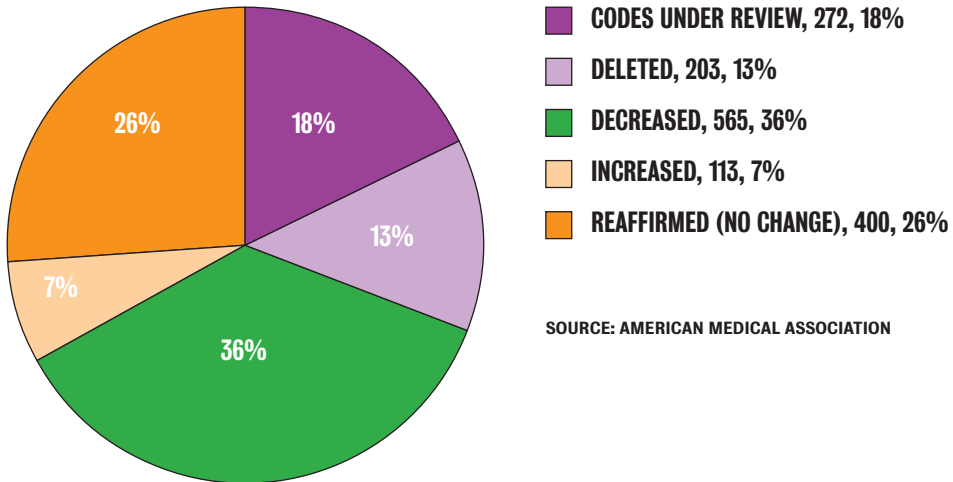


## POTENTIALLY MISVALUED SERVICES PROJECT

To provide Medicare with reliable data on how physician work has changed over time, the Relative Value Scale Update Committee is examining more than 1,500 potentially misvalued medical services accounting for \$38 billion in Medicare spending. The update committee has recommended reductions to more than 500 services, helping redistribute more than \$2.5 billion. Here are the outcomes for the committee's review of 1,553 codes:



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