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**ADDITIONAL LIST OF COMPENSABLE SURGICAL PROCEDURES
AND SERVICES IN RELATIVE VALUE SCALE 2001**

Pursuant to PhilHealth Board Resolution No. 506, s. 2002, the following amendments to the RVS 2001 shall be applied to all claims with discharge dates starting 01 January 2003:

1. The following procedures with its corresponding codes and relative value units (RVU) shall be considered as addendum to RVS 2001:

CODE	DESCRIPTIVE TERMS	RVU
19140	Mastectomy for gynecomastia	30
27200	Closed treatment of coccygeal fracture	90
31800	Suture of tracheal wound or injury; cervical	50
31805	Intrathoracic	200
33210	Insertion or replacement of temporary transvenous single chamber cardiac electrodes	50
33211	Insertion or replacement of temporary transvenous dual chamber pacing electrodes	50
36450	Exchange transfusion, blood	20
49900	Suture, secondary, of abdominal wall for evisceration or dehiscence	100
57452	Colposcopy (vaginoscopy)	10
62230	Replacement or revision of CSF (VP) shunt, obstructed valve, or distal catheter in shunt system	80
66825	Repositioning of intraocular lens prosthesis, requiring an incision	90
66985	Insertion of intraocular lens prosthesis, not associated with cataract removal	130
66986	Exchange of intraocular lens	130
75665	Angiography, cerebral	50

2. The new relative value units (RVU) for appendectomy and cholecystectomy shall be as follows:

CODE	DESCRIPTIVE TERMS	RVU
44950	Appendectomy	100
47600	Cholecystectomy	180