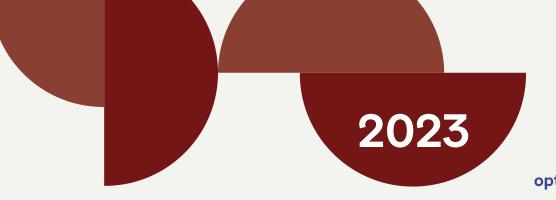


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Using the Analyzer

In the introduction, a number of applications were listed to illustrate ways that the *Analyzer* data might be used. In this section, some of these applications are described in more depth. However, before beginning this analysis and adjusting fees, consider the following:

- 1. How will the new fees compare with what payers are willing to reimburse?
- 2. How will patients react to a change in charges?
- 3. Do the new fees accurately reflect the cost and worth of services?
- 4. Realize that there may be restrictions in adjusting some fees by Preferred Provider Organization (PPO) and Health Maintenance Organization (HMO) contracts, as well as Medicare and workers' compensation fee schedules.
- 5. Because the percentiles in the *Analyzer* are based on a Geozip (the first three digits or groups of the first three digits of ZIP codes), assess how the practice's charging patterns relate to others in this area.

Initial Comparison of Current Fees to Area Fees

Initially, it may be a good idea to compare a few most frequently reported services to get an idea of where current fees fall when compared to others in the area. These data can be compared to all seven percentiles or, to only two or three percentiles.

Step One

Select procedure codes for all types of services performed, including evaluation and management, surgery, radiology, laboratory, and medicine.

Step Two

Using a spreadsheet, list the following items in separate columns:

Column 1	CPT [®] code
Column 2	Current fee
Column 3	Medicare allowable
Columns 4–10	Analyzer fees at the 50th, 60th, 75th, 80th, 85th, 90th, and
	95th percentiles

Professional & Technical Splits of Global Services

The Table of Professional & Technical Splits of Global Services is provided to help determine the professional and technical component amounts for the global fees listed in the *Analyzer*. The PC/TC percentages in the following table have been used to determine the amounts for those services with modifiers in the MOD column: G (global fee), TC (technical component), and 26 (professional component).

The fee data in the *Analyzer* display percentiles for technical and professional components based on data sources including FAIR Health. These data are effective as of November 2020 and are subject to change. This information is intended only as a guideline and should not be interpreted as absolutely representative of PC/TC splits prevalent in a given geographic area. Variations may occur in certain geographic areas due to local billing patterns, changing technologies, sophistication and expense of equipment, and site of service. If you wish to apply a different PC/TC split to the data, instructions are included in the section "To Determine a PC/TC Split."

Global Service Components

A global service is one in which the health care professional provides the entire service, including equipment, supplies, technical personnel, and the provider's professional services. The global service can then be divided into professional and technical components, expressed as percentages of the global amount.

Professional Component

The professional component represents all of the provider's work in providing the service. It encompasses the examination of the patient, when indicated, the performance and/or supervision of the procedure, and consultation with a referring health care professional when appropriate. Costs for education, malpractice insurance, and other expenses incident to maintaining a practice are also included in the professional component.

The professional component of the global service is listed in the Table of Professional & Technical Splits of Global Services as PC. The professional component is identified with modifier 26 in the *Analyzer* data. The CPT[®] book includes modifier 26 to identify the physician component of a global service for billing purposes. Guidelines for using this modifier are listed in appendix A of the CPT book.

