

The CPT® *Professional* is the official AMA code book of its CPT® codes, descriptions, rules, and their guidelines for use. The *Procedural Coding Expert* includes the same AMA CPT® codes and descriptions paired with CMS's rules and guidelines.



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