

# Medicare Physician Fee Schedule

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| 10004              |     | Fna bx w/o img gdn ea addl   | A      | \$53.41                   | \$52.34                    | -2%                    |
| 10005              |     | Fna bx w/us gdn 1st les      | A      | \$132.45                  | \$139.22                   | 5%                     |
| 10006              |     | Fna bx w/us gdn ea addl      | A      | \$61.35                   | \$61.76                    | 1%                     |
| 10021              |     | Fna bx w/o img gdn 1st les   | A      | \$101.05                  | \$105.38                   | 4%                     |
| 36430              |     | Blood transfusion service    | A      | \$35.73                   | \$37.68                    | 5%                     |
| 36440              |     | Bl push transfuse 2 yr/<     | A      | \$53.05                   | \$50.94                    | -4%                    |
| 36450              |     | Bl exchange/transfuse nb     | A      | \$177.92                  | \$173.42                   | -3%                    |
| 36455              |     | Bl exchange/transfuse non-nb | A      | \$132.81                  | \$128.76                   | -3%                    |
| 36460              |     | Transfusion service fetal    | A      | \$364.50                  | \$353.12                   | -3%                    |
| 36511              |     | Apheresis wbc                | A      | \$113.68                  | \$111.66                   | -2%                    |
| 36512              |     | Apheresis rbc                | A      | \$112.60                  | \$109.22                   | -3%                    |
| 36513              |     | Apheresis platelets          | A      | \$113.68                  | \$110.26                   | -3%                    |
| 36514              |     | Apheresis plasma             | A      | \$691.84                  | \$661.92                   | -4%                    |
| 36516              |     | Apheresis immunoads slctv    | A      | \$2,000.81                | \$2,041.60                 | 2%                     |
| 36522              |     | Photopheresis                | A      | \$1,970.49                | \$1,767.68                 | -10%                   |
| 36600              |     | Withdrawal of arterial blood | A      | \$31.04                   | \$30.36                    | -2%                    |
| 38205              |     | Harvest allogeneic stem cell | R      | \$88.06                   | \$86.19                    | -2%                    |
| 38206              |     | Harvest auto stem cells      | R      | \$87.70                   | \$86.19                    | -2%                    |
| 38220              |     | Dx bone marrow aspirations   | A      | \$172.15                  | \$172.37                   | 0%                     |
| 38221              |     | Dx bone marrow biopsies      | A      | \$161.32                  | \$165.39                   | 3%                     |
| 38222              |     | Dx bone marrow bx & aspir    | A      | \$178.28                  | \$181.44                   | 2%                     |
| 38230              |     | Bone marrow harvest allogen  | A      | \$213.65                  | \$209.01                   | -2%                    |
| 38232              |     | Bone marrow harvest autolog  | A      | \$207.88                  | \$203.78                   | -2%                    |
| 80500              |     | Lab pathology consultation   | A      | \$23.10                   | \$22.33                    | -3%                    |
| 80502              |     | Lab pathology consultation   | A      | \$76.15                   | \$72.58                    | -5%                    |
| 83020              | 26  | Hemoglobin electrophoresis   | A      | \$19.13                   | \$18.49                    | -3%                    |
| 84165              | 26  | Protein e-phoresis serum     | A      | \$19.13                   | \$18.49                    | -3%                    |
| 84166              | 26  | Protein e-phoresis/urine/csf | A      | \$19.13                   | \$18.49                    | -3%                    |
| 84181              | 26  | Western blot test            | A      | \$19.13                   | \$18.49                    | -3%                    |
| 84182              | 26  | Protein western blot test    | A      | \$19.13                   | \$18.49                    | -3%                    |
| 85060              |     | Blood smear interpretation   | A      | \$25.26                   | \$24.77                    | -2%                    |
| 85097              |     | Bone marrow interpretation   | A      | \$71.46                   | \$69.79                    | -2%                    |
