

**2008 HCPCS Level II Codes**  
**For Physician Office & Independent Diagnostic Testing Facilities**  
**Radiopharmaceuticals & Nuclear Medicine Related Drugs**  
**Effective January 1, 2008**

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Indicator	Description	Symbol
E	Not paid under RBRVS	New Code ●
X	Not paid under RBRVS	Revised Code ▲
<p>The Centers for Medicare &amp; Medicaid Services (CMS) pays physicians for drugs and biologicals according to a drug's average sales price (ASP) plus 6% or for some new drugs at wholesale acquisition cost (WAC) plus 6% or established drugs at WAC. Additionally, CMS clarified in Transmittal 738 CR4053 and later in Transmittal 1513 CR 5798 that Radiopharmaceuticals are not subject to ASP. Contractors will determine radiopharmaceutical payment allowance limits based on the methodology in place as of November 2003 which would allow invoice or AWP based pricing. To download the latest list of drugs and their ASP+6% prices, see the CMS Quarterly Drug File URL above. From there, scroll until you see the "ASP Pricing File" and click on this file. CMS doesn't classify drugs as physician services and they have no relative values. But CMS pays for drugs at a rate of Average Sales Price (ASP) plus 6%.</p>		<p>Cross Reference Cr■Ref NOTE: Cross Reference Codes in this file may not be direct, one to one, cross references. We developed this list to assist SNM members in the conversion from many of the current RP HCPCS Level II codes to the 2008 code. Please check the descriptions carefully in the 2008 code and be sure you have made adjustments in your pricing consistent with the descriptions of the new and revised codes effective 2008.</p>

**NUCLEAR MEDICINE INTRODUCTORY LANGUAGE** The services listed do not include the radiopharmaceutical or drug. Diagnostic and therapeutic radiopharmaceuticals and drugs supplied by the physician should be reported separately using the appropriate supply code(s), in addition to the procedure code.

CPT/ HCPCS	2008 Description	Trade Name	2008 RBRVS Payment Status	DRUG ASP Pricing File Rates 04/1/2008
G3001	Admin + supply, tositumomab, 450 mg (Use this Code for Bexxar)	Non Radioactive Bexxar®	X	
A4641	Radiopharm dx agent noc  RADIOPHARMACEUTICAL, DIAGNOSTIC, NOT OTHERWISE CLASSIFIED		E	
A4642	In111 satumomab  INDIUM IN-111 SATUMOMAB PENDETIDE, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 6 MILLICURIES	ONCOSCINT®	E	
A9500	Tc99m sestamibi  TECHNETIUM TC-99M SESTAMIBI, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 40 MILLICURIES	CARDIOLITE® / MIRALUMA®	E	
● A9501	Technetium TC-99m teboroxime  TECHNETIUM TC-99M TEBOROXIME, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE	CardioTec® TEBO	E	
A9502	Tc99m tetrofosmin  TECHNETIUM TC-99M TETROFOSMIN, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 40 MILLICURIES	MYOVIEW®	E	

