

List of Nerves with Added Specificity

Appendix A

Codes 95900 and 95903 involve the following nerves:

I. Upper Extremity/Cervical Plexus/Brachial Plexus Motor Nerves

- A. Axillary motor nerve to the deltoid
- B. Long thoracic motor nerve to the serratus anterior
- C. Median nerve
 - 1. Median motor nerve to the abductor pollicis brevis
 - 2. Median motor nerve, anterior interosseous branch, to the flexor pollicis longus
 - 3. Median motor nerve, anterior interosseous branch, to the pronator quadratus
 - 4. Median motor nerve to the first lumbrical
 - 5. Median motor nerve to the second lumbrical
- D. Musculocutaneous motor nerve to the biceps brachii
- E. Phrenic motor nerve to the diaphragm
- F. Radial nerve
 - 1. Radial motor nerve to the extensor carpi ulnaris
 - 2. Radial motor nerve to the extensor digitorum communis
 - 3. Radial motor nerve to the extensor indicis proprius
 - 4. Radial motor nerve to the brachioradialis
- G. Suprascapular nerve
 - 1. Suprascapular motor nerve to the supraspinatus
 - 2. Suprascapular motor nerve to the infraspinatus
- H. Thoracodorsal motor nerve to the latissimus dorsi
- I. Ulnar nerve
 - 1. Ulnar motor nerve to the abductor digiti minimi
 - 2. Ulnar motor nerve to the palmar interosseous
 - 3. Ulnar motor nerve to the first dorsal interosseous
 - 4. Ulnar motor nerve to the flexor carpi ulnaris
- J. Other

II. Lower Extremity Motor Nerves

- A. Femoral motor nerve to the quadriceps
 - 1. Femoral motor nerve to vastus medialis
 - 2. Femoral motor nerve to vastus lateralis
 - 3. Femoral motor nerve to vastus intermedialis
 - 4. Femoral motor nerve to rectus femoris.
- B. Peroneal nerve
 - 1. Peroneal motor nerve to the extensor digitorum brevis
 - 2. Peroneal motor nerve to the peroneus brevis
 - 3. Peroneal motor nerve to the peroneus longus
 - 4. Peroneal motor nerve to the tibialis anterior

- C. Sciatic nerve
- D. Tibial nerve
 - 1. Tibial motor nerve, inferior calcaneal branch, to the abductor digiti minimi
 - 2. Tibial motor nerve, medial plantar branch, to the abductor hallucis
 - 3. Tibial motor nerve, lateral plantar branch, to the flexor digiti minimi brevis
- E. Other

III. Cranial Nerves

- A. Cranial nerve VII (facial motor nerve)
 - 1. Facial nerve to the frontalis
 - 2. Facial nerve to the nasalis
 - 3. Facial nerve to the orbicularis oculi
 - 4. Facial nerve to the orbicularis oris
- B. Cranial nerve XI (spinal accessory motor nerve)
- C. Other

IV. Nerve Roots

- A. Cervical nerve root stimulation
 - 1. Cervical level 5 (C5)
 - 2. Cervical level 6 (C6)
 - 3. Cervical level 7 (C7)
 - 4. Cervical level 8 (C8)
- B. Thoracic nerve root stimulation
 - 1. Thoracic level 1 (T1)
 - 2. Thoracic level 2 (T2)
 - 3. Thoracic level 3 (T3)
 - 4. Thoracic level 4 (T4)
 - 5. Thoracic level 5 (T5)
 - 6. Thoracic level 6 (T6)
 - 7. Thoracic level 7 (T7)
 - 8. Thoracic level 8 (T8)
 - 9. Thoracic level 9 (T9)
 - 10. Thoracic level 10 (T10)
 - 11. Thoracic level 11 (T11)
 - 12. Thoracic level 12 (T12)
- C. Lumbar nerve root stimulation
 - 1. Lumbar level 1 (L1)
 - 2. Lumbar level 2 (L2)
 - 3. Lumbar level 3 (L3)
 - 4. Lumbar level 4 (L4)
 - 5. Lumbar level 5 (L5)
- D. Sacral nerve root stimulation
 - 1. Sacral level 1 (S1)
 - 2. Sacral level 2 (S2)
 - 3. Sacral level 3 (S3)
 - 4. Sacral level 4 (S4)

Code 95904 involves the following nerves:

I. Upper Extremity Sensory and Mixed Nerves

- A. Lateral antebrachial cutaneous sensory nerve
- B. Medial antebrachial cutaneous sensory nerve
- C. Medial brachial cutaneous sensory nerve
- D. Median nerve
 - 1. Median sensory nerve to the 1st digit
 - 2. Median sensory nerve to the 2nd digit
 - 3. Median sensory nerve to the 3rd digit
 - 4. Median sensory nerve to the 4th digit
 - 5. Median palmar cutaneous sensory nerve
 - 6. Median palmar mixed nerve
- E. Posterior antebrachial cutaneous sensory nerve
- F. Radial sensory nerve
 - 1. Radial sensory nerve to the base of the thumb
 - 2. Radial sensory nerve to digit 1
- G. Ulnar nerve
 - 1. Ulnar dorsal cutaneous sensory nerve
 - 2. Ulnar sensory nerve to the 4th digit
 - 3. Ulnar sensory nerve to the 5th digit
 - 4. Ulnar palmar mixed nerve
- H. Intercostal sensory nerve
- I. Other

II. Lower Extremity Sensory and Mixed Nerves

- A. Lateral femoral cutaneous sensory nerve
- B. Medial calcaneal sensory nerve

- C. Medial femoral cutaneous sensory nerve
- D. Peroneal nerve
 - 1. Deep peroneal sensory nerve
 - 2. Superficial peroneal sensory nerve, medial dorsal cutaneous branch
 - 3. Superficial peroneal sensory nerve, intermediate dorsal cutaneous branch
- E. Posterior femoral cutaneous sensory nerve
- F. Saphenous nerve
 - 1. Saphenous sensory nerve (distal technique)
 - 2. Saphenous sensory nerve (proximal technique)
- G. Sural nerve
 - 1. Sural sensory nerve, lateral dorsal cutaneous branch
 - 2. Sural sensory nerve
- H. Tibial sensory nerve (digital nerve to toe 1)
- I. Tibial sensory nerve (medial plantar nerve)
- J. Tibial sensory nerve (lateral plantar nerve)
- K. Pudendal sensory nerve
- L. Other

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