| 85390              | 26  | Fibrinolytics screen i&r     | A      | \$38.62                   | \$37.68                    | -2%                    |
| 85396              |     | Clotting assay whole blood   | A      | \$20.93                   | \$19.89                    | -5%                    |
| 85576              | 26  | Blood platelet aggregation   | A      | \$19.13                   | \$18.49                    | -3%                    |
| 86077              |     | Phys blood bank serv xmatch  | A      | \$56.30                   | \$54.43                    | -3%                    |
| 86078              |     | Phys blood bank serv reactj  | A      | \$56.30                   | \$54.43                    | -3%                    |
| 86079              |     | Phys blood bank serv authrj  | A      | \$56.30                   | \$54.08                    | -4%                    |
| 86153              | 26  | Cell enumeration phys interp | A      | \$35.73                   | \$34.89                    | -2%                    |
| 86255              | 26  | Fluorescent antibody screen  | A      | \$19.13                   | \$18.49                    | -3%                    |
| 86256              | 26  | Fluorescent antibody titer   | A      | \$19.13                   | \$18.49                    | -3%                    |
| 86320              | 26  | Serum immunoelectrophoresis  | A      | \$19.13                   | \$18.49                    | -3%                    |
| 86325              | 26  | Other immunoelectrophoresis  | A      | \$19.13                   | \$18.49                    | -3%                    |
| 86327              | 26  | Immunoelectrophoresis assay  | A      | \$23.10                   | \$22.33                    | -3%                    |
| 86334              | 26  | Immunofix e-phoresis serum   | A      | \$19.13                   | \$18.49                    | -3%                    |

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| 86335              | 26  | Immunfix e-phorsis/urine/csf | A      | \$19.13                   | \$18.49                    | -3%                    |
| 87164              | 26  | Dark field examination       | A      | \$20.57                   | \$19.54                    | -5%                    |
| 87207              | 26  | Smear special stain          | A      | \$19.13                   | \$18.49                    | -3%                    |
| 88104              |     | Cytopath fl nongyn smears    | A      | \$69.65                   | \$67.34                    | -3%                    |
| 88104              | 26  | Cytopath fl nongyn smears    | A      | \$29.23                   | \$27.57                    | -6%                    |
| 88104              | TC  | Cytopath fl nongyn smears    | A      | \$40.42                   | \$39.78                    | -2%                    |
| 88106              |     | Cytopath fl nongyn filter    | A      | \$66.04                   | \$66.99                    | 1%                     |
| 88106              | 26  | Cytopath fl nongyn filter    | A      | \$20.21                   | \$19.54                    | -3%                    |
| 88106              | TC  | Cytopath fl nongyn filter    | A      | \$45.83                   | \$47.45                    | 4%                     |
| 88108              |     | Cytopath concentrate tech    | A      | \$63.16                   | \$63.85                    | 1%                     |
| 88108              | 26  | Cytopath concentrate tech    | A      | \$23.46                   | \$22.68                    | -3%                    |
| 88108              | TC  | Cytopath concentrate tech    | A      | \$39.70                   | \$41.17                    | 4%                     |
| 88112              |     | Cytopath cell enhance tech   | A      | \$68.57                   | \$67.69                    | -1%                    |
| 88112              | 26  | Cytopath cell enhance tech   | A      | \$28.87                   | \$27.91                    | -3%                    |
| 88112              | TC  | Cytopath cell enhance tech   | A      | \$39.70                   | \$39.78                    | 0%                     |
| 88120              |     | Cytp urne 3-5 probes ea spec | A      | \$589.34                  | \$632.96                   | 7%                     |
| 88120              | 26  | Cytp urne 3-5 probes ea spec | A      | \$60.27                   | \$58.27                    | -3%                    |
| 88120              | TC  | Cytp urne 3-5 probes ea spec | A      | \$529.07                  | \$574.69                   | 9%                     |
| 88121              |     | Cytp urine 3-5 probes cmptr  | A      | \$450.40                  | \$456.75                   | 1%                     |