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A9503	Tc99m medronate  TECHNETIUM TC-99M MEDRONATE, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 30 MILLICURIES	MDP	E	
A9504	Tc99m apcitide  TECHNETIUM TC-99M APCITIDE, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 20 MILLICURIES	ACUTECT®	E	
A9505	TL201 thallium  THALLIUM TL-201 THALLOUS CHLORIDE, DIAGNOSTIC, PER MILLICURIE	THALLIUM 201	E	
A9507	In111 capromab  INDIUM IN-111 CAPROMAB PENDETIDE, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 10 MILLICURIES	PROSTASCINT®	E	
A9508	I131 iodobenguane, dx  IODINE I-131 IOBENGUANE SULFATE, DIAGNOSTIC, PER 0.5 MILLICURIE	I-131 MIBG	E	
● A9509	Iodine I-123 sod iodide mil  IODINE I-123 SODIUM IODIDE, DIAGNOSTIC, PER MILLICURIE	Use for 1-4 mCi doses of I-123 for whole body imaging for less than 1 mCi and thyroid imaging see A9516	E	
A9510	Tc99m disofenin  TECHNETIUM TC-99M DISOFENIN, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 15 MILLICURIES	DISIDA	E	
A9512	Tc99m pertechnetate TECHNETIUM TC-99M PERTECHNETATE, DIAGNOSTIC, PER MILLICURIE	Straight Tech Technescan Technelite	E	
▲ A9516	Iodine I-123 sod iodide mic  IODINE I-123 SODIUM IODIDE, DIAGNOSTIC, PER 100 MICROCURIES, UP TO 999 MICROCURIES	Dx I-123 Capsules. Use for A9516 for Thyroid uptakes and scans, for 1 mCi and greater and whole body imaging see A9509	E	
A9517	I131 iodide cap, rx  IODINE I-131 SODIUM IODIDE CAPSULE(S), THERAPEUTIC, PER MILLICURIE	Rx I-131 Capsules	E	
A9521	Tc99m exametazime  TECHNETIUM TC-99M EXAMETAZIME, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 25 MILLICURIES	CERETEC® HMPAO	E	
A9524	I131 serum albumin, dx  IODINE I-131 IODINATED SERUM ALBUMIN, DIAGNOSTIC, PER 5 MICROCURIES	I-131 Albumin	E	

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A9526	NITROGEN N-13 AMMONIA, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 40 MILLICURIES	N-13	E	
A9527	IODINE I-125 SODIUM IODIDE SOLUTION, THERAPEUTIC, PER	Brachytherapy	E	
A9528	IODINE I-131 SODIUM IODIDE CAPSULE(S), DIAGNOSTIC, PER MILLICURIE	I-131 Dx caps per mCi	E	
A9529	IODINE I-131 SODIUM IODIDE SOLUTION, DIAGNOSTIC, PER MILLICURIE	Dx I-131 sol per mCi	E	
A9530	IODINE I-131 SODIUM IODIDE SOLUTION, THERAPEUTIC, PER MILLICURIE	Rx I-131 sol per mCi	E	
A9531	IODINE I-131 SODIUM IODIDE, DIAGNOSTIC, PER MICROCURIE (UP TO 100 MICROCURIES)	Dx I-131 up to 100 uCi	E	
A9532	IODINE I-125 SERUM ALBUMIN, DIAGNOSTIC, PER 5 MICROCURIES		E	
A9535	INJECTION, METHYLENE BLUE, 1 ML	Used typically by Surgeon for Sentinel Node identification in OR alternative to Tc99m Filtered SC	E	
A9536	TECHNETIUM TC-99M DEPREOTIDE, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 35 MILLICURIES	NEOTEC®	E	
A9537	TECHNETIUM TC-99M MEBROFENIN, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 15 MILLICURIES	CHOLETEC®	E	
A9538	TECHNETIUM TC-99M PYROPHOSPHATE, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 25 MILLICURIES	PYROLITE® *Use this code for myocardial infarct imaging. Do not use this code for GBP, RVG or MUGA procedures see A9560	E	
A9539	TECHNETIUM TC-99M PENTETATE, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 25 MILLICURIES	Tc-99m DTPA	E	

