$13.65	\$18.98	39.0%
88333		Intraop cyto path consult 1	A	XXX	\$109.60	\$101.68	-7.2%
88333	26	Intraop cyto path consult 1	A	XXX	\$65.04	\$65.88	1.3%
88333	TC	Intraop cyto path consult 1	A	XXX	\$44.56	\$35.80	-19.7%
88334		Intraop cyto path consult 2	A	XXX	\$67.20	\$62.66	-6.8%
88334	26	Intraop cyto path consult 2	A	XXX	\$39.89	\$40.46	1.4%
88334	TC	Intraop cyto path consult 2	A	XXX	\$27.31	\$22.20	-18.7%
88341		Immunohisto antb addl slide	A	ZZZ	\$67.91	\$90.23	32.9%
88341	26	Immunohisto antibody slide	A	ZZZ	\$21.92	\$27.93	27.4%
88341	TC	Immunohisto antibody slide	A	ZZZ	\$45.99	\$62.30	35.5%
88342		Immunohisto antb 1st stain	A	XXX	\$90.91	\$107.41	18.1%
88342	26	Immunohisto antibody stain	A	XXX	\$36.65	\$37.24	1.6%
88342	TC	Immunohisto antibody stain	A	XXX	\$54.26	\$70.18	29.3%
88344		Immunohisto antibody slide	A	XXX	\$117.50	\$174.01	48.1%
88344	26	Immunohisto antibody slide	A	XXX	\$40.25	\$40.82	1.4%
88344	TC	Immunohisto antibody slide	A	XXX	\$77.26	\$133.19	72.4%
88346		Immunofluor antb 1st stain	A	XXX	\$111.03	\$93.81	-15.5%
88346	26	Immunofluorescent study	A	XXX	\$43.84	\$38.31	-12.6%
88346	TC	Immunofluorescent study	A	XXX	\$67.20	\$55.50	-17.4%
88348		Electron microscopy	A	XXX	\$348.55	\$348.73	0.1%
88348	26	Electron microscopy	A	XXX	\$78.34	\$79.13	1.0%
88348	TC	Electron microscopy	A	XXX	\$270.22	\$269.61	-0.2%
88355		Analysis skeletal muscle	A	XXX	\$175.71	\$158.26	-9.9%
88355	26	Analysis skeletal muscle	A	XXX	\$83.73	\$84.14	0.5%
88355	TC	Analysis skeletal muscle	A	XXX	\$91.99	\$74.11	-19.4%
88356		Analysis nerve	A	XXX	\$206.62	\$206.95	0.2%
88356	26	Analysis nerve	A	XXX	\$122.89	\$123.52	0.5%
88356	TC	Analysis nerve	A	XXX	\$83.73	\$83.42	-0.4%
88358		Analysis tumor	A	XXX	\$84.80	\$85.93	1.3%
88358	26	Analysis tumor	A	XXX	\$45.64	\$46.19	1.2%
88358	TC	Analysis tumor	A	XXX	\$39.17	\$39.74	1.5%
88350		Immunofluor antb addl stain	A	ZZZ	NA	\$72.32	NA
88350	26	Immunofluor antb addl stain	A	ZZZ	NA	\$28.64	NA
88350	TC	Immunofluor antb addl stain	A	ZZZ	NA	\$43.68	NA
88360		Tumor immunohistochem/manual	A	XXX	\$136.55	\$121.73	-10.9%
88360	26	Tumor immunohistochem/manual	A	XXX	\$55.70	\$56.57	1.6%
88360	TC	Tumor immunohistochem/manual	A	XXX	\$80.85	\$65.16	-19.4%
88361		Tumor immunohistochem/comput	A	XXX	\$170.32	\$149.66	-12.1%
88361	26	Tumor immunohistochem/comput	A	XXX	\$60.37	\$60.87	0.8%
88361	TC	Tumor immunohistochem/comput	A	XXX	\$109.96	\$88.79	-19.3%
88362		Nerve teasing preparations	A	XXX	\$297.53	\$261.37	-12.2%
88362	26	Nerve teasing preparations	A	XXX	\$113.19	\$112.78	-0.4%
88362	TC	Nerve teasing preparations	A	XXX	\$184.34	\$148.59	-19.4%
88363		Xm archive tissue molec anal	A	XXX	\$23.00	\$23.27	1.2%
88364		Insitu hybridization (fish)	A	ZZZ	\$97.74	\$135.34	38.5%
88364	26	Insitu hybridization (fish)	A	ZZZ	\$27.31	\$35.09	28.5%
88364	TC	Insitu hybridization (fish)	A	ZZZ	\$70.43	\$100.25	42.3%
88365		Insitu hybridization (fish)	A	XXX	\$157.39	\$178.31	13.3%

