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101 CMR 323.00: Hearing Services

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HCPCS 2019 Procedure Code Update

In accordance with 101 CMR 323.01(4): Coding Updates and Corrections, the Executive Office of Health and Human Services is adding new procedure codes, deleting outdated codes, and listing updated code descriptions for applicable existing codes, effective for dates of service on and after January 1, 2019. Codes that are added, or deleted, and existing codes for which an updated description applies, are identified in the respective tables below. Newly added codes that require pricing will be priced using individual consideration (I.C.) until appropriate rates can be developed. Rates are unchanged for the existing codes listed below with updated code descriptions. Deleted codes are not available for use for dates of services after December 31, 2018.

101 CMR 323.00: Added Codes

Added Code	Rate	Code Description (if applicable)
V5171	I.C.	Hearing aid, contralateral routing device, monaural, in the ear (ITE)
V5172	I.C.	Hearing aid, contralateral routing device, monaural, in the canal (ITE)
V5181	I.C.	Hearing aid, contralateral routing device, monaural, behind the ear (BTE)
V5211	I.C.	Hearing aid, contralateral routing system, binaural, ITE/ITE
V5212	I.C.	Hearing aid, contralateral routing system, binaural, ITE/ITC
V5213	I.C.	Hearing aid, contralateral routing system, binaural, ITE/BTE
V5214	I.C.	Hearing aid, contralateral routing system, binaural, ITC/ITC
V5215	I.C.	Hearing aid, contralateral routing system, binaural, ITC/BTE
V5221	I.C.	Hearing aid, contralateral routing system, binaural, BTE/BTE

101 CMR 323.00: Deleted codes

Deleted Code	Code Description
V5170	Hearing aid, CROS, in the ear
V5180	Hearing aid, CROS, behind the ear



Deleted Code	Code Description
V5210	Hearing aid, BICROS, in the ear
V5220	Hearing aid, BICROS, behind the ear

101 CMR 323.00: Existing Codes with Updated Code Descriptions

Code	New Code Description
V5190	Hearing aid, contralateral routing, monaural, glasses
V5200	Dispensing fee, contralateral, monaural
V5230	Hearing aid, contralateral routing system, binaural, glasses
V5240	Dispensing fee, contralateral routing system, binaural