2013 CPT Codes - SURGERY

Cardiovascular System

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New Codes

New catheter placement codes have been introduced for angiography procedures that bundle in the radiological supervision and guidance.

33361 – Transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR/TAVI) with prosthetic valve; percutaneous femoral artery approach
33362 - Transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR/TAVI) with prosthetic valve; open femoral artery approach
33363 - Transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR/TAVI) with prosthetic valve; open axillary artery approach
33364 - Transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR/TAVI) with prosthetic valve; open iliac artery approach
33365 - Transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR/TAVI) with prosthetic valve; transaortic approach (eg, medial sternotomy, mediastinotomy)
33367 - Transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR/TAVI) with prosthetic valve; cardiopulmonary bypass support with percutaneous peripheral arterial and venous cannulation (eg, femoral vessels) (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure) (Add-on code)
33368 - Transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR/TAVI) with prosthetic valve; cardiopulmonary bypass support with open peripheral arterial and venous cannulation (eg, femoral, iliac, axillary vessels) (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure) (Add-on code)
33369 - Transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR/TAVI) with prosthetic valve; cardiopulmonary bypass support with open peripheral arterial and venous cannulation (eg, aorta, right atrium, pulmonary artery) (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure) (Add-on code)
33990 – Insertion of ventricular assist device, percutaneous including radiological supervision and interpretation; arterial access only.
33991 – Insertion of ventricular assist device, percutaneous including radiological supervision and interpretation; both arterial and venous access, with transseptal puncture
33992 – Removal of percutaneous ventricular assist device at separate and distinct session from insertion
33993 – Repositioning of percutaneous ventricular assist device with imaging guidance at separate and distinct session from insertion
36221 – Non-selective catheter placement, thoracic aorta, with angiography of the extracranial carotid, vertebral, and/or intracranial vessels, unilateral or bilateral, and all associated radiological supervision and interpretation, includes angiography of the cervicocerebral arch, when performed
36222 – Selective catheter placement, common carotid or innominate artery, unilateral, any approach, with angiography of the ipsilateral extracranial carotid circulation and all associated radiological supervision and interpretation, includes angiography of the cervicocerebral arch, when performed.
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Cardiovascular Codes (Cont’d)

36223 – Selective catheter placement, common carotid or innominate artery, unilateral, any approach, with angiography of the ipsilateral extracranial carotid circulation and all associated radiological supervision and interpretation, includes angiography of the extracranial carotid and cervicocerebral arch, when performed.

36224 – Selective catheter placement, internal carotid artery, unilateral, with angiography of the ipsilateral intracranial carotid circulation and all associated radiological supervision and interpretation, includes angiography of the extracranial carotid and cervicocerebral arch, when performed

36225 – Selective catheter placement, subclavian or innominate artery, unilateral, with angiography of the ipsilateral vertebral circulation and all associated radiological supervision and interpretation, includes angiography of the cervicocerebral arch, when performed.

36226 – Selective catheter placement, vertebral artery, unilateral, with angiography the ipsilateral vertebral circulation and all associated radiological supervision and interpretation, includes angiography of the cervicocerebral arch, when performed

36227 – Selective catheter placement, external carotid artery, unilateral, with angiography of the ipsilateral external carotid circulation and all associated radiological supervision and interpretation (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)

36228 – Selective catheter placement each intracranial branch of the internal carotid or vertebral arteries, unilateral, with angiography of the selected vessel carotid circulation and all associated radiological supervision and interpretation (eg, middle cerebral artery, posterior inferior cerebellar artery) (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)

37197 – Transcatheter retrieval, percutaneous, of intravascular foreign body (eg, fractured venous or arterial catheter), includes radiological supervision and interpretation, and imaging guidance (ultrasound or fluoroscopy), when performed

37211 – Transcatheter therapy, arterial infusion for thrombolysis other than coronary, including radiological supervision and interpretation, initial treatment day

37212 – Transcatheter therapy, venous infusion for thrombolysis other than coronary, including radiological supervision and interpretation, initial treatment day

37213 – Transcatheter therapy, arterial or venous infusion for thrombolysis other than coronary, any method, including radiological supervision and interpretation, continued treatment on subsequent day during course of thrombolytic therapy, including follow-up catheter contrast injection, position change, or exchange, when performed;

37214 – Transcatheter therapy, arterial or venous infusion for thrombolysis other than coronary, any method, including radiological supervision and interpretation, continued treatment on subsequent day during course of thrombolytic therapy, including follow-up catheter contrast injection, position change, or exchange, when performed; cessation of thrombolysis including removal of catheter and vessel closure by any method

Deleted Codes

37201 – Transcatheter therapy, infusion for thrombolysis other than coronary
37203 – Transcatheter retrieval, percutaneous of intravascular foreign body (eg, fractured venous or arterial catheter)
37209 – Exchange of a previously placed intravascular catheter during thrombolytic therapy
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Cardiovascular Codes (Cont’d)

Revised Codes

33225 – Insertion of pacing electrode, cardiac venous system, for left ventricular pacing, at time of insertion of pacing cardioverter-defibrillator or pacemaker pulse generator (including eg. for upgrade to dual chamber system and pocket revision (Add-on code)

36010 & 36140 – Introduction of catheter/needle insertion – codes include moderate sedation

36400, 05, 06, 10 – Venipuncture codes (removed the word “physician” and replaced with “physician or other qualified health care professional”)