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**PEDIATRICS**

## **Healthcare Provider Taxonomy Code Set**

The Healthcare Provider Taxonomy Code Set is a hierarchical code set that consists of codes, descriptions, and definitions. Healthcare Provider Taxonomy Codes are designed to categorize the type, classification, and/or specialization of health care providers.

**208000000X Pediatrics Physician**

<i>Taxonomy Code</i>	208000000X
<i>Status</i>	Active
<i>Level</i>	Level II Classification
<i>Short Name</i>	Pediatrics
<i>Full Name</i>	Pediatrics Physician
<i>Level I, Provider Grouping</i>	Allopathic & Osteopathic Physicians
<i>Level II, Classification</i>	Pediatrics
<i>Description</i>	A pediatrician is concerned with the physical, emotional and social health of children from birth to young adulthood. Care encompasses a broad spectrum of health services ranging from preventive healthcare to the diagnosis and treatment of acute and chronic diseases. A pediatrician deals with biological, social and environmental influences on the developing child, and with the impact of disease and dysfunction on development.
<i>Additional Information</i>	Source: American Board of Medical Specialties, 2007. <a href="http://www.abms.org">www.abms.org</a> [7/1/2007: definition added, source added; 7/1/2011: modified source]   Additional Resources: American Board of Pediatrics, 2007. <a href="http://www.abp.org/">http://www.abp.org/</a> . American Osteopathic Board of Pediatrics, 2007. <a href="http://www.osteopathic.org/certificatio">http://www.osteopathic.org/certificatio</a>   Board certification for Medical Doctors (MDs) is provided by the American Board of Pediatrics. Board certification for Doctors of Osteopathy (DOs) is provided by the American Osteopathic Board of Pediatrics.

The Healthcare Provider Taxonomy Code Set is a hierarchical code set that consists of codes, descriptions, and definitions. That Code Set is available from the Washington Publishing Company. The Code Set is maintained by the National Uniform Claim Committee. The Code Set is a Health Insurance Portability and Accountability (HIPAA) standard code set. As such, it is the only code set that may be used in HIPAA standard transactions to report the type/classification/specialization of a health care provider when such reporting is required.

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