

## Proposed Taxonomy Code Changes for TIPPS Year 2

### Component 1\*

No changes, eligible codes listed here:

<https://pfd.hhs.texas.gov/sites/rad/files/documents/acute-care/2021/2021-tipps-taxonomy-year-2-changes.pdf>

### Component 2\*

No changes, eligible codes listed here:

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### Component 3\*\*

**Remove:**

207ND0900X - Dermatopathology

207PE0005X - Undersea and Hyperbaric Medicine

**Add:**

207V00000X - An obstetrician/gynecologist possesses special knowledge, skills and professional capability in the medical and surgical care of the female reproductive system and associated disorders. This physician serves as a consultant to other physicians and as a primary physician for women.

207VC0200X - An obstetrician/gynecologist, who specializes in critical care medicine diagnoses, treats and supports female patients with multiple organ dysfunction. This specialist may have administrative responsibilities for intensive care units and may also facilitate and coordinate patient care among the primary physician, the critical care staff and other specialists.

207VE0102X - An obstetrician/gynecologist who is capable of managing complex problems relating to reproductive endocrinology and infertility.

207VF0040X - A subspecialist in Female Pelvic Medicine and Reconstructive Surgery is a physician in Urology or Obstetrics and Gynecology who, by virtue of education and training, is prepared to provide consultation and comprehensive management of women with complex benign pelvic conditions, lower urinary tract disorders, and pelvic floor dysfunction. Comprehensive management includes those diagnostic and therapeutic procedures necessary for the total care of the patient with these conditions and complications resulting from them.

207VG0400X - No definition available, gynecology specialization.

207VM0101X - An obstetrician/gynecologist who cares for, or provides consultation on, patients with complications of pregnancy. This specialist has advanced knowledge of the obstetrical, medical and surgical complications of pregnancy and their effect on both the mother and the fetus. The specialist also possesses expertise in the most current diagnostic and treatment modalities used in the care of patients with complicated pregnancies.

207VX0000X - Obstetrics is the surgical specialty dealing with the care of women and their children during pregnancy (prenatal period), childbirth and the postnatal period. Midwifery is the non-surgical equivalent. Veterinary obstetrics is the same concept for veterinary medicine.

207VX0201X - An obstetrician/gynecologist who provides consultation and comprehensive management of patients with gynecologic cancer, including those diagnostic and therapeutic procedures necessary for the total care of the patient with gynecologic cancer and resulting complications.

207VB0002X - A physician who specializes in the treatment of obesity demonstrates competency in and a thorough understanding of the treatment of obesity and the genetic, biologic, environmental, social, and behavioral factors that contribute to obesity. The obesity medicine physician employs therapeutic interventions including diet, physical activity, behavioral change, and pharmacotherapy. The obesity medicine physician utilizes a comprehensive approach, and may include additional resources such as dietitians, exercise physiologists, mental health professionals and bariatric surgeons as indicated to achieve optimal results. Additionally, the obesity medicine physician maintains competency in providing pre- peri- and post-surgical care of bariatric surgery patients, promotes the prevention of obesity, and advocates for those who suffer from obesity.

**No changes:**

193200000X - Multi specialty with a business group of one or more individual practitioners, who practice with different areas of specialization

193400000X - Single specialty with a business group of one or more individual practitioners, all of who practice with the same area specialization

\*Limited to HRI (Health Related Institution) and IME (Indirect Medical Education) Physician Group participation.

\*\*HRI, IME, and other physician groups are eligible to participate.

**Please note that eligible taxonomy codes are subject to change at HHSC discretion without notice and HHSC will publish the finalized list of taxonomy codes for Class 1, 2, and 3 at the time of the TIPPS Year 2 application.**