

**TABLE 22: Specialty Specific Impacts Including Payment Accuracy Adjustments**

Specialty	Allowed Charges (in millions)	Estimated Potential Impact of Valuing Levels 2-5 Together, With Additional Adjustments
OBSTETRICS/GYNECOLOGY	\$664	4%
NURSE PRACTITIONER	\$3,586	3%
HAND SURGERY	\$202	Less than 3% estimated increase in overall payment
INTERVENTIONAL PAIN MGMT	\$839	
OPTOMETRY	\$1,276	
PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT	\$2,253	
PSYCHIATRY	\$1,260	
UROLOGY	\$1,772	
ANESTHESIOLOGY	\$1,995	
CARDIAC SURGERY	\$313	
CARDIOLOGY	\$6,723	
CHIROPRACTOR	\$789	
COLON AND RECTAL SURGERY	\$168	
CRITICAL CARE	\$334	
EMERGENCY MEDICINE	\$3,196	
ENDOCRINOLOGY	\$482	
FAMILY PRACTICE	\$6,382	
GASTROENTEROLOGY	\$1,807	
GENERAL PRACTICE	\$461	
GENERAL SURGERY	\$2,182	
GERIATRICS	\$214	
INFECTIOUS DISEASE	\$663	
INTERNAL MEDICINE	\$11,173	
INTERVENTIONAL RADIOLOGY	\$362	
MULTISPECIALTY CLINIC/OTHER PHYS	\$141	
NEPHROLOGY	\$2,285	
NEUROSURGERY	\$812	
NUCLEAR MEDICINE	\$50	
OPHTHALMOLOGY	\$5,542	
ORAL/MAXILLOFACIAL SURGERY	\$57	
ORTHOPEDIC SURGERY	\$3,815	
OTHER	\$30	
PATHOLOGY	\$1,151	
PEDIATRICS	\$64	
PHYSICAL MEDICINE	\$1,120	
PLASTIC SURGERY	\$387	
RADIOLOGY	\$4,898	
THORACIC SURGERY	\$360	
VASCULAR SURGERY	\$1,132	
ALLERGY/IMMUNOLOGY	\$240	Less than 3% estimated decrease in overall payment
AUDIOLOGIST	\$67	
HEMATOLOGY/ONCOLOGY	\$1,813	
NEUROLOGY	\$1,565	
OTOLARNGOLOGY	\$1,220	
PULMONARY DISEASE	\$1,767	
RADIATION ONCOLOGY AND RADIATION THERAPY CENTERS	\$1,776	
RHEUMATOLOGY	\$559	-3%
DERMATOLOGY	\$3,525	-4%
PODIATRY	\$2,022	-4%
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$93,486</b>	<b>0%</b>