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Code MOD Sub	Description	BR						0511	0011	0541-
		BR	Allowable	SULU	60th	75th	80th	85th	90th	95th
24999	UNLISTED PROCEDURE HUMERUS/ELBOW	Y	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	INCISION EXTENSOR TENDON SHEATH WRIST	•	333.15	954	954	1,006	1.017	1,100	1,100	1,144
	INCISION FLEXOR TENDON SHEATH WRIST			1,084	1,152	1,364	1,409	1,498	1,618	1.761
	DCMPRN FASCT F/ARM&WRST FLXR/XTNSR W/O DBRDMT			2,810	2,987	3,537	3,655	3,886	4,196	4,568
	DCMPRN FASCT F/ARM&/WRST FLXR/XTNSR W/DBRDMT			2,849	3,028	3,586	3,705	3,940	4,255	4,631
25024	DCMPRN FASCT F/ARM&/WRST FLXR&XTNSR W/O DB		761.85		2,239	2,651	2,740	2,913	3,146	3,424
	DCMPRN FASCT F/ARM&/WRST FLXR&XTNSR DBRDMT		1,159.92		2,968	3,514	3,631	3,861	4,169	4,538
25028	I&D FOREARM&/WRIST DEEP ABSCESS/HEMATOMA		-	1,511	1,605	1,901	1,964	2,088	2,255	2,455
25031	INCISION & DRAINAGE FOREARM&/WRIST BURSA		357.69	977	1,039	1,230	1,271	1,351	1,459	1,588
	INCISION DEEP BONE CORTEX FOREARM&/WRIST			2,063	2,193	2,597	2,683	2,853	3,081	3,353
	ARTHRT RDCRPL/MIDCARPL JT W/EXPL DRG/RMVL FB			1.735	1,844	2,183	2,256	2,399	2,590	2,820
	BIOPSY SOFT TISSUE FOREARM&/WRIST SUPERFICIAL		251.27	376	400	474	490	521	562	612
	BIOPSY SOFT TISSUE FOREARM&/WRIST DEEP		351.60	993	1,056	1,250	1,292	1,373	1,483	1,614
	EXC TUMOR SOFT TISS FOREARM AND/WRIST SUBQ 3CM/>			1.056	1,123	1,329	1,374	1,460	1,577	1,717
	EXC TUMOR SFT TISS FOREARM&/WRIST SUBFASC 3CM/>			1,473	1,565	1,853	1,915	2,036	2,199	2,394
	EXC TUMOR SOFT TISSUE FOREARM &/WRIST SUBQ <3CM		507.57	977	988	1,000	1,267	1,325	1,325	1,325
	EXC TUMOR SOFT TISS FOREARM&/WRIST SUBFASC <3CM			1,497	1,591	1,884	1,946	2,070	2,235	2,433
	RAD RESECT TUMOR SOFT TISS FOREARM&/WRIST <3 CM			2,994	3,182	3,767	3,893	4,139	4,470	4,865
	RAD RESCJ TUM SOFT TISSUE FOREARM&/WRIST 3 CM/>			3,061	3,253	3,852	3,981	4,232	4,571	4,975
	CAPSULOTOMY WRIST			1,572	1,671	1,979	2,045	2,174	2,348	2,555
	ARTHROTOMY WRIST JOINT WITH BIOPSY			1,164	1,071	1,465	1,513	1.609	1,738	1,891
	ARTHROTOM WAST SOME WITH BIOLST			1,417	1,506	1,783	1,842	1,959	2,115	2,302
	ARTHROTOMY WRIST JOINT WITH SYNOVECTOMY			1,734	1,843	2,182	2,254	2,397	2,589	2,818
	ARTHROTOMY DSTL RADIOULNAR JOINT RPR CARTILAGE			1,857	1,974	2,337	2,204	2,568	2,303	3,019
	EXC TENDON FOREARM&/WRIST FLEXOR/EXTENSOR EA			1,486	1,574	2,337 1,871	1,933	2,055	2,773	2,416
	EXCISION LESION TENDON SHEATH FOREARM&/WRIST			1,022	1,086	1,286	1,329	2,000 1,413	1,526	1.661
	EXCISION GANGLION WRIST DORSAL/VOLAR PRIMARY		314.45	709	803	840	840	840	872	872
	EXCISION GANGLION WRIST DORSAL/VOLAR RECURRENT			1,087	1,155	1.368	1,414	1,503	1,623	1,767
	RAD EXC BURSA SYNVA WRST/F/ARM TDN SHTHS FLXRS			2,293	2,437	2,886	2,982	3,171	3,424	3,727
	RAD EXC BURSA SYNVA WRST/F/ARM TDN SHTHS I EXIS			2,233	2,226	2,635	2,723	2,895	3,127	3,404
	SYNOVECTOMY EXTENSOR TENDON SHTH WRIST 1 CMPRT		371.79		1,486	1,760	1,818	1,933	2.088	2,273
25119	SYNVCT XTNSR TDN SHTH WRST 1 RESCJ DSTL ULNA		486.08	,	,	,	,	2,052	2,000	2,273
	EXCISION/CURETTAGE CYST/TUMOR RADIUS/ULNA		488.78		1,805	2,137	2,208	2,032	2,210	2,412
	EXC/CURTG CYST/TUMOR RADIUS/ULNA W/AUTOGRAFT		580.65		1,851	2,192		2,340	2,601	2,831
	EXC/CURTG CYST/TUMOR RADIUS/ULNA W/ACTOORALT		584.89		1,894	2,132		2,463	2,660	2,896
25120	EXC/CORTS CTST/TOMOR RADIOS/OLINA W/ALLOGRAFT EXCISION/CURETTAGE CYST/TUMOR CARPAL BONES		439.10		1,492	2,242 1,767	1,826	2,403 1,941	2,000	2,090
	EXCISION/CORE ITAGE CTST/TOMOR CARPAL BONES EXC/CURTG CYST/TUMOR CARPAL BONES W/AUTOGRAFT		439.10 547.29		1,492 1,574	1,864	1,020	2,047	2,097	2,202
25135	EXC/CURTG CTST/TUMOR CARPAL BONES WAUTOGRAFT		485.75		1,396	1,653	1,920	2,047 1,816	1,962	2,407
	SEQUESTRECTOMY FOREARM &/WRIST		405.75 508.11		1,390	1,730	1,787	1,900	2,052	
	PARTIAL EXCISION BONE ULNA		553.84		1,401 1,919	2,273		1,900 2,497	2,052	
	PARTIAL EXCISION BONE RADIUS		555.64 571.44		2,976	2,273 3,524		2,497 3,872	2,090 4,181	2,955 4,551
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25170	RADICAL RESECTION TUMOR RADIUS OR ULNA		1,432.71	J,030	4,079	4,830	4,991	5,307	5,731	6,238