| 88121              | 26  | Cytp urine 3-5 probes cmptr  | A      | \$50.89                   | \$48.50                    | -5%                    |
| 88121              | TC  | Cytp urine 3-5 probes cmptr  | A      | \$399.51                  | \$408.25                   | 2%                     |
| 88125              |     | Forensic cytopathology       | A      | \$27.07                   | \$26.87                    | -1%                    |
| 88125              | 26  | Forensic cytopathology       | A      | \$14.44                   | \$13.96                    | -3%                    |
| 88125              | TC  | Forensic cytopathology       | A      | \$12.63                   | \$12.91                    | 2%                     |
| 88141              |     | Cytopath c/v interpret       | A      | \$26.35                   | \$21.98                    | -17%                   |
| 88160              |     | Cytopath smear other source  | A      | \$72.54                   | \$71.88                    | -1%                    |
| 88160              | 26  | Cytopath smear other source  | A      | \$27.07                   | \$25.82                    | -5%                    |
| 88160              | TC  | Cytopath smear other source  | A      | \$45.47                   | \$46.06                    | 1%                     |
| 88161              |     | Cytopath smear other source  | A      | \$69.65                   | \$71.88                    | 3%                     |
| 88161              | 26  | Cytopath smear other source  | A      | \$26.35                   | \$25.47                    | -3%                    |
| 88161              | TC  | Cytopath smear other source  | A      | \$43.31                   | \$46.41                    | 7%                     |
| 88162              |     | Cytopath smear other source  | A      | \$101.05                  | \$104.33                   | 3%                     |
| 88162              | 26  | Cytopath smear other source  | A      | \$40.06                   | \$39.08                    | -2%                    |
| 88162              | TC  | Cytopath smear other source  | A      | \$60.99                   | \$65.25                    | 7%                     |
| 88172              |     | Cytp dx eval fna 1st ea site | A      | \$57.02                   | \$55.83                    | -2%                    |
| 88172              | 26  | Cytp dx eval fna 1st ea site | A      | \$37.53                   | \$35.94                    | -4%                    |
| 88172              | TC  | Cytp dx eval fna 1st ea site | A      | \$19.49                   | \$19.89                    | 2%                     |
| 88173              |     | Cytopath eval fna report     | A      | \$157.35                  | \$156.67                   | 0%                     |
| 88173              | 26  | Cytopath eval fna report     | A      | \$73.98                   | \$71.18                    | -4%                    |
| 88173              | TC  | Cytopath eval fna report     | A      | \$83.37                   | \$85.49                    | 3%                     |
| 88177              |     | Cytp fna eval ea addl        | A      | \$30.32                   | \$29.31                    | -3%                    |
| 88177              | 26  | Cytp fna eval ea addl        | A      | \$23.10                   | \$21.98                    | -5%                    |
| 88177              | TC  | Cytp fna eval ea addl        | A      | \$7.22                    | \$7.33                     | 2%                     |
| 88182              |     | Cell marker study            | A      | \$140.39                  | \$140.62                   | 0%                     |
| 88182              | 26  | Cell marker study            | A      | \$40.42                   | \$38.73                    | -4%                    |

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| 88182    | TC  | Cell marker study            | A      | \$99.97     | \$101.89     | 2%         |
| 88184    |     | Flowcytometry/ tc 1 marker   | A      | \$68.21     | \$69.79      | 2%         |
| 88185    |     | Flowcytometry/tc add-on      | A      | \$22.38     | \$23.03      | 3%         |
| 88187    |     | Flowcytometry/read 2-8       | A      | \$39.34     | \$36.64      | -7%        |
| 88188    |     | Flowcytometry/read 9-15      | A      | \$66.04     | \$62.81      | -5%        |
| 88189    |     | Flowcytometry/read 16 & >    | A      | \$88.78     | \$85.14      | -4%        |
| 88291    |     | Cyto/molecular report        | A      | \$34.65     | \$33.85      | -2%        |
| 88300    |     | Surgical path gross          | A      | \$15.88     | \$15.70      | -1%        |
| 88300    | 26  | Surgical path gross          | A      | \$4.69      | \$4.54       | -3%        |