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A9540	Tc99m MAA  TECHNETIUM TC-99M MACROAGGREGATED ALBUMIN, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 10 MILLICURIES	MAA	E	
A9541	Tc99m sulfur colloid  TECHNETIUM TC-99M SULFUR COLLOID, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 20 MILLICURIES	SULFUR COLLOID® (SC)	E	
A9542	In111 ibritumomab, dx  INDIUM IN-111 IBRITUMOMAB TIUXETAN, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 5 MILLICURIES	Dx In-111 ZEVALIN®	E	
A9543	Y90 ibritumomab, rx  YTTRIUM Y-90 IBRITUMOMAB TIUXETAN, THERAPEUTIC, PER TREATMENT DOSE, UP TO 40 MILLICURIES	Rx Y-90 ZEVALIN®	E	
A9544	I131 tositumomab, dx  IODINE I-131 TOSITUMOMAB, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE	Dx BEXXAR®	E	
A9545	I131 tositumomab, rx  IODINE I-131 TOSITUMOMAB, THERAPEUTIC, PER TREATMENT DOSE	Rx BEXXAR®	E	
A9546	Co57/58  COBALT CO-57/58, CYANOCOBALAMIN, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 1 MICROCURIE	NYCOMED	E	
A9547	In111 oxyquinoline  INDIUM IN-111 OXYQUINOLINE, DIAGNOSTIC, PER 0.5 MILLICURIE	See new codes A9570 and A9571 for WBC and Platelet Imaging	E	
A9548	In111 pentetate  INDIUM IN-111 PENTETATE, DIAGNOSTIC, PER 0.5 MILLICURIE	Indium DTPA	E	
A9550	Tc99m gluceptate  TECHNETIUM TC-99M SODIUM GLUCEPTATE, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 25 MILLICURIES	GLUCOSCAN®	E	
A9551	Tc99m succimer  TECHNETIUM TC-99M SUCCIMER, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 10 MILLICURIES	DMSA	E	
A9552	F18 fdg  FLUORODEOXYGLUCOSE F-18 FDG, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 45 MILLICURIES	FDG / F-18	E	

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A9553	Cr51 chromate  CHROMIUM CR-51 SODIUM CHROMATE, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 250 MICROCURIES		E	
A9554	I125 iothalamate, dx  IODINE I-125 SODIUM IOTHALAMATE, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 10 MICROCURIES		E	
A9555	Rb82 rubidium  RUBIDIUM RB-82, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 60 MILLICURIES	Rb-82 CardioGen82	E	
A9556	Ga67 gallium  GALLIUM GA-67 CITRATE, DIAGNOSTIC, PER MILLICURIE	GALLIUM	E	
A9557	Tc99m bicisate  TECHNETIUM TC-99M BICISATE, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 25 MILLICURIES	NEUROLITE®	E	
A9558	Xe133 xenon 10mci  XENON XE-133 GAS, DIAGNOSTIC, PER 10 MILLICURIES	Xenon	E	
A9559	Co57 cyano  COBALT CO-57 CYANOCOBALAMIN, ORAL, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 1 MICROCURIE	Shillings Study Rubratope 57 Cobatope 57	E	
A9560	Tc99m labeled rbc  TECHNETIUM TC-99M LABELED RED BLOOD CELLS, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 30 MILLICURIES	ULTRATAG® or Cold PYP + 99m Tc Code to be used for both the invivo/invitro methods of tagging Red Blood Cells	E	
A9561	Tc99m oxidronate  TECHNETIUM TC-99M OXIDRONATE, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 30 MILLICURIES	HDP®	E	
A9562	Tc99m mertiatide  TECHNETIUM TC-99M MERTIATIDE, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 15 MILLICURIES	MAG-3®	E	
A9563	P32 Na phosphate  SODIUM PHOSPHATE P-32, THERAPEUTIC, PER MILLICURIE		E	
A9564	P32 chromic phosphate  CHROMIC PHOSPHATE P-32 SUSPENSION, THERAPEUTIC, PER MILLICURIE	Phosphocol P- 32	E	

