



Comparison of 2013:2012 APC Weights and Payments, Updated (SATRO<sup>®</sup>) - Updated

2013 CPT/ HCPCS	Description	CI	SI	2013 APC	2013 Relative Weight	2012 Relative Weight	2013:12 % Diff.	2013 Payment Rate	2012 Payment Rate	2013:12 \$ Diff.	2013:12 % Diff.
77520	Proton trmt, simple w/o comp		S	0664	15.9383	16.9101	-5.75%	\$1,136.61	\$1,183.98	-\$47.37	-4.00%
77522	Proton trmt, simple w/comp		S	0664	15.9383	16.9101	-5.75%	1,136.61	1,183.98	-47.37	-4.00%
<b>77523</b>	Proton trmt, intermediate		S	0667	9.5685	22.1209	<b>-56.74%</b>	682.36	1,548.82	<b>-866.46</b>	<b>-55.94%</b>
<b>77525</b>	Proton treatment, complex		S	0667	9.5685	22.1209	<b>-56.74%</b>	682.36	1,548.82	<b>-866.46</b>	<b>-55.94%</b>
77600	Hyperthermia treatment		S	0299	5.5027	5.6386	-2.41%	392.41	394.79	-2.38	-0.60%
77605	Hyperthermia treatment		S	0299	5.5027	5.6386	-2.41%	392.41	394.79	-2.38	-0.60%
77610	Hyperthermia treatment		S	0299	5.5027	5.6094	-1.90%	392.41	386.35	6.06	1.57%
77615	Hyperthermia treatment		S	0299	5.5027	5.6094	-1.90%	392.41	386.35	6.06	1.57%
77620	Hyperthermia treatment		S	0299	5.5027	5.6094	-1.90%	392.41	386.35	6.06	1.57%
<b>77750</b>	Infuse radioactive materials		S	0301	2.5173	2.3680	6.30%	179.52	163.10	16.42	<b>10.07%</b>
<b>77761</b>	Apply intrcav radiat simple		S	0312	5.7609	4.7014	<b>22.54%</b>	410.83	323.81	87.02	<b>26.87%</b>
<b>77762</b>	Apply intrcav radiat interm		S	0312	5.7609	4.7014	<b>22.54%</b>	410.83	323.81	87.02	<b>26.87%</b>
<b>77763</b>	Apply intrcav radiat compl		S	0312	5.7609	4.7014	<b>22.54%</b>	410.83	323.81	87.02	<b>26.87%</b>
<b>77776</b>	Apply interstit radiat simpl		S	0312	5.7609	4.7014	<b>22.54%</b>	410.83	323.81	87.02	<b>26.87%</b>
<b>77777</b>	Apply interstit radiat inter		S	0312	5.7609	4.7014	<b>22.54%</b>	410.83	323.81	87.02	<b>26.87%</b>
77778	Apply interstit radiat compl		Q3	0651	12.2772	12.4760	-1.59%	875.52	859.30	16.22	1.89%
77785	HDR brachytx, 1 channel		S	0313	9.6431	9.8659	-2.26%	687.68	679.52	8.16	1.20%
77786	HDR brachytx, 2-12 channels		S	0313	9.6431	9.8659	-2.26%	687.68	679.52	8.16	1.20%
77787	HDR brachtx, >12 channels		S	0313	9.6431	9.8659	-2.26%	687.68	679.52	8.16	1.20%
77789	Apply surface radiation		S	0300	1.3392	1.3628	-1.73%	95.50	93.86	1.64	1.74%
77790	Radiation handling		N								
<b>77799</b>	Radium/radioisotope therapy		S	0312	5.7609	4.7014	<b>22.54%</b>	410.83	323.81	87.02	<b>26.87%</b>
0073T	Delivery, comp imrt		S	0412	6.7828	6.4422	5.29%	483.70	443.71	39.99	9.01%
0182T	High dose rate, elec. brachy		S	0313	9.6431	9.8659	-2.26%	687.68	679.52	8.16	1.20%
C9728	Place device/marker, non-pros		X	0310	13.8052	13.2460	4.22%	984.49	912.33	72.16	7.91%
G0173	Linear acc stereo radsur		S	0067	46.2838	46.8279	-1.16%	3,300.64	3,225.32	75.32	2.34%
<b>G0251</b>	Linear acc based stero radio		S	0065	13.7177	12.4513	<b>10.17%</b>	978.25	857.60	120.65	<b>14.07%</b>
G0339	Robot lin-radsurg com, first		S	0067	46.2838	46.8279	-1.16%	3,300.64	3,225.32	75.32	2.34%
G0340	Robt lin-radsurg fractx 2-5		S	0066	33.0205	35.2457	-6.31%	2,354.79	2,427.58	<b>-72.79</b>	<b>-3.00%</b>

Comment indicators, from Addendum D-2:

CH: active HCPCS code in current and next calendar year, status indicator and/or APC assignment has changed; or active HCPCS code that will be discontinued at the end of the current calendar year

Status indicators, from Addendum D-1:

B: not recognized on an outpatient hospital Part B bill; not paid under OPSS  
 N: packaged into payment for other items or services; no separate APC payment  
 Q3: codes that may be paid under OPSS through a composite APC  
 S: significant procedure, not discounted when multiple  
 X: ancillary services

Note: 77778 is in a composite APC when billed same DOS as 55875

Note: values in red indicate relative weight and/or payment decreases; bolded values are those with changes >10% from 2012

Note: the APC for HCPCS 77371 changes from 0127 (2012) to 0067 (4-1-13), under the American Taxpayer Relief Act of 2012

Note: not adjusted for regional payment variations

Note: CPT is a registered trademark of the American Medical Association

Sources: CMS-1589-FC (2013), applying proposed geometric mean cost-based payment method, C.F. \$71.313, +1.85%  
 CMS-1525-FC (2012 rates), C.F. \$70.016, +1.66%