

CPT/HCPCS ¹	MOD	Short descriptor	Facility			Non facility		
			CY 2015 ²	CY 2016 ³	% Change	CY 2015 ²	CY 2016 ³	% Change
99213		Office/outpatient visit est	51.38	51.56	0	73.30	73.40	0
99214		Office/outpatient visit est	79.41	79.13	0	108.88	108.13	-1
99222		Initial hospital care	139.06	138.20	-1	NA	NA	NA
99223		Initial hospital care	205.90	204.44	-1	NA	NA	NA
99231		Subsequent hospital care	39.53	39.74	1	NA	NA	NA
99232		Subsequent hospital care	73.30	72.68	-1	NA	NA	NA
99233		Subsequent hospital care	105.64	104.91	-1	NA	NA	NA
99236		Observ/hosp same date	220.99	219.48	-1	NA	NA	NA
99239		Hospital discharge day	108.88	108.13	-1	NA	NA	NA
99283		Emergency dept visit	62.88	62.66	0	NA	NA	NA
99284		Emergency dept visit	119.66	118.87	-1	NA	NA	NA
99291		Critical care first hour	227.46	225.93	-1	279.20	277.48	-1
99292		Critical care addl 30 min	113.55	113.14	0	124.33	123.88	0
99348		Home visit est patient	NA	NA	NA	84.80	84.86	0
99350		Home visit est patient	NA	NA	NA	178.95	179.38	0
G0008		Immunization admin	NA	NA	NA	25.51	25.42	0

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² Payments based on the July–December 2015 conversion factor of 35.9335.

³ Payments based on the 2016 conversion factor of \$35.8043.

- 10. On page 71369,
 - a. Second column, fifth paragraph, line 20, the figure “\$109.28” is corrected to read “108.85”.
 - b. Second column, fifth paragraph, line 23, the figure “\$21.86” is corrected to read “21.77”.

List of Subjects in 42 CFR Part 411

Kidney diseases, Medicare, Physician referral, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

Accordingly, 42 CFR chapter IV is corrected by making the following correcting amendments to part 411:

PART 411—EXCLUSIONS FROM MEDICARE AND LIMITATIONS ON MEDICARE PAYMENT

- 1. The authority citation for part 411 continues to read as follows:

Authority: Secs. 1102, 1860D–1 through 1860D–42, 1871, and 1877 of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 1302, 1395w–101 through 1395w–152, 1395hh, and 1395nn).

- 2. Section 411.357 is amended:
 - a. In paragraph (d)(1)(iv) by removing the phrase “is for at least 1 year” and adding in its place the phrase “is at least 1 year”.
 - b. In paragraph (x)(1)(vi)(A) by removing the phrase “The nonphysician practitioner has a compensation arrangement with” and adding in its place the phrase “The nonphysician practitioner has a compensation arrangement directly with”.

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Wilma Robinson,

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

50 CFR Part 648

[Docket No. 140117052–4402–02]

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Fisheries of the Northeastern United States; Summer Flounder Fishery; Quota Transfer

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Temporary rule; quota transfer.

SUMMARY: NMFS announces that the State of North Carolina is transferring portions of its 2016 commercial summer flounder quota to the States of New Jersey and Rhode Island, and the Commonwealths of Virginia and Massachusetts. These quota adjustments are necessary to comply with the Summer Flounder, Scup and Black Sea Bass Fishery Management Plan quota transfer provision. This announcement informs the public of the revised commercial quota for each state involved.

DATES: Effective March 7, 2016, through December 31, 2016.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Elizabeth Scheimer, Fishery Management Specialist, (978) 281–9236.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Regulations governing the summer flounder fishery are in 50 CFR 648.100 through 50 CFR 648.110. The regulations require annual specification of a commercial quota that is

apportioned among the coastal states from Maine through North Carolina. The process to set the annual commercial quota and the percent allocated to each state are described in § 648.102.

The final rule implementing Amendment 5 to the Summer Flounder Fishery Management Plan, as published in the **Federal Register** on December 17, 1993 (58 FR 65936), provided a mechanism for transferring summer flounder commercial quota from one state to another. Two or more states, under mutual agreement and with the concurrence of the NMFS Greater Atlantic Regional Administrator, can transfer or combine summer flounder commercial quota under § 648.102(c)(2). The Regional Administrator is required to consider the criteria in § 648.102(c)(2)(i)(A) through (C) in the evaluation of requests for quota transfers or combinations.

North Carolina is transferring a total of 64,978 lb (29,473 kg) of summer flounder commercial quota to the following states: New Jersey, 13,200 lb (5,987 kg); Massachusetts, 9,805 lb (4,447 kg); Virginia, 30,573 lb (13,868 kg); and Rhode Island, 11,400 lb (5,171 kg). These transfers were requested by the State of North Carolina to repay landings by North Carolina permitted vessels that landed in these other states under safe harbor agreements.

The revised summer flounder quotas for calendar year 2016 are: North Carolina, 2,164,731 lb (981,905 kg); Virginia, 1,762,354 lb (799,390 kg); Rhode Island, 1,285,491 lb (583,089 kg); Massachusetts, 563,902 lb (255,782 kg); and New Jersey, 1,371,944 lb (622,303 kg), based on the quotas published in the 2016–2018 Summer Flounder, Scup

and Black Sea Bass Specifications,
(December 28, 2015, 80 FR 80689).

Classification

This action is taken under 50 CFR part 648 and is exempt from review under Executive Order 12866.

Authority: 16 U.S.C. 1801 *et seq.*

Dated: March 3, 2016.

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Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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