

# **2015 CPT CODE CHANGES**

**Eight (8) New Codes**

**Four (4) Revised Codes**

**Twenty-One (21) Deleted Codes**



# **NEW 2015 CPT CODES**

**77306 Teletherapy isodose plan; simple (1 or 2 unmodified ports directed to a single area of interest), includes basic dosimetry calculation(s)**

**77307 Teletherapy isodose plan; complex (multiple treatment areas, tangential ports, the use of wedges, blocking, rotational beam, or special beam considerations), includes basic dosimetry calculation(s)**

**Only 1 teletherapy isodose plan may be reported for a given course of therapy to a specific treatment area**

**Do not report 77306, 77307 in conjunction with 77300**

# **NEW 2015 CPT CODES**

**77316 Brachytherapy isodose plan; simple (calculation[s] made from 1 to 4 sources, or remote afterloading brachytherapy, 1 channel), includes basic dosimetry calculation(s)**

**77317 Brachytherapy isodose plan; intermediate (calculation[s] made from 5 to 10 sources, or remote afterloading brachytherapy, 2-12 channels), includes basic dosimetry calculation(s)**

**77318 Brachytherapy isodose plan; complex (calculation[s] made from over 10 sources, or remote afterloading brachytherapy, over 12 channels), includes basic dosimetry calculation(s)**

**Do not report 77316, 77317, 77318 in conjunction with 77300**

# **NEW 2015 CPT CODES**

**77385 Intensity modulated radiation treatment delivery (IMRT), includes guidance and tracking, when performed; simple**

**77386 Intensity modulated radiation treatment delivery (IMRT), includes guidance and tracking, when performed; complex**

**Do not report 77385, 77386 in conjunction with 77371, 77372, 77373**

**Do not report technical component [TC] with 77385, 77386, 77371, 77372, 77373**

# **NEW 2015 CPT CODES**

**77387 Guidance for localization of target volume for delivery of radiation treatment delivery, includes intrafraction tracking, when performed**

**To report professional component [PC] of guidance and tracking, use 77387 with modifier 26**

## **REVISED 2015 CPT CODES**

**77401 Radiation treatment delivery, superficial and/or ortho voltage, per day**

**77402 Radiation treatment delivery, >1 MeV; simple**

**77407 Radiation treatment delivery, >1 MeV; intermediate**

**77412 Radiation treatment delivery, >1 MeV; complex**

**Do not report 77401, 77402, 77407, 77412 in conjunction with 77373**

# **DELETED 2015 CPT CODES**

**76950 Ultrasonic guidance for placement of radiation therapy fields**

**77305 Teletherapy, isodose plan (whether hand or computer calculated); simple (1 or 2 parallel opposed unmodified ports directed to a single area of interest)**

**77310 Teletherapy, isodose plan (whether hand or computer calculated); intermediate (3 or more treatment ports directed to a single area of interest)**

**77315 Teletherapy, isodose plan (whether hand or computer calculated); complex (mantle or inverted Y, tangential ports, the use of wedges, compensators, complex blocking, rotational beam, or special beam considerations)**

# **DELETED 2015 CPT CODES**

**77326 Brachytherapy isodose plan; simple (calculation made from single plane, 1 to 4 sources/ribbon application, remote afterloading brachytherapy, 1 to 8 sources)**

**77327 Brachytherapy isodose plan; intermediate (multiplane dosage calculations, application involving 5 to 10 sources/ribbons, remote afterloading brachytherapy, 9 to 12 sources)**

**77328 Brachytherapy isodose plan; complex (multiplane isodose plan, volume implant calculations, over 10 sources/ribbons used, special spatial reconstruction, remote afterloading brachytherapy over 12 sources)**



## **DELETED 2015 CPT CODES**

***77403*** Radiation treatment delivery, single treatment area, single port or parallel opposed ports, simple blocks or no blocks; 6-10 MeV

***77404*** Radiation treatment delivery, single treatment area, single port or parallel opposed ports, simple blocks or no blocks; 11-19 MeV

***77406*** Radiation treatment delivery, single treatment area, single port or parallel opposed ports, simple blocks or no blocks; 20 MeV or greater

