

2021 CODE UPDATES

The American Dental Association (ADA) codes in the Code on Dental Procedures and Nomenclature (CDT) have been updated and are available for 2021. There are 28 new and four deleted codes.

You can view updated codes by visiting deltadentalco.com and logging into your account. Click on PROVIDER Login, log into your account, click on the Documents tab, and look for the latest under the General Information. If you have any questions, please contact provider relations at profservices677@ddpco.com or 303-889-8677. The changes to codes are as follows:

NEW CODES

Code	Description
D0604	Antigen testing for a public health related pathogen includes coronavirus
D0605	Antibody testing for a public health related pathogen includes coronavirus
D0701	Panoramic radiographic image — image capture only
D0702	2-D cephalometric radiographic image — image capture only
D0703	2-D oral/facial photographic image obtained intra-orally or extra-orally — image capture only
D0704	3-D photographic image — image capture only
D0705	Extra-oral posterior dental radiographic image — image capture only
D0706	Intraoral — occlusal radiographic image — image capture only
D0707	Intraoral — periapical radiographic image — image capture only
D0708	Intraoral — bitewing radiographic image — image capture only
D0709	Intraoral — complete series of radiographic images — image capture only
D1321	Counseling for the control and prevention of adverse oral, behavioral, and systemic health effects associated with high-risk substance use
D1355	Caries preventive medicament application — per tooth
D2928	Prefabricated porcelain/ceramic crown — permanent tooth
D3471	Surgical repair of root resorption — anterior
D3472	Surgical repair of root resorption — premolar
D3473	Surgical repair of root resorption — molar
D3501	Surgical exposure of root surface without apicoectomy or repair of root resorption — anterior
D3502	Surgical exposure of root surface without apicoectomy or repair of root resorption — premolar
D3503	Surgical exposure of root surface without apicoectomy or repair of root resorption — molar
D5995	Periodontal medicament carrier with peripheral seal — laboratory processed — maxillary
D5996	Periodontal medicament carrier with peripheral seal — laboratory processed — mandibular

NEW CODES CONT.

Code	Description
D6191	Semi-precision abutment — placement
D6192	Semi-precision attachment — placement
D7961	Buccal/labial frenectomy (frenulectomy)
D7962	Lingual frenectomy (frenulectomy)
D7993	Surgical placement of craniofacial implant — extra oral
D7994	Surgical placement: zygomatic implant

DELETED CODES

Code	Description
D3427	Periradicular surgery without apicoectomy
D5994	Periodontal medicament carrier with peripheral seal — laboratory processed
D6052	Semi-precision attachment abutment
D7960	Frenulectomy - also known as frenectomy or frenotomy — separate procedure not incidental to another procedure