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CPT			Medicare	e Area	Area	Area	Area	Area	Area	_
Code MOD	Sub Description	BR	Allowabl	e 50th	60th	75th	80th	85th	90th	
49520	RPR RECRT INGUINAL HERNIA ANY AGE REDUCIBLE		619.12	1,675	1,781	2,108	2,179	2,316	2,501	
49521	RPR RECRT INGUN HERNIA ANY AGE INCARCERATED		701.43	1,869	1,986	2,352	2,430	2,584	2,790	
49525	RPR INGUN HERNIA SLIDING ANY AGE		561.18	1,610	1,711	2,026	2,094	2,226	2,404	
49540	REPAIR LUMBAR HERNIA		666.38	1,778	1,890	2,238	2,313	2,459	2,655	
49550	RPR 1ST FEM HRNA ANY AGE REDUCIBLE		564.43	1,412	1,501	1,777	1,836	1,952	2,108	
49553	RPR 1ST FEM HERNIA ANY AGE INCARCERATED		618.45	1,578	1,677	1,986	2,052	2,182	2,356	
49555	RPR RECRT FEM HERNIA REDUCIBLE		590.07	1,578	1,677	1,986	2,052	2,182	2,356	
49557	RPR RECRT FEM HRNA INCARCERATED		707.28	1,906	2,026	2,399	2,479	2,636	2,847	
49560	REPAIR FIRST ABDOMINAL WALL HERNIA		721.70	1,912	2,071	2,526	2,526	2,526	2,526	
49561	RPR 1ST INCAL/VNT HERNIA INCARCERATED		909.10	1,917	1,917	2,133	2,872	2,872	3,382	
49565	RPR RECRT INCAL/VNT HERNIA REDUCIBLE		751.70	2,240	2,240	2,307	2,633	2,633	2,633	
49566	RPR RECRT INCAL/VNT HERNIA INCARCERATED		917.37	2,207	2,346	2,778	2,871	3,052	3,296	
49568	IMPLANT MESH OPN HERNIA RPR/DEBRIDEMENT CLOSURE		260.70	796	800	917	917	917	972	
49570	RPR EPIGASTRIC HERNIA REDUCIBLE SPX		409.90	1,205	1,281	1,516	1,567	1,666	1,799	
49572	RPR EPIGASTRIC HERNIA INCARCERATED		507.15	1,410	1,498	1,774	1,833	1,949	2,105	
49580	RPR UMBILICAL HERNIA < 5 YRS REDUCIBLE		328.37	1,214	1,290	1,528	1,579	1,679	1,813	
49582	RPR UMBILICAL HERNIA < 5 YRS INCARCERATED		473.67	1,361	1,446	1,712	1,769	1,881	2,032	
49585	RPR UMBILICAL HRNA 5 YRS/> REDUCIBLE		436.98	1,289	1,486	1,523	1,523	1,523	1,523	
49587	RPR UMBILICAL HERNIA AGE 5 YRS/> INCARCERATED		466.36	1,182	1,459	1,517	1,631	1,631	1,631	
49590	RPR SPIGELIAN HERNIA		561.97	1,580	1,680	1,989	2,055	2,185	2,360	
49600	RPR SMALL OMPHALOCELE W/PRIMARY CLOSURE		718.97	1,922	2,043	2,419	2,500	2,658	2,871	
49605	RPR LG OMPHALOCELE/GASTROSCHISIS W/WO PROSTH		4,819.42	11,996	12,750	15,097	15,600	16,586	17,912	1