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A9565—See A9572 effective 2008	In111 pentetreotide  INDIUM IN-111 PENTETREOTIDE, DIAGNOSTIC, PER MILLICURIE	Octreoscan®	<b>Deleted for 2008</b>	
A9566	Tc99m fanolesomab  TECHNETIUM TC-99M FANOLESOMAB, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 25 MILLICURIES	NeuroSpec™	<b>E</b>	
A9567	Technetium TC-99m aerosol  TECHNETIUM TC-99M PENTETATE, DIAGNOSTIC, AEROSOL, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 75 MILLICURIES	DTPA Aerosol For Lung Ventilation Studies	<b>E</b>	
A9568	Technetium tc99m arcitumomab  TECHNETIUM TC-99M ARCITUMOMAB, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 45 MILLICURIES	CEA-SCAN®	<b>E</b>	
• A9569	Technetium TC-99m auto WBC  TECHNETIUM TC-99M EXAMETAZIME LABELED AUTOLOGOUS WHITE BLOOD CELLS, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE	Use this code for infection or inflammation imaging do not use this code for brain imaging see A9521	<b>E</b>	
• A9570	Indium In-111 auto WBC  'INDIUM IN-111 LABELED AUTOLOGOUS WHITE BLOOD CELLS, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE	When prepared with patient WBC use this new code do not use A9547	<b>E</b>	
• A9571	Indium IN-111 auto platelet  INDIUM IN-111 LABELED AUTOLOGOUS PLATELETS, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE	When prepared with patient platelets use this new code do not use A9547	<b>E</b>	
• A9572 CMS deleted A9565	Indium In-111 pentetreotide  'INDIUM IN-111 PENTETREOTIDE, DIAGNOSTIC, PER STUDY DOSE, UP TO 6 MILLICURIES	Octreoscan® A9565 was deleted effective 2008, note description	<b>E</b>	
A9600	Sr89 strontium  STRONTIUM SR-89 CHLORIDE, THERAPEUTIC, PER MILLICURIE	Rx METASTRON®	<b>E</b>	
A9605	Sm 153 lexidronm  SAMARIUM SM-153 LEXIDRONAMM, THERAPEUTIC, PER 50 MILLICURIES	Rx QUADRAMET®	<b>E</b>	
A9698	Non-rad contrast material noc  NON-RADIOACTIVE CONTRAST IMAGING MATERIAL, NOT OTHERWISE CLASSIFIED, PER STUDY	Non Radioactive Contrast NOC	<b>E</b>	
A9699	Radiopharm rx agent noc  RADIOPHARMACEUTICAL, THERAPEUTIC, NOT OTHERWISE CLASSIFIED	RX NOC	<b>E</b>	

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J0150	Injection adenosine 6 mg  Injection Adenosine for therapeutic use, 6 mg (not to be used to report any adenosine	ADENOCARD	E	\$12.847
J0152	Adenosine injection, 30 mg  Injection Adenosine for diagnostic use, 30 mg (not to be used to report any adenosine phosphate compounds, instead use A9270)	ADENOSCAN	E	\$68.173
J0280	Aminophyllin up to 250 MG, inj.		E	\$0.374
J0460	Atropine sulfate injection, up to 0.3 mg	Atropen	E	\$0.325
J1120	Acetazolamide sodium injection, up to 500 mg	Diamox	E	\$16.684
J1160	Inj, digoxin, up to 0.5 mg	Lanoxin	E	\$1.182
J1245	Dipyridamole injection, per 10mg	Persantine IV	E	\$0.732
J1250	Inj dobutamine HCL/250 mg	Dobutrex	E	\$5.138
J1265	Dopamine injection  INJECTION, DOPAMINE HCL, 40 MG	Intropin	E	\$0.505
J1610	Glucagon hydrochloride per 1MG	Glucagen	E	\$68.664
J1642	Inj heparin sodium per 10 units (hep lock flush)	Heplock	E	\$0.036
J1800	Propranolol HCL injection, up to 1 mg	Inderal	E	\$3.177
J1940	Furosemide injection up to 20 mg	Lasix	E	\$0.191
J2270	Morphine sulfate injection, up to 10 mg		E	\$1.794
J2271	Morphine sulfate injection, 100 mg		E	\$3.718
J2805	Sincalide injection  INJECTION, SINCALIDE, 5 MICROGRAMS	Kinevac®	E	\$55.374
J3240	Thyrotropin injection 0.9 mg n 1.1 mg vial	Thyrogen Thytropar	E	\$838.964
J3420	Injection, vitamin B-12 cyanocobalamin, up to 1000 mcg		E	\$0.246
J3490	Drugs Unclassified injection	NOC	E	
J3590	Unclassified biologics ( Use for new Drugs that do not have HCPCS code as yet eg Lexiscan)	NOC	E	
J7030	Normal saline solution infus (1000 CC)		E	\$1.033
J7040	Normal saline solution infus (500ML=1)		E	\$0.516
J7050	Normal saline solution infus (250 CC)		E	\$0.258
J9310	Rituximab, 100 mg	RituXan	E	\$520.566