| 88300    | TC  | Surgical path gross          | A      | \$11.19     | \$11.17      | 0%         |
| 88302    |     | Tissue exam by pathologist   | A      | \$31.40     | \$32.10      | 2%         |
| 88302    | 26  | Tissue exam by pathologist   | A      | \$7.22      | \$6.98       | -3%        |
| 88302    | TC  | Tissue exam by pathologist   | A      | \$24.18     | \$25.12      | 4%         |
| 88304    |     | Tissue exam by pathologist   | A      | \$41.86     | \$42.22      | 1%         |
| 88304    | 26  | Tissue exam by pathologist   | A      | \$11.91     | \$11.51      | -3%        |
| 88304    | TC  | Tissue exam by pathologist   | A      | \$29.95     | \$30.71      | 3%         |
| 88305    |     | Tissue exam by pathologist   | A      | \$71.46     | \$71.53      | 0%         |
| 88305    | 26  | Tissue exam by pathologist   | A      | \$39.34     | \$37.68      | -4%        |
| 88305    | TC  | Tissue exam by pathologist   | A      | \$32.12     | \$33.85      | 5%         |
| 88307    |     | Tissue exam by pathologist   | A      | \$281.50    | \$290.31     | 3%         |
| 88307    | 26  | Tissue exam by pathologist   | A      | \$86.62     | \$83.39      | -4%        |
| 88307    | TC  | Tissue exam by pathologist   | A      | \$194.88    | \$206.92     | 6%         |
| 88309    |     | Tissue exam by pathologist   | A      | \$427.66    | \$441.75     | 3%         |
| 88309    | 26  | Tissue exam by pathologist   | A      | \$152.66    | \$146.90     | -4%        |
| 88309    | TC  | Tissue exam by pathologist   | A      | \$275.00    | \$294.85     | 7%         |
| 88311    |     | Decalcify tissue             | A      | \$22.01     | \$21.28      | -3%        |
| 88311    | 26  | Decalcify tissue             | A      | \$12.99     | \$12.56      | -3%        |
| 88311    | TC  | Decalcify tissue             | A      | \$9.02      | \$8.72       | -3%        |
| 88312    |     | Special stains group 1       | A      | \$107.19    | \$113.05     | 5%         |
| 88312    | 26  | Special stains group 1       | A      | \$27.79     | \$26.87      | -3%        |
| 88312    | TC  | Special stains group 1       | A      | \$79.40     | \$86.19      | 9%         |
| 88313    |     | Special stains group 2       | A      | \$77.23     | \$81.65      | 6%         |
| 88313    | 26  | Special stains group 2       | A      | \$12.63     | \$12.21      | -3%        |
| 88313    | TC  | Special stains group 2       | A      | \$64.60     | \$69.44      | 7%         |
| 88314    |     | Histochemical stains add-on  | A      | \$98.52     | \$101.54     | 3%         |
| 88314    | 26  | Histochemical stains add-on  | A      | \$23.10     | \$21.63      | -6%        |
| 88314    | TC  | Histochemical stains add-on  | A      | \$75.43     | \$79.91      | 6%         |
| 88319    |     | Enzyme histochemistry        | A      | \$113.68    | \$130.15     | 14%        |
| 88319    | 26  | Enzyme histochemistry        | A      | \$28.15     | \$27.22      | -3%        |
| 88319    | TC  | Enzyme histochemistry        | A      | \$85.53     | \$102.93     | 20%        |
| 88321    |     | Microslide consultation      | A      | \$102.49    | \$99.10      | -3%        |
| 88323    |     | Microslide consultation      | A      | \$117.65    | \$114.80     | -2%        |
| 88323    | 26  | Microslide consultation      | A      | \$90.95     | \$87.58      | -4%        |
| 88323    | TC  | Microslide consultation      | A      | \$26.71     | \$27.22      | 2%         |
| 88325    |     | Comprehensive review of data | A      | \$179.00    | \$166.79     | -7%        |

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| 88329               |     | Path consult introp          | A      | \$54.50                   | \$59.32                    | 9%                     |
| 88331               |     | Path consult intraop 1 bloc  | A      | \$100.33                  | \$104.68                   | 4%                     |
| 88331               | 26  | Path consult intraop 1 bloc  | A      | \$65.32                   | \$62.46                    | -4%                    |
| 88331               | TC  | Path consult intraop 1 bloc  | A      | \$35.01                   | \$42.22                    | 21%                    |
| 88332               |     | Path consult intraop addl    | A      | \$55.58                   | \$55.13                    | -1%                    |
| 88332               | 26  | Path consult intraop addl    | A      | \$32.48                   | \$31.05                    | -4%                    |
| 88332               | TC  | Path consult intraop addl    | A      | \$23.10                   | \$24.08                    | 4%                     |
| 88333               |     | Intraop cyto path consult 1  | A      | \$92.03                   | \$96.30                    | 5%                     |