49606	RPR LG OMPHALOCELE/GASTROSCHISIS RMVL PROSTH		1,111.16	3,758	3,994	4,729	4,887	5,196	5,611	
49610	RPR OMPHALOCELE CROSS TYP OPRATION 1ST STG		678.03	1,813	1,926	2,281	2,357	2,506	2,706	
49611	RPR OMPHALOCELE GROSS TYP OPRATION 2ND STG	1	597.58	2,039	2,167	2,566	2,652	2,819	3,045	
49650	LAPAROSCOPY SURG RPR INITIAL INGUINAL HERNIA		421.74	1,213	1,213	1,315	1,315	1,468	1,468	
49651	LAPS SURG RPR RECURRENT INGUINAL HERNIA		549.26	1,408	1,609	1,609	1,609	2,100	2,100	
49652	LAPS REPAIR HERNIA EXCEPT INCAL/INGUN REDUCIBLE	1	728.19	1,530	1,530	2,128	2,128	2,293	2,293	
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49011	RPR UMPHALOGELE GRUSS TYP UPRATION ZND STG		597.58	2,039	2,107	2,500	2,052
49650	LAPAROSCOPY SURG RPR INITIAL INGUINAL HERNIA		421.74	1,213	1,213	1,315	1,315
49651	LAPS SURG RPR RECURRENT INGUINAL HERNIA		549.26	1,408	1,609	1,609	1,609
49652	LAPS REPAIR HERNIA EXCEPT INCAL/INGUN REDUCIBLE		728.19	1,530	1,530	2,128	2,128
49653	LAP RPR HRNA XCPT INCAL/INGUN NCRC8/STRANGULATED		910.91	1,909	1,909	2,860	2,860
49654	LAPAROSCOPY REPAIR INCISIONAL HERNIA REDUCIBLE		826.50	2,132	2,266	2,683	2,772
49655	LAPS RPR INCISIONAL HERNIA NCRC8/STRANGULATED		1,011.96	2,664	2,831	3,353	3,464
49656	LAPS RPR RECURRENT INCISIONAL HERNIA REDUCIBLE		897.16	2,188	2,325	2,754	2,845
49657	LAPS RPR RECURRENT INCAL HRNA NCRC8/STRANGULATED		1,291.59	2,900	3,082	3,649	3,771
49659	UNLIS LAPS PX HRNAP HERNIORRHAPHY HERNIOTOMY	Y	0.00	0	0	0	0
49900	SEC ABDOMINAL WALL SUTURE EVISCERATION/DEHSN		797.44	1,874	1,992	2,359	2,438
49904	OMENTAL FLAP EXTRA-ABDOMINAL		1,359.01	3,805	4,044	4,788	4,948
49905	OMENTAL FLAP INTRA-ABDOMINAL		345.03	985	985	985	1,052
49906	FREE OMENTAL FLAP W/MICROVASCULAR ANAST		0.00	4,245	4,512	5,343	5,521
49999	UNLISTED PROCEDURE ABDOMEN PERITONEUM & OMENTUM	Y	0.00	0	0	0	0
50010	RNL EXPL X NECESSITATING OTH SPEC PX		720.61	1,956	2,079	2,461	2,543
50020	DRAINAGE PERIRENAL/RENAL ABSCESS OPEN		990.20	3,035	3,225	3,819	3,946
50040	NEPHROSTOMY/NEPHROTOMY W/DRAINAGE		902.06	2,766	2,940	3,481	3,597

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