## 207WX0109X NEURO-OPHTHALMOLOGY Healthcare Provider Taxonomy Code Set

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## 207WX0109X Neuro-ophthalmology Physician

Taxonomy Code	207WX0109X
Status	Active
Level	Level III Area of Specialization
Short Name	Neuro-ophthalmology
Full Name	Neuro-ophthalmology Physician
Level I, Provider Grouping	Allopathic & Osteopathic Physicians
Level II, Classification	Ophthalmology
Description	A neuro-ophthalmologist is a subspecialist of ophthalmology. This physician evaluates, treats, and studies disorders of the eye, orbit and nervous system having to do with interactions of the visual motor and visual sensory systems with the central nervous system. Neuro-ophthalmologists manage patients with complex and severe neuro-ophthalmological disorders.
Additional Information	Source: American Academy of Ophthalmology, www.aao.org [7/1/2017: new]   Additional Resources: Association of University Professors of Ophthalmology, www.aupo.org.

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