| 88333               | 26  | Intraop cyto path consult 1  | A      | \$65.32                   | \$62.46                    | -4%                    |
| 88333               | TC  | Intraop cyto path consult 1  | A      | \$26.71                   | \$33.85                    | 27%                    |
| 88334               |     | Intraop cyto path consult 2  | A      | \$57.74                   | \$57.22                    | -1%                    |
| 88334               | 26  | Intraop cyto path consult 2  | A      | \$39.70                   | \$38.03                    | -4%                    |
| 88334               | TC  | Intraop cyto path consult 2  | A      | \$18.04                   | \$19.19                    | 6%                     |
| 88341               |     | Immunohisto antib addl slide | A      | \$94.19                   | \$93.86                    | 0%                     |
| 88341               | 26  | Immunohisto antib addl slide | A      | \$29.59                   | \$28.61                    | -3%                    |
| 88341               | TC  | Immunohisto antib addl slide | A      | \$64.60                   | \$65.25                    | 1%                     |
| 88342               |     | Immunohisto antib 1st stain  | A      | \$107.19                  | \$106.08                   | -1%                    |
| 88342               | 26  | Immunohisto antib 1st stain  | A      | \$36.81                   | \$35.24                    | -4%                    |
| 88342               | TC  | Immunohisto antib 1st stain  | A      | \$70.37                   | \$70.83                    | 1%                     |
| 88344               |     | Immunohisto antibody slide   | A      | \$175.40                  | \$178.30                   | 2%                     |
| 88344               | 26  | Immunohisto antibody slide   | A      | \$40.06                   | \$38.38                    | -4%                    |
| 88344               | TC  | Immunohisto antibody slide   | A      | \$135.34                  | \$139.92                   | 3%                     |
| 88346               |     | Immunofluor antib 1st stain  | A      | \$128.48                  | \$145.85                   | 14%                    |
| 88346               | 26  | Immunofluor antib 1st stain  | A      | \$37.53                   | \$36.29                    | -3%                    |
| 88346               | TC  | Immunofluor antib 1st stain  | A      | \$90.95                   | \$109.56                   | 20%                    |
| 88348               |     | Electron microscopy          | A      | \$394.10                  | \$432.67                   | 10%                    |
| 88348               | 26  | Electron microscopy          | A      | \$79.76                   | \$78.16                    | -2%                    |
| 88348               | TC  | Electron microscopy          | A      | \$314.34                  | \$354.51                   | 13%                    |
| 88350               |     | Immunofluor antib addl stain | A      | \$94.19                   | \$110.61                   | 17%                    |
| 88350               | 26  | Immunofluor antib addl stain | A      | \$30.32                   | \$29.31                    | -3%                    |
| 88350               | TC  | Immunofluor antib addl stain | A      | \$63.88                   | \$81.30                    | 27%                    |
| 88355               |     | Analysis skeletal muscle     | A      | \$140.03                  | \$145.50                   | 4%                     |
| 88355               | 26  | Analysis skeletal muscle     | A      | \$85.89                   | \$84.09                    | -2%                    |
| 88355               | TC  | Analysis skeletal muscle     | A      | \$54.13                   | \$61.41                    | 13%                    |
| 88356               |     | Analysis nerve               | A      | \$240.36                  | \$243.90                   | 1%                     |
| 88356               | 26  | Analysis nerve               | A      | \$133.89                  | \$130.15                   | -3%                    |
| 88356               | TC  | Analysis nerve               | A      | \$106.46                  | \$113.75                   | 7%                     |
| 88358               |     | Analysis tumor               | A      | \$136.06                  | \$140.97                   | 4%                     |
| 88358               | 26  | Analysis tumor               | A      | \$52.33                   | \$50.25                    | -4%                    |
| 88358               | TC  | Analysis tumor               | A      | \$83.73                   | \$90.72                    | 8%                     |
| 88360               |     | Tumor immunohistochem/manual | A      | \$127.40                  | \$124.92                   | -2%                    |
