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Addition of KU Modifier

Under the authority of 101 CMR 322.01(5) and 322.03(16), the Executive Office of Health and Human Services is issuing this administrative bulletin to add the modifier KU to certain existing codes related to wheelchair accessories and seat/back cushions used with complex rehabilitative manual wheelchairs. The KU modifier is applied to accessories for the following codes: K0005, K0008, E1161, E1231, E1232, E1233, E1234, E1235, E1236, E1237, and E1238. The list of accessories subject to the KU modifier is in the table below. The code updates are effective for dates of services on and after July 6, 2020. In accordance with 101 CMR 322.01(5), new codes with associated Medicare fees are set at a percentage of prevailing Medicare fees described in 101 CMR 322.03(16).

The appearance of a code in the table below does not constitute authorization for or approval of the procedures or services for which rates are determined pursuant to 101 CMR 322.00. Governmental units that purchase care are responsible for the definition, authorization, and approval of care to publicly aided individuals.

For additional, previously adopted, wheelchair accessory codes eligible for use with the KU modifier, please reference Administrative Bulletin 18-09 at <https://www.mass.gov/regulations/101-CMR-32200-durable-medical-equipment-oxygen-and-respiratory-therapy-equipment>.

Code	Rate	Description
E0958 KH KU	43.08	Manual wheelchair accessory, one-arm drive attachment, each
E0958 KI KU	43.08	Manual wheelchair accessory, one-arm drive attachment, each
E0958 KJ KU	32.31	Manual wheelchair accessory, one-arm drive attachment, each
E0958 NU KU	430.80	Manual wheelchair accessory, one-arm drive attachment, each
E0958 UE KU	323.10	Manual wheelchair accessory, one-arm drive attachment, each
E0959 NU KU	51.35	Manual wheelchair accessory, adapter for amputee, each
E0959 RR KU	4.54	Manual wheelchair accessory, adapter for amputee, each
E0959 UE KU	38.87	Manual wheelchair accessory, adapter for amputee, each
E0961 NU KU	34.56	Manual wheelchair accessory, wheel lock brake extension (handle), each
E0961 RR KU	3.07	Manual wheelchair accessory, wheel lock brake extension (handle), each
E0961 UE KU	14.65	Manual wheelchair accessory, wheel lock brake extension (handle), each



Code	Rate	Description
E0966 NU KU	82.91	Manual wheelchair accessory, headrest extension, each
E0966 RR KU	7.69	Manual wheelchair accessory, headrest extension, each
E0966 UE KU	62.18	Manual wheelchair accessory, headrest extension, each
E0967 NU KU	76.30	Manual wheelchair accessory, hand rim with projections, any type, replacement only, each
E0967 RR KU	7.64	Manual wheelchair accessory, hand rim with projections, any type, replacement only, each
E0967 UE KU	57.20	Manual wheelchair accessory, hand rim with projections, any type, replacement only, each
E0971 NU KU	50.40	Manual wheelchair accessory, anti-tipping device, each
E0971 RR KU	5.05	Manual wheelchair accessory, anti-tipping device, each
E0971 UE KU	37.83	Manual wheelchair accessory, anti-tipping device, each
E0974 NU KU	86.04	Manual wheelchair accessory, anti-rollback device, each
E0974 RR KU	8.21	Manual wheelchair accessory, anti-rollback device, each
E0974 UE KU	64.53	Manual wheelchair accessory, anti-rollback device, each
E0992 NU KU	110.56	Manual wheelchair accessory, solid seat insert
E0992 RR KU	9.21	Manual wheelchair accessory, solid seat insert
E0992 UE KU	82.91	Manual wheelchair accessory, solid seat insert
E1015 NU KU	133.26	Shock absorber for manual wheelchair, each
E1015 RR KU	13.32	Shock absorber for manual wheelchair, each
E1015 UE KU	99.94	Shock absorber for manual wheelchair, each
E1225 KH KU	44.63	Wheelchair accessory, manual semi-reclining back, (recline greater than 15 degrees, but less than 80 degrees), each
E1225 KI KU	44.63	Wheelchair accessory, manual semi-reclining back, (recline greater than 15 degrees, but less than 80 degrees), each
E1225 KJ KU	33.47	Wheelchair accessory, manual semi-reclining back, (recline greater than 15 degrees, but less than 80 degrees), each
E1225 NU KU	446.30	Wheelchair accessory, manual semi-reclining back, (recline greater than 15 degrees, but less than 80 degrees), each
E1225 UE KU	334.73	Wheelchair accessory, manual semi-reclining back, (recline greater than 15 degrees, but less than 80 degrees), each
E1226 NU KU	538.82	Wheelchair accessory, manual fully reclining back, (recline greater than 80 degrees), each
E1226 RR KU	55.45	Wheelchair accessory, manual fully reclining back, (recline greater than 80 degrees), each
E1226 UE KU	404.07	Wheelchair accessory, manual fully reclining back, (recline greater than 80 degrees), each
E2201 NU KU	433.46	Manual wheelchair accessory, nonstandard seat frame width, greater than or equal to 20 inches but less than 24 inches
E2201 RR KU	43.35	Manual wheelchair accessory, nonstandard seat frame width, greater than or equal to 20 inches but less than 24 inches
E2201 UE KU	325.09	Manual wheelchair accessory, nonstandard seat frame width, greater than or equal to 20 inches but less than 24 inches
E2202 NU KU	550.63	Manual wheelchair accessory, nonstandard seat frame width, 24-27 inches
E2202 RR KU	55.07	Manual wheelchair accessory, nonstandard seat frame width, 24-27 inches
E2202 UE KU	412.99	Manual wheelchair accessory, nonstandard seat frame width, 24-27 inches