# **DELETED 2015 CPT CODES**

**77408 Radiation treatment delivery, 2 separate treatment areas, 3 or more ports on a single treatment area, use of multiple blocks; 6-10 MeV**

**77409 Radiation treatment delivery, 2 separate treatment areas, 3 or more ports on a single treatment area, use of multiple blocks; 11-19 MeV**

**77411 Radiation treatment delivery, 2 separate treatment areas, 3 or more ports on a single treatment area, use of multiple blocks; 20 MeV or greater**

# **DELETED 2015 CPT CODES**

**77413 Radiation treatment delivery, 3 or more separate treatment areas, custom blocking, tangential ports, wedges, rotational beam, compensators, electron beam; 6-10 MeV**

**77414 Radiation treatment delivery, 3 or more separate treatment areas, custom blocking, tangential ports, wedges, rotational beam, compensators, electron beam; 11-19 MeV**

**77416 Radiation treatment delivery, 3 or more separate treatment areas, custom blocking, tangential ports, wedges, rotational beam, compensators, electron beam; 20 MeV or greater**

# DELETED 2015 CPT CODES

**77418** Intensity modulated treatment delivery, single or multiple fields/arcs, via narrow spatially and temporally modulated beams, binary, dynamic MLC, per treatment session

**0073T** Compensator-based beam modulation treatment delivery of inverse planned treatment using 3 or more high resolution (milled or cast) compensator convergent beam modulated fields, per treatment session

**77421** Stereoscopic X-ray guidance for localization of target volume for the delivery of radiation therapy

**0197T** Intra-fraction localization and tracking of target or patient motion during delivery of radiation therapy (eg, 3D positional tracking, gating, 3D surface tracking), each fraction of treatment

CMS did not implement the new delivery or guidance CPT codes in the MPFS system. Therefore, they have no RVU associated with them. CMS has created G-codes to fill in for 2015 as the old CPT codes have been deleted using 2014 RVU values.

This creates a scenario where in a hospital setting the technical component is billed with one set of codes and the professional is billed with a different set of G-Codes.

Can have significant issues with RVU productivity reporting.

# 2015 TREATMENT DELIVERY G-CODES

2014 CPT	2015 HCPCS	Descriptor
76950	G6001	Ultrasonic guidance for placement of radiation therapy fields
77421	G6002	Stereoscopic X-ray guidance for localization of target volume for the delivery of radiation therapy
77402	G6003	Radiation treatment delivery, single treatment area: up to 5MeV
77403	G6004	Radiation treatment delivery, single treatment area: 6-10MeV
77404	G6005	Radiation treatment delivery, single treatment area: 11-19MeV
77406	G6006	Radiation treatment delivery, single treatment area: 20 MeV or greater

# 2015 TREATMENT DELIVERY G-CODES

2014 CPT	2015 HCPCS	Descriptor
77407	G6007	Radiation treatment delivery, 2 separate treatment areas: up to 5MeV
77408	G6008	Radiation treatment delivery, 2 separate treatment areas: 6-10MeV
77409	G6009	Radiation treatment delivery, 2 separate treatment areas: 11-19MeV
77411	G6010	Radiation treatment delivery, 2 separate treatment areas: 20 MeV or greater
77412	G6011	Radiation treatment delivery, 3 or more separate treatment areas: up to 5MeV
77413	G6012	Radiation treatment delivery, 3 or more separate treatment areas: 6-10MeV

# 2015 TREATMENT DELIVERY G-CODES

2014 CPT	2015 HCPCS	Descriptor
77414	G6013	Radiation treatment delivery, 3 or more separate treatment areas: 11-19MeV
77416	G6014	Radiation treatment delivery, 3 or more separate treatment areas: 20 MeV or greater
77418	G6015	IMRT treatment delivery, single or multiple fields/arcs, via narrow spatially and temporally modulated beams, binary, dynamic MLC, per treatment session
0073T	G6016	Compensator-based IMRT treatment delivery of inverse planned treatment using 3 or more high resolution compensator, convergent beam modulated fields, per treatment session
0197T	G6017	Intra-fraction localization and tracking of target or patient motion during delivery of radiation therapy, each fraction of treatment