| 88360               | 26  | Tumor immunohistochem/manual | A      | \$44.03                   | \$42.22                    | -4%                    |
| 88360               | TC  | Tumor immunohistochem/manual | A      | \$83.37                   | \$82.70                    | -1%                    |
| 88361               |     | Tumor immunohistochem/comput | A      | \$129.20                  | \$124.22                   | -4%                    |
| 88361               | 26  | Tumor immunohistochem/comput | A      | \$46.56                   | \$43.97                    | -6%                    |

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| 88361              | TC  | Tumor immunohistochem/comput  | A      | \$82.65                   | \$80.25                    | -3%                    |
| 88362              |     | Nerve teasing preparations    | A      | \$232.42                  | \$224.36                   | -3%                    |
| 88362              | 26  | Nerve teasing preparations    | A      | \$118.01                  | \$113.05                   | -4%                    |
| 88362              | TC  | Nerve teasing preparations    | A      | \$114.40                  | \$111.31                   | -3%                    |
| 88363              |     | Xm archive tissue molec anal  | A      | \$24.18                   | \$23.38                    | -3%                    |
| 88364              |     | Insitu hybridization (fish)   | A      | \$140.39                  | \$144.46                   | 3%                     |
| 88364              | 26  | Insitu hybridization (fish)   | A      | \$36.09                   | \$34.89                    | -3%                    |
| 88364              | TC  | Insitu hybridization (fish)   | A      | \$104.30                  | \$109.56                   | 5%                     |
| 88365              |     | Insitu hybridization (fish)   | A      | \$184.06                  | \$185.98                   | 1%                     |
| 88365              | 26  | Insitu hybridization (fish)   | A      | \$45.83                   | \$43.97                    | -4%                    |
| 88365              | TC  | Insitu hybridization (fish)   | A      | \$138.22                  | \$142.01                   | 3%                     |
| 88366              |     | Insitu hybridization (fish)   | A      | \$281.50                  | \$293.45                   | 4%                     |
| 88366              | 26  | Insitu hybridization (fish)   | A      | \$64.96                   | \$62.46                    | -4%                    |
| 88366              | TC  | Insitu hybridization (fish)   | A      | \$216.54                  | \$230.99                   | 7%                     |
| 88367              |     | Insitu hybridization auto     | A      | \$115.13                  | \$115.85                   | 1%                     |
| 88367              | 26  | Insitu hybridization auto     | A      | \$35.73                   | \$33.85                    | -5%                    |
| 88367              | TC  | Insitu hybridization auto     | A      | \$79.40                   | \$82.00                    | 3%                     |
| 88368              |     | Insitu hybridization manual   | A      | \$133.89                  | \$137.13                   | 2%                     |
| 88368              | 26  | Insitu hybridization manual   | A      | \$43.31                   | \$41.52                    | -4%                    |
| 88368              | TC  | Insitu hybridization manual   | A      | \$90.58                   | \$95.61                    | 6%                     |
| 88369              |     | M/phmtrc alyshquant/semi      | A      | \$116.57                  | \$118.29                   | 1%                     |
| 88369              | 26  | M/phmtrc alyshquant/semi      | A      | \$33.92                   | \$32.45                    | -4%                    |
| 88369              | TC  | M/phmtrc alyshquant/semi      | A      | \$82.65                   | \$85.84                    | 4%                     |
| 88371              | 26  | Protein western blot tissue   | A      | \$20.57                   | \$19.54                    | -5%                    |
| 88372              | 26  | Protein analysis w/probe      | A      | \$19.13                   | \$18.49                    | -3%                    |
| 88373              |     | M/phmtrc alyshquant/semi      | A      | \$75.07                   | \$73.28                    | -2%                    |
| 88373              | 26  | M/phmtrc alyshquant/semi      | A      | \$27.79                   | \$26.17                    | -6%                    |
| 88373              | TC  | M/phmtrc alyshquant/semi      | A      | \$47.28                   | \$47.11                    | 0%                     |