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E2203 NU KU	556.54	Manual wheelchair accessory, nonstandard seat frame depth, greater than or equal to 20 inches but less than 22 inches
E2203 RR KU	55.65	Manual wheelchair accessory, nonstandard seat frame depth, greater than or equal to 20 inches but less than 22 inches
E2203 UE KU	417.37	Manual wheelchair accessory, nonstandard seat frame depth, greater than or equal to 20 inches but less than 22 inches
E2204 NU KU	944.97	Manual wheelchair accessory, nonstandard seat frame depth, 22 - 25 inches
E2204 RR KU	94.51	Manual wheelchair accessory, nonstandard seat frame depth, 22 - 25 inches
E2204 UE KU	708.72	Manual wheelchair accessory, nonstandard seat frame depth, 22 - 25 inches
E2205 NU KU	37.95	Manual wheelchair accessory, handrim without projections (includes ergonomic or contoured), any type, replacement only, each
E2205 RR KU	3.78	Manual wheelchair accessory, handrim without projections (includes ergonomic or contoured), any type, replacement only, each
E2205 UE KU	28.48	Manual wheelchair accessory, handrim without projections (includes ergonomic or contoured), any type, replacement only, each
E2206 NU KU	47.25	Manual wheelchair accessory, wheel lock assembly, complete, replacement only each
E2206 RR KU	4.70	Manual wheelchair accessory, wheel lock assembly, complete, replacement only each
E2206 UE KU	35.44	Manual wheelchair accessory, wheel lock assembly, complete, replacement only each
E2211 NU KU	47.53	Manual wheelchair accessory, pneumatic propulsion tire, any size, each
E2211 RR KU	4.59	Manual wheelchair accessory, pneumatic propulsion tire, any size, each
E2211 UE KU	34.05	Manual wheelchair accessory, pneumatic propulsion tire, any size, each
E2212 NU KU	6.82	Manual wheelchair accessory, tube for pneumatic propulsion tire, any size, each
E2212 RR KU	.73	Manual wheelchair accessory, tube for pneumatic propulsion tire, any size, each
E2212 UE KU	5.13	Manual wheelchair accessory, tube for pneumatic propulsion tire, any size, each
E2213 NU KU	35.34	Manual wheelchair accessory, insert for pneumatic propulsion tire, (removable) any size, each
E2213 RR KU	3.55	Manual wheelchair accessory, insert for pneumatic propulsion tire, (removable) any size, each
E2213 UE KU	26.49	Manual wheelchair accessory, insert for pneumatic propulsion tire, (removable) any size, each
E2214 NU KU	41.82	Manual wheelchair accessory, pneumatic caster tire, any size each
E2214 RR KU	4.59	Manual wheelchair accessory, pneumatic caster tire, any size each
E2214 UE KU	31.25	Manual wheelchair accessory, pneumatic caster tire, any size each
E2215 NU KU	11.15	Manual wheelchair accessory, tube for pneumatic caster tire, any size each
E2215 RR KU	1.11	Manual wheelchair accessory, tube for pneumatic caster tire, any size each
E2215 UE KU	8.35	Manual wheelchair accessory, tube for pneumatic caster tire, any size each
E2216 NU KU	52.92	Manual wheelchair accessory, foam filled propulsion tire, any size each
E2216 RR KU	5.30	Manual wheelchair accessory, foam filled propulsion tire, any size each
E2216 UE KU	39.68	Manual wheelchair accessory, foam filled propulsion tire, any size each

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E2217 NU KU	46.83	Manual wheelchair accessory, foam filled caster tire, any size each
E2217 RR KU	4.68	Manual wheelchair accessory, foam filled caster tire, any size each
E2217 UE KU	35.13	Manual wheelchair accessory, foam filled caster tire, any size each
E2218 NU KU	52.92	Manual wheelchair accessory, foam propulsion tire, any size each
E2218 RR KU	5.30	Manual wheelchair accessory, foam propulsion tire, any size each
E2218 UE KU	39.68	Manual wheelchair accessory, foam propulsion tire, any size each
E2219 NU KU	46.83	Manual wheelchair accessory, foam caster tire, any size each
E2219 RR KU	4.68	Manual wheelchair accessory, foam caster tire, any size each
E2219 UE KU	35.13	Manual wheelchair accessory, foam caster tire, any size each
E2220 NU KU	33.15	Manual wheelchair accessory, solid (rubber/plastic) propulsion tire, any size, replacement only, each
E2220 RR KU	3.20	Manual wheelchair accessory, solid (rubber/plastic) propulsion tire, any size, replacement only, each
E2220 UE KU	25.35	Manual wheelchair accessory, solid (rubber/plastic) propulsion tire, any size, replacement only, each
E2221 NU KU	29.68	Manual wheelchair accessory, solid (rubber/plastic) caster tire (removable), any size, replacement only, each
E2221 RR KU	3.01	Manual wheelchair accessory, solid (rubber/plastic) caster tire (removable), any size, replacement only, each
E2221 UE KU	22.27	Manual wheelchair accessory, solid (rubber/plastic) caster tire (removable), any size, replacement only, each
E2222 NU KU	24.48	Manual wheelchair accessory, solid (rubber/plastic) caster tire with integrated wheel, any size each
E2222 RR KU	2.42	Manual wheelchair accessory, solid (rubber/plastic) caster tire with integrated wheel, any size each
E2222 UE KU	18.36	Manual wheelchair accessory, solid (rubber/plastic) caster tire with integrated wheel, any size each
