



# AMA CPT® Content Module

## Elevating medical coding through collaboration

Experience the dynamic collaboration between the American Medical Association (AMA) and Optum, which enhances your favorite Optum medical coding software with powerful AMA resources. This partnership provides coding and compliance professionals with unparalleled clarity and accuracy in Current Procedural Terminology (CPT®) coding. By working together, Optum and the AMA ensure that healthcare professionals have access to the most reliable and current information, supporting precise medical coding across the board.

## In-depth coding guidance

Simply having access to CPT® codes and their descriptions may not be sufficient in the complex world of medical coding. Today's professionals need a deep well of expertise, practical examples, and reliable information to ensure accuracy and compliance. This consolidated offering addresses these needs by providing over 5,500 real-world examples to navigate intricate coding scenarios, articles from monthly newsletters, and detailed updates on annual coding changes and the rationale behind them. Additionally, it includes a knowledge base with more than 3,500 expert-answered coding questions to support precise coding across a variety of medical specialties.

## All-in-one Access

The AMA CPT® Content Module provides comprehensive access to all these CPT® resources as delivered directly from the AMA, without any restrictions on associated articles. Users can search by month, year, keyword, or specific CPT® code. This module helps you quickly and easily find answers to complex coding questions, all in one convenient location.

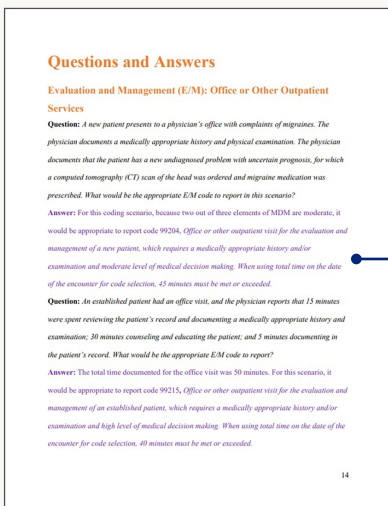
Work even more efficiently with in-depth AMA CPT® knowledge at your fingertips. Gain access to directly sourced AMA guidance with the AMA CPT® Content Module add-on.

### AMA CPT® Content Module

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Results display in an easy-to-read PDF format that is identical to AMA publications.

New

**5,500**

Clinical Vignettes

Access to over

**3,500**

CPT® Knowledge Base questions

## Keyword search results

AMA CPT® Content Module

Search Options

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  CPT® Changes
  CPT® Knowledge Base\*
  CPT® Clinical Vignettes  
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Year	Issue	Source	Title	Snippet
2024	May	CPT® Assistant	Reporting Noncontact Near Infrared Spectroscopy Study	add the report to the patient's record. Clinical Example (0859T) A 65-year-old male with diabetes patient's record. 15 Clinical Example (0860T) A 69-year-old male with type 2 diabetes mellitus
2023	October	CPT® Assistant	Questions and Answers	evaluate a patient with multiple managed comorbidities such as diabetes, hypertension, or heart
2023	August	CPT® Assistant	Questions and Answers	diabetes mellitus? 21-Answer: It would be appropriate to report code 48160. Pancreatectomy, total or
2023	July	CPT® Assistant	Bulletin Social Determinants of Health and Their Effect on Health and Health Care	recently diagnosed with type 2 diabetes. The first female attends college in another area of the city and it comes to treating their diabetes, the college student can take her medications as prescribed selected for the diagnosis: J20.9, Acute bronchitis, unspecified E11.65, Type 2 diabetes mellitus with hyperglycemia E11.22, Type 2 diabetes mellitus with diabetic chronic kidney disease
2023	March	CPT® Assistant	Reporting CPT Modifier 25	gency of urination information regarding diabetes control. The decision was made to
2022	November	CPT® Assistant	Endoscopic Bariatric Device P	te that
2022	November	CPT® Assistant	Coding Brief PCM Codes for P	on), clearance by: She has a history of a cardiac arrhythmia and diabetes and she cardiologist, to participate in a diabetes clinic with the cardiologist and
2022	October	CPT® Assistant	Reporting Caregiver Behavior (96202, 96203)	ferred for diabetes received training. An additional 15 minutes was required. (Note: This
2022	June	CPT® Assistant	Reporting Near Infrared Spectro	left foot ulcer-year-old obese female, who has a history of heart disease, type II e, type II diabetes mellitus, and

**Select the radio button to search the content from CPT® Assistant, CPT® Changes, CPT® Knowledge Base, or the new CPT® Vignettes.**

**Use the checkboxes to filter your search results to include/exclude editions from your search results.**

## New! AMA CPT® Vignettes

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\*If you desire to submit a question for a response from the AMA, click the link below which will allow you to access the AMA Knowledge Base. User will be directed to the CPT® Network link, which will allow you the ability to purchase access and ask question via the CPT® Network. [Submit an Electronic Inquiry \(Question\) directly to CPT® Network.](#)

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CPT® Code	AMA CPT® Vignettes
13152	<p>typical patient: A patient presents with a skin and soft tissue defect on the nose. To achieve tension free closure, extensive undermining is performed.</p> <p>pre service info: The history and examination are reviewed. The procedure is explained to the patient and the patient's family. The risks and potential operative table and is positioned for the procedure. The site is identified and a surgical "time out" is performed. Photographs are obtained as indicated; instruments are examined. Suture is obtained and placed on the surgical tray.</p>

**Search for code or keyword**

**View typical patient and description of service**

## Access expert CPT® content from the AMA within your Optum product – all searchable by code or keyword

### CPT® Vignettes – New

- Clarify coding decisions and review records with real-world examples, representing over 5,000 codes
- Concise recaps of the services and procedures that should be performed and documented in order to report each code
- Vignettes include typical patient and description of service with most also including depictions of pre-intra- and/or post-service actions

### CPT® Assistant

- A full archive – back to 1990 – with articles on CPT® coding and guidance from the CPT® Assistant Editorial Board
- Commentary and expert insights on the practical application of CPT® codes
- Content is instrumental when clarifying code usage, both in initial coding and in downstream validations

### CPT® Changes

- A complete accounting of new content from the CPT® Editorial Panel, providing an understanding of the latest and past CPT® code changes
- Content includes a description of the procedure, the coding scenario and rationale for the change

### CPT® Knowledge Base

- Articles describing code use, especially for timely topics such as new and revised codes, with resources to help research common coding questions quickly
- More than 3,500 coding questions with accurate, authoritative answers
- Looks at coding trends, needs, issues and gaps to help with coding decision-making

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