



Bulletin #08-09

TO: Participating hospitals and select ambulatory surgical centers

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SUBJECT: Outpatient Implantable Device Reimbursement List

We are sending this bulletin to inform you of a change to the Outpatient Implantable Device Reimbursement List that goes into effect for dates of service on or after September 1, 2009. Anchor screws, under code C1713, have been removed from the list.

We've included an updated version of the list, which reflects this change. If you have any questions regarding this bulletin, please contact your Network Coordinator.

We encourage you to share this information with appropriate members of your staff.

Outpatient Implantable Device Reimbursement List

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Type	Code	Description
AV graft	L8670	Vascular graft material, synthetic, implant
Vascular graft (allograft)	C1768	Graft, vascular
Brachytherapy	A9543, C1717, C1719, C2616, C2634, C2635, C2636, C2637, C2638, C2639, C2640, C2641	Yttrium Y-90 ibritumomab tiuxetan, therapeutic, per treatment dose, up to 40 mCi
		Brachytherapy source, yttrium 90, per source (SIR spheres)
		Brachytherapy source, high dose rate iridium-192, per source
		Brachytherapy source, nonstranded, nonhigh dose rate iridium-192, per source
		Brachytherapy source, high-activity, iodine-125, greater than 1.01 mCi (NIST), per source
		Brachytherapy source, high-activity, palladium-103, greater than 2.2 mCi (NIST), per source
		Brachytherapy linear source, palladium-103, per 1 mm
		Brachytherapy source, nonstranded, ytterbium-169, per source
		Brachytherapy source, stranded, iodine-125, per source
		Brachytherapy source, nonstranded, iodine-125, per source
		Brachytherapy source, stranded, palladium-103, per source
	Brachytherapy source, nonstranded, palladium-103, per source	
Breast implant	L8600	Implantable breast prosthesis, silicone or equal
	C1789	Prosthesis, breast (implantable)
Cochlear implant	L8614	Cochlear device, includes all internal and external components
Corneal tissue transplant	V2785	Processing, preserving, and transporting corneal tissue
Cruciate ligament	L8699	Includes patellar tendon, Achilles tendon
Fallopian tube inserts	L8699	Essure
ICD generator	C1721	Cardioverter-defibrillator, dual-chamber (implantable)
	C1722	Cardioverter-defibrillator, single-chamber (implantable)
	C1882	Cardioverter-defibrillator, other than single- or dual-chamber (implantable)
ICD leads/extensions	C1777	Lead, cardioverter-defibrillator, endocardial single-coil (implantable)
	C1896	Lead, cardioverter-defibrillator, other than endocardial single- or dual-coil (implantable)
	C1899	Lead, pacemaker/cardioverter-defibrillator combination (implantable)
Infusion pumps	E0782	Infusion pump, implant, nonprogrammable (all components, e.g., pump, catheter, connectors)
	E0783	Infusion pump system, implantable, programmable (includes all components, e.g., pump, catheter, connectors)
Stents	C1874	Stent, coated/covered, with delivery system
	C1875	Stent, coated/covered, without delivery system
	C1876	Stent, noncoated/noncovered, with delivery system
	C1877	Stent, noncoated/noncovered, without delivery system
	C2617	Stent, noncoronary, temporary, without delivery system
	C2625	Stent, noncoronary, temporary, with delivery system

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Neurostimulator/ generator	C1767, C1820, L8685, L8686, L8687, L8688	Generator, neurostimulator (implantable), non-rechargeable
		Generator, neurostimulator (implantable), with rechargeable battery and charging system
		Implantable neurostimulator pulse generator, single-array, rechargeable, includes extension
		Implantable neurostimulator pulse generator, single-array, non-rechargeable, includes extension
		Implantable neurostimulator pulse generator, dual-array, rechargeable, includes extension
		Implantable neurostimulator pulse generator, dual-array, non-rechargeable, includes extension
Neurostimulator leads/extensions test kit	C1778	Lead, neurostimulator (implantable)
	C1883	Adaptor/extension, pacing lead or neurostimulator lead (implantable)
	C1897	Lead, neurostimulator test kit (implantable)
Pacemaker/generator	C1786	Pacemaker, single-chamber, rate-responsive (implantable)
	C1785	Pacemaker, dual-chamber, rate-responsive (implantable)
	C2619	Pacemaker, dual-chamber, non rate-responsive (implantable)
	C2620	Pacemaker, single-chamber, non rate-responsive (implantable)
	C2621	Pacemaker, other than single- or dual-chamber (implantable)
Pacemaker leads	C1779	Lead, pacemaker, transvenous VDD single pass
	C1898	Lead, pacemaker, other than transvenous VDD single pass
	C1899	Lead, pacemaker/cardioverter-defibrillator combination (implantable)
Penile prostheses	C1813	Prosthesis, penile, inflatable
	C2622	Prosthesis, penile, non-inflatable
Tissue expander	L8699	Breast reconstruction
Ports	C1788	Port, indwelling (implantable)
	A4301	Implantable access total catheter, port/reservoir (e.g., venous, arterial, epidural, subarachnoid, peritoneal)
PICC line	A4300	Implantable access catheter (e.g., venous, arterial, epidural subarachnoid, or peritoneal), external access
Vena cava filter	C1880	Vena cava filter