

North Carolina Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Program
2018 Services Fee Schedule (1)
For the Period 01/01/2018 through 12/31/2018
Revised: 1/4/2018

Breast Cancer Screening and Diagnostic Procedures	Code	2018 Fee	Office Fee Allowed
Screening			
Clinical breast examination	N/A		Yes
Screening digital breast tomosynthesis, bilateral (2)	77063	\$ 52.98	No
	77063TC	\$ 23.80	
	77063-26	\$ 29.18	
Screening mammography, bilateral	77067	\$ 130.82	No
	77067TC	\$ 94.43	
	77067-26	\$ 36.39	
Follow-Up			
Radiological examination, surgical specimen	76098	\$ 16.17	No
	76098TC	\$ 8.29	
	76098-26	\$ 7.88	
Diagnostic mammography, unilateral, includes CAD	77065	\$ 127.80	No
	77065TC	\$ 89.40	
	77065-26	\$ 38.40	
Diagnostic mammography, bilateral, includes CAD	77066	\$ 161.86	No
	77066TC	\$ 114.20	
	77066-26	\$ 47.66	
Diagnostic digital breast tomosynthesis, bilateral (3)	G0279	\$ 52.98	No
	G0279TC	\$ 23.80	
	G0279-26	\$ 29.18	
Ultrasound, complete examination of breast including axilla, unilateral	76641	\$ 103.29	No
	76641TC	\$ 64.62	
	76641-26	\$ 35.67	
Ultrasound, complete examination of breast including axilla, bilateral	76641-50	\$ 154.94	No
	76641-TC-50	\$ 101.43	
	76641-26-50	\$ 53.51	
Ultrasound, limited examination of breast including axilla, unilateral	76642	\$ 84.78	No
	76642TC	\$ 51.53	
	76642-26	\$ 33.25	
Ultrasound, limited examination of breast including axilla, bilateral	76642-50	\$ 127.17	No
	76642-TC-50	\$ 77.30	
	76642-26-50	\$ 49.87	
Surgical evaluation/Consultation	N/A	(8)	Yes
Fine needle aspiration without imaging guidance	10021	\$ 116.87	Yes
Fine needle aspiration with imaging guidance	10022	\$ 134.97	Yes
Puncture aspiration of cyst of breast	19000	\$ 107.65	Yes
Puncture aspiration of cyst of breast, each additional cyst, <i>used with 19000</i>	19001	\$ 26.05	Yes
Breast biopsy, with placement of localization device and imaging of biopsy specimen, percutaneous; stereotactic guidance; first lesion (4)	19081	\$ 660.06	Yes
	Each additional lesion (4)	19082	\$ 544.29
Breast biopsy, with placement of localization device and imaging of biopsy specimen, percutaneous; ultrasound guidance; first lesion (4)	19083	\$ 641.92	Yes
	Each additional lesion (4)	19084	\$ 522.60
Breast biopsy, percutaneous, needle core, not using imaging guidance	19100	\$ 143.33	Yes
Breast biopsy, open, incisional	19101	\$ 325.36	Yes

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Excision of cyst, fibroadenoma or other benign or malignant tumor, aberrant breast tissue, duct lesion, nipple or areolar lesion; open; one or more lesions	19120	\$ 472.15	Yes
Excision of breast lesion identified by preoperative placement of radiological marker; open; single lesion	19125	\$ 522.61	Yes
Each additional lesion separately identified by a preoperative radiological marker	19126	\$ 155.21	Yes
Placement of breast localization device, percutaneous; mammographic guidance; first lesion (5)	19281	\$ 230.55	Yes
Each additional lesion (5)	19282	\$ 159.68	Yes
Placement of breast localization device, percutaneous; stereotactic guidance; first lesion (5)	19283	\$ 260.12	Yes
Each additional lesion (5)	19284	\$ 195.21	Yes
Placement of breast localization device, percutaneous; ultrasound guidance; first lesion (5)	19285	\$ 494.93	Yes
Each additional lesion (5)	19286	\$ 432.60	Yes
Ultrasonic guidance for needle placement, imaging supervision and interpretation	76942	\$ 57.70	No
	76942-TC	\$ 26.06	
	76942-26	\$ 31.64	
Cytopathology, evaluation of fine needle aspirate; immediate cytohistologic study to determine adequacy of specimen(s)	88172	\$ 55.80	No
	88172TC	\$ 19.35	
	88172-26	\$ 36.45	
Cytopathology, evaluation of fine needle aspirate; <i>interpretation and report</i>	88173	\$ 148.91	No
	88173TC	\$ 77.25	
	88173-26	\$ 71.66	
Surgical pathology, gross and microscopic examination	88305	\$ 66.29	No
	88305TC	\$ 28.07	
	88305-26	\$ 38.22	
Surgical pathology, gross and microscopic examination, requiring microscopic evaluation of surgical margins	88307	\$ 253.38	No
	88307TC	\$ 169.42	
	88307-26	\$ 83.96	
Morphometric analysis, tumor immunohistochemistry, quantitative or semiquantitative, per specimen, each single antibody stain procedure; manual	88360	\$ 128.12	
	88360TC	\$ 83.37	
	88360-26	\$ 44.75	
Morphometric analysis, tumor immunohistochemistry, quantitative or semiquantitative, per specimen, each single antibody stain procedure; using computer-assisted technology	88361	\$ 139.33	
	88361TC	\$ 91.75	
	88361-26	\$ 47.59	
Anesthesia for procedures on the integumentary system, anterior trunk, not otherwise specified (6)	00400	\$ 21.10	