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88365	26	Insitu hybridization (fish)	A	XXX	\$44.92	\$45.83	2.0%
88365	TC	Insitu hybridization (fish)	A	XXX	\$112.47	\$132.48	17.8%
88366		Insitu hybridization (fish)	A	XXX	\$234.65	\$263.16	12.2%
88366	26	Insitu hybridization (fish)	A	XXX	\$63.24	\$64.81	2.5%
88366	TC	Insitu hybridization (fish)	A	XXX	\$171.40	\$198.36	15.7%
88367		Insitu hybridization auto	A	XXX	\$107.80	\$107.05	-0.7%
88367	26	Insitu hybridization auto	A	XXX	\$35.57	\$35.80	0.6%
88367	TC	Insitu hybridization auto	A	XXX	\$72.23	\$71.25	-1.4%
88368		Insitu hybridization manual	A	XXX	\$109.24	\$114.57	4.9%
88368	26	Insitu hybridization manual	A	XXX	\$41.32	\$41.17	-0.4%
88368	TC	Insitu hybridization manual	A	XXX	\$67.91	\$73.40	8.1%
88369		M/phmtrc alyshquant/semi	A	ZZZ	\$74.02	\$108.49	46.6%
88369	26	M/phmtrc alyshquant/semi	A	ZZZ	\$25.15	\$31.87	26.7%
88369	TC	M/phmtrc alyshquant/semi	A	ZZZ	\$48.87	\$76.62	56.8%
88371	26	Protein western blot tissue	A	XXX	\$19.04	\$18.62	-2.2%
88372	26	Protein analysis w/probe	A	XXX	\$19.04	\$18.62	-2.2%
88373		M/phmtrc alyshquant/semi	A	ZZZ	\$60.73	\$75.19	23.8%
88373	26	M/phmtrc alyshquant/semi	A	ZZZ	\$21.20	\$21.48	1.3%
88373	TC	M/phmtrc alyshquant/semi	A	ZZZ	\$39.53	\$53.71	35.9%
88374		M/phmtrc alyshquant/semi	A	XXX	\$205.54	\$345.87	68.3%
88374	26	M/phmtrc alyshquant/semi	A	XXX	\$45.28	\$46.19	2.0%
88374	TC	M/phmtrc alyshquant/semi	A	XXX	\$160.26	\$299.68	87.0%
88375		Optical endomicroscopy interp	A	XXX	\$48.15	\$50.13	4.1%
88377		M/phmtrc alyshquant/semi	A	XXX	\$214.88	\$412.11	91.8%
88377	26	M/phmtrc alyshquant/semi	A	XXX	\$65.76	\$66.60	1.3%
88377	TC	M/phmtrc alyshquant/semi	A	XXX	\$149.12	\$345.51	131.7%
88380		Microdissection laser	A	XXX	\$133.31	\$145.72	9.3%
88380	26	Microdissection laser	A	XXX	\$56.77	\$58.72	3.4%
88380	TC	Microdissection laser	A	XXX	\$76.54	\$87.00	13.7%
88381		Microdissection manual	A	XXX	\$125.05	\$118.15	-5.5%
88381	26	Microdissection manual	A	XXX	\$26.23	\$25.78	-1.7%
88381	TC	Microdissection manual	A	XXX	\$98.82	\$92.38	-6.5%
88387		Tiss exam molecular study	A	XXX	\$43.12	\$42.61	-1.2%
88387	26	Tiss exam molecular study	A	XXX	\$33.06	\$33.30	0.7%
88387	TC	Tiss exam molecular study	A	XXX	\$10.06	\$9.31	-7.5%
88388		Tiss ex molecul study add-on	A	XXX	\$34.50	\$35.09	1.7%
88388	26	Tiss ex molecul study add-on	A	XXX	\$24.79	\$25.06	1.1%
88388	TC	Tiss ex molecul study add-on	A	XXX	\$9.70	\$10.03	3.4%
89060	26	Exam synovial fluid crystals	A	XXX	\$19.04	\$18.62	-2.2%
G0124		Screen c/v thin layer by md	A	XXX	\$32.70	\$32.94	0.7%
G0141		Scr c/v cyto,autosys and md	A	XXX	\$32.70	\$32.94	0.7%
G0364		Bone marrow aspirate & biopsy	A	ZZZ	\$12.58	\$12.53	-0.4%
G0416		Prostate biopsy, any mthd	A	XXX	\$649.32	\$534.20	-17.7%
G0416	26	Prostate biopsy, any mthd	A	XXX	\$182.90	\$157.90	-13.7%
G0416	TC	Prostate biopsy, any mthd	A	XXX	\$466.42	\$376.30	-19.3%
G0452	26	Molecular pathology interpr	A	XXX	\$19.04	\$18.62	-2.2%
P3001		Screening pap smear by phys	A	XXX	\$32.70	\$32.94	0.7%

* Conversion Factor 2015 December 2015 = \$35.9335

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