

Dermatology Codes – Relative Value Units and Related Information Used in CY 2020 Proposed Rule

2020 CPT ¹ / HCPCS	Mod	Description	2019 Total Non-Facility RVUs ²	2020 Total Non-Facility RVUs ²	% Difference Total NF RVUs	2019 Payment Amount \$	2020 Payment Amount \$	% Payment Difference \$
11102		Tangntl bx skin single les	2.80	2.82	0.71%	\$100.91	\$101.77	0.86%
11103		Tangntl bx skin ea sep/addl	1.51	1.50	-0.66%	\$54.42	\$54.13	-0.52%
11104		Punch bx skin single lesion	3.52	3.54	0.57%	\$126.86	\$127.76	0.71%
11300		Shave skin lesion 0.5 cm/<	2.77	2.82	1.81%	\$99.83	\$101.77	1.95%
11301		Shave skin lesion 0.6-1.0 cm	3.40	3.43	0.88%	\$122.53	\$123.79	1.02%
11302		Shave skin lesion 1.1-2.0 cm	3.98	3.94	-1.01%	\$143.44	\$142.19	-0.87%
11303		Shave skin lesion >2.0 cm	4.39	4.38	-0.23%	\$158.21	\$158.07	-0.09%
17000		Destruct premalg lesion	1.85	1.84	-0.54%	\$66.67	\$66.40	-0.40%
17003		Destruct premalg les 2-14	0.16	0.17	6.25%	\$5.77	\$6.14	6.40%
17004		Destroy premal lesions 15/>	4.31	4.46	3.48%	\$155.33	\$160.96	3.63%
17311		Mohs 1 stage h/n/hf/g	18.98	18.75	-1.21%	\$684.02	\$676.68	-1.07%
17312		Mohs addl stage	11.26	11.23	-0.27%	\$405.80	\$405.29	-0.13%
88305		Tissue exam by pathologist	1.95	1.98	1.54%	\$70.28	\$71.46	1.68%
88305	TC	Tissue exam by pathologist	0.85	0.89	4.71%	\$30.63	\$32.12	4.85%
88305	26	Tissue exam by pathologist	1.10	1.09	-0.91%	\$39.64	\$39.34	-0.77%
99202		Office/outpatient visit new	2.15	2.12	-1.40%	\$77.48	\$76.51	-1.26%
99203		Office/outpatient visit new	3.05	3.06	0.33%	\$109.92	\$110.43	0.47%
99211		Office/outpatient visit est	0.64	0.65	1.56%	\$23.07	\$23.46	1.70%
99212		Office/outpatient visit est	1.27	1.27	0.00%	\$45.77	\$45.83	0.14%
99213		Office/outpatient visit est	2.09	2.09	0.00%	\$75.32	\$75.43	0.14%

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² These payment rate calculations were made using conversion factor of 36.0391 for CY 2019 and 36.0896 for 2020.