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Screening			
Pelvic examination - Bimanual	N/A		Yes
Cytopathology, cervical or vaginal, any reporting system, <i>requiring interpretation by physician</i>	88141	\$ 31.33	
Cytopathology (liquid-based Pap test) cervical or vaginal, collected in preservative fluid, automated thin layer preparation; manual screening under physician supervision	88142	\$ 25.01	
Cytopathology, cervical or vaginal, collected in preservative fluid, automated thin layer preparation; manual screening and rescreening under physician supervision	88143	\$ 25.01	
Cytopathology (conventional Pap test), slides cervical or vaginal reported in Bethesda System, manual screening under physician supervision	88164	\$ 14.65	
Cytopathology (conventional Pap test), slides cervical or vaginal reported in Bethesda System, manual screening and rescreening under physician supervision	88165	\$ 42.22	
Cytopathology, cervical or vaginal, collected in preservative fluid, automated thin layer preparation; screening by automated system, under physician supervision	88174	\$ 26.38	
Cytopathology, cervical or vaginal, collected in preservative fluid, automated thin layer preparation; screening by automated system and manual rescreening, under physician supervision	88175	\$ 32.71	
Human Papillomavirus, high-risk types (7)	87624	\$ 43.33	No
Human Papillomavirus, types 16 and 18 only (7)	87625	\$ 43.33	No
Follow-Up			
Colposcopy of the cervix	57452	\$ 104.24	Yes
Colposcopy of the cervix, with biopsy and endocervical curettage	57454	\$ 145.85	Yes
Colposcopy of the cervix, with biopsy	57455	\$ 136.43	Yes
Colposcopy of the cervix, with endocervical curettage	57456	\$ 128.67	Yes
Surgical pathology, gross and microscopic examination	88305	\$ 66.29	No
	88305TC	\$ 28.07	No
	88305-26	\$ 38.22	No
Surgical pathology, gross and microscopic examination; requiring microscopic evaluation of surgical margins	88307	\$ 253.38	No
	88307TC	\$ 169.42	No
	88307-26	\$ 83.96	No

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Physician Visits Office Visits (8)	CPT Code	2018 Fee
New patient; history, exam, straightforward decision-making; 10 minutes	99201	\$ 42.57
New patient; <i>expanded</i> history, exam, straightforward decision-making; 20 minutes	99202	\$ 71.85
New patient; <i>detailed</i> history, exam, straightforward decision-making; 30 minutes	99203	\$ 103.20
Established patient; evaluation and management, may not require presence of physician; 5 minutes	99211	\$ 20.64
Established patient; history, exam, straightforward decision-making; 10 minutes	99212	\$ 41.98
Established patient; <i>expanded</i> history, exam, straightforward decision- making; 15 minutes	99213	\$ 69.98
Established patient; <i>detailed</i> history, exam, moderately complex decision-making; 25 minutes	99214	\$ 103.41

Global and Split Fees

Both global and split fees apply to the breast procedures listed on page 1 of this fee schedule. The method and direction of payment will determine their usage for your facility. The following are the codes and definitions that apply:

G = Global - the all-inclusive fee for performing and interpreting the service.

TC = Technical Component - the fee for performing the service.

26 = Professional Component - the fee for interpreting the service.

NOTES:

- (1) NC BCCCP covers only the physician's fee. Any facility charges associated with these CPT codes are not covered.
- (2) Code 77063 should be listed as a separate code in addition to the code for the screening mammogram code, 77067.
- (3) Code G0279 should be listed as a separate code in addition to 77065 or 77066 for the primary mammogram.
- (4) Codes 19081-19084 are to be used for breast biopsies that include image guidance, placement of localization device, and imaging of specimen. These codes should not be used in conjunction with 19281-19286.
- (5) Codes 19281-19286 are for image guidance placement of localization device without image-guided biopsy. These codes should not be used in conjunction with 19081-19084.
- (6) Not to exceed 3 base units plus time units (length of time spent providing anesthesia service in 15-minute increments) times conversion rate (\$21.10) or \$325, whichever is lower. Medicare's methodology for the payment of anesthesia services is outlined in chapter 12 of the Medicare Claims Processing Manual at:
<https://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Guidance/Manuals/downloads/clm104c12.pdf>
The carrier-specific Medicare anesthesia conversion rates are available at:
<https://www.cms.gov/Center/Provider-Type/Anesthesiologists-Center.html?redirect=/center/anesth.asp>
- (7) HPV DNA testing is not a reimbursable procedure if used as an adjunctive screening test to the Pap for women under 30 years of age. The CDC will allow for reimbursement of Cervista HPV HR at the same rate as the Digene Hybrid Capture 2 HPV DNA Assay. CDC funds may be used for reimbursement of HPV genotyping.
- (8) All consultations should be billed through the standard "new patient" office visit CPT codes: 99201-99205. Consultations billed as 99204 or 99205 must meet the criteria for these codes, and must be pre-authorized. Codes 99204 and 99205 are not appropriate for NC BCCCP screening visits.