

# 2019 Psychological and Neuropsychological Testing CPT® Codes, Descriptions & Total RVUs

CPT® Codes, Descriptors and Non-Facility RVU Values Effective January 1, 2019

CPT® Code #	Descriptor	2019 Total NF RVU Values
<b>Assessment of Aphasia and Cognitive Performance Testing</b>		
96105	Assessment of aphasia (includes assessment of expressive and receptive speech and language function, language comprehension, speech production ability, reading, spelling, writing, e.g., by Boston Diagnostic Aphasia Examination) with interpretation and report, per hour	2.96
96125	Standardized cognitive performance testing (e.g., Ross Information Processing Assessment) per hour of a qualified health care professional's time, both face-to-face time administering tests to the patient and time interpreting these test results and preparing the report	3.12
<b>Developmental/Behavioral Screening and Testing</b>		
96110	Developmental screening (e.g., developmental milestone survey, speech and language delay screen), with scoring and documentation, per standardized instrument	0.28
96112	Developmental test administration (including assessment of fine and/or gross motor, language, cognitive level, social, memory, and/or executive functions by standardized developmental instruments when performed), by physician or other qualified health care professional, with interpretation and report; first hour	3.83
+ 96113	Each additional 30 minutes (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	1.71
96127	Brief emotional/behavioral assessment (e.g., depression inventory, attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder [ADHD] scale), with scoring and documentation, per standardized instrument	0.15
<b>Psychological/Neuropsychological Testing</b>		
Neurobehavioral Status Exam		
96116	Neurobehavioral status exam (clinical assessment of thinking, reasoning and judgement, e.g., acquired knowledge, attention, language, memory, planning and problem solving, and visual spatial abilities), by physician or other qualified health care professional, both face-to-face time with the patient and time interpreting test results and preparing the report; first hour	2.70
+ 96121	Each additional hour (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	2.32
Test Evaluation Services		
96130	Psychological testing evaluation services by physician or other qualified health care professional, including integration of patient data, interpretation of standardized test results and clinical data, clinical decision making, treatment planning and report and interactive feedback to the patient, family member(s) or caregiver(s), when performed; first hour	3.30
+ 96131	Each additional hour (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	2.51
96132	Neuropsychological testing evaluation services by physician or other qualified health care professional, including integration of patient data, interpretation of standardized test results and clinical data, clinical decision making, treatment planning and report and interactive feedback to the patient, family member(s) or caregiver(s), when performed; first hour	3.71
+ 96133	Each additional hour (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	2.83
Test Administration and Scoring		
96136	Psychological or neuropsychological test administration and scoring by physician or other qualified health care professional, two or more tests, any method, first 30 minutes	1.33
+ 96137	Each additional 30 minutes (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	1.23
96138	Psychological or neuropsychological test administration and scoring by technician, two or more tests, any method; first 30 minutes	1.08
+ 96139	Each additional 30 minutes (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	1.08
Automated Testing and Result		
96146	Psychological or neuropsychological test administration, with single automated instrument via electronic platform, with automated result only	0.06

\*+ Indicates an Add-On Code to be reported with another code.

2019 Conversion Factor (CF) = \$36.0391 CF will vary by geographic location.  
 For the specific dollar amount, multiply Total RVU value by the CF.  
 Ex. for 1 hour of 96116, 2.70 x \$36.0391 = \$97.31.