

CPT Code	Description	Depth	Size	Payable in Office Setting
EXCISIONS				
21011	Tumor, soft tissue of face or scalp	Subcutaneous	Less than 2 cm	YES
21012			2 cm or greater	NO
21013	Tumor, soft tissue of neck or anterior thorax	Subfascial	Less than 2 cm	YES
21014			2 cm or greater	NO
21555	Tumor, soft tissue of back or flank	Subcutaneous	Less than 3 cm	YES
21552			3 cm or greater	NO
21556	Tumor, soft tissue of shoulder area	Subfascial	Less than 5 cm	NO
21554			5 cm or greater	NO
21930	Tumor, soft tissue of upper arm or elbows area	Subcutaneous	Less than 3 cm	YES
21931			3 cm or greater	NO
21932	Tumor, soft tissue of forearm and/or wrist area	Subfascial	Less than 5 cm	NO
21933			5 cm or greater	NO
23075	Tumor or vascular malformation, soft tissue of hand or finger	Subcutaneous	Less than 3 cm	YES
23071			3 cm or greater	NO
23076	Tumor, soft tissue of pelvis and hip area	Subfascial	Less than 5 cm	NO
23073			5 cm or greater	NO
24075	Tumor, soft tissue of forearm and/or wrist area	Subcutaneous	Less than 3 cm	YES
24071			3 cm or greater	NO
24076	Tumor, soft tissue of shoulder area	Subfascial	Less than 5 cm	NO
24073			5 cm or greater	NO
25075	Tumor, soft tissue of face or scalp	Subcutaneous	Less than 3 cm	YES
25071			3 cm or greater	NO
25076	Tumor, soft tissue of neck or anterior thorax	Subfascial	Less than 3 cm	NO
25073			3 cm or greater	NO
26115	Tumor, soft tissue of back or flank	Subcutaneous	Less than 1.5 cm	YES
26111			1.5 cm or greater	NO
26116	Tumor, soft tissue of shoulder area	Subfascial	Less than 1.5 cm	NO
26113			1.5 cm or greater	NO
27047	Tumor, soft tissue of upper arm or elbows area	Subcutaneous	Less than 3 cm	YES
27043			3 cm or greater	NO
27048	Tumor, soft tissue of forearm and/or wrist area	Subfascial	Less than 5 cm	NO
27045			5 cm or greater	NO

27327	Tumor, soft tissue of thigh or knee area	Subcutaneous	Less than 3 cm	YES
27337			3 cm or greater	NO
27328	Subfascial	Less than 5 cm	NO	
27339			5 cm or greater	NO
27618	Tumor, soft tissue of leg (lower) or ankle area	Subcutaneous	Less than 3 cm	YES
27632			3 cm or greater	NO
27619	Subfascial	Less than 5 cm	NO	
27634			5 cm or greater	NO
28043	Tumor, soft tissue of foot or toe	Subcutaneous	Less than 1.5 cm	YES
28039			1.5 cm or greater	YES
28045	Subfascial	Less than 1.5 cm	YES	
28041			1.5 cm or greater	NO
BIOPSIES (EXCISIONAL)				
21550	Soft tissue of neck or thorax	N/A	N/A	YES
21920	Soft tissue of back or flank	Superficial	N/A	YES
21925		Deep		YES
23065	Soft tissue of shoulder area	Superficial	N/A	YES
23066		Deep		YES
24065	Soft tissue of upper arm or elbow area	Superficial	N/A	YES
24066		Deep		YES
25065	Soft tissue of forearm and/or wrist	Superficial	N/A	YES
25066		Deep		NO
27040	Soft tissue of pelvis and hip area	Superficial	N/A	YES
27041		Deep, subfascial or intramuscular		NO
27323	Soft tissue of thigh or knee area	Superficial	N/A	YES
27324		Deep, subfascial or intramuscular		NO
27613	Soft tissue of leg or ankle area	Superficial	N/A	YES
27614		Deep, subfascial or intramuscular		YES

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