| 88374              |     | M/phmtrc alyshquant/semi      | A      | \$348.26                  | \$352.42                   | 1%                     |
| 88374              | 26  | M/phmtrc alyshquant/semi      | A      | \$46.19                   | \$43.97                    | -5%                    |
| 88374              | TC  | M/phmtrc alyshquant/semi      | A      | \$302.07                  | \$308.46                   | 2%                     |
| 88375              |     | Optical endomicroscopy interp | A      | \$51.25                   | \$49.20                    | -4%                    |
| 88377              |     | M/phmtrc alyshquant/semi      | A      | \$411.78                  | \$424.65                   | 3%                     |
| 88377              | 26  | M/phmtrc alyshquant/semi      | A      | \$67.49                   | \$64.55                    | -4%                    |
| 88377              | TC  | M/phmtrc alyshquant/semi      | A      | \$344.29                  | \$360.10                   | 5%                     |
| 88380              |     | Microdissection laser         | A      | \$137.86                  | \$134.34                   | -3%                    |
| 88380              | 26  | Microdissection laser         | A      | \$57.74                   | \$55.48                    | -4%                    |
| 88380              | TC  | Microdissection laser         | A      | \$80.12                   | \$78.86                    | -2%                    |
| 88381              |     | Microdissection manual        | A      | \$182.97                  | \$204.82                   | 12%                    |
| 88381              | 26  | Microdissection manual        | A      | \$25.98                   | \$24.77                    | -5%                    |
| 88381              | TC  | Microdissection manual        | A      | \$156.99                  | \$180.05                   | 15%                    |
| 88387              |     | Tiss exam molecular study     | A      | \$36.09                   | \$35.59                    | -1%                    |
| 88387              | 26  | Tiss exam molecular study     | A      | \$28.87                   | \$27.57                    | -5%                    |
| 88387              | TC  | Tiss exam molecular study     | A      | \$7.22                    | \$8.03                     | 11%                    |
| 88388              |     | Tiss ex molecu study add-on   | A      | \$37.53                   | \$37.68                    | 0%                     |



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and Updated Conversion Factor (Released Jan. 2021)



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| HCP/     |     |                              |        | NF Payment  | NF Payment   | NF Payment |
|----------|-----|------------------------------|--------|-------------|--------------|------------|
| CPT Code | Mod | Description                  | Status | Final 2020* | Final 2021** | % Change   |
| 88388    | 26  | Tiss ex molecu study add-on  | A      | \$24.90     | \$23.73      | -5%        |
| 88388    | TC  | Tiss ex molecu study add-on  | A      | \$12.63     | \$13.96      | 10%        |
| 89060    | 26  | Exam synovial fluid crystals | A      | \$19.13     | \$18.49      | -3%        |
| 96931    |     | Rcm celur subcelur img skn   | A      | \$175.76    | \$179.35     | 2%         |
| 96932    |     | Rcm celur subcelur img skn   | A      | \$128.84    | \$133.99     | 4%         |
| 96933    |     | Rcm celur subcelur img skn   | A      | \$46.92     | \$45.36      | -3%        |
| 96934    |     | Rcm celur subcelur img skn   | A      | \$107.19    | \$116.54     | 9%         |
| 96935    |     | Rcm celur subcelur img skn   | A      | \$62.44     | \$73.28      | 17%        |
| 96936    |     | Rcm celur subcelur img skn   | A      | \$44.75     | \$43.27      | -3%        |
| G0124    |     | Screen c/v thin layer by md  | A      | \$26.35     | \$21.98      | -17%       |
| G0141    |     | Scr c/v cyto,autosys and md  | A      | \$26.35     | \$21.98      | -17%       |
| G0416    |     | Prostate biopsy, any mthd    | A      | \$347.90    | \$354.16     | 2%         |
| G0416    | 26  | Prostate biopsy, any mthd    | A      | \$185.50    | \$178.65     | -4%        |
| G0416    | TC  | Prostate biopsy, any mthd    | A      | \$162.40    | \$175.51     | 8%         |
| G0452    | 26  | Molecular pathology interpr  | A      | \$19.13     | \$46.41      | 143%       |
| P3001    |     | Screening pap smear by phys  | A      | \$26.35     | \$21.98      | -17%       |

\*Conversion Factor for CY2020=\$36.0896, NF indicates Non-Facility

\*\*Final Conversion Factor for CY2021=\$34.8931, NF indicates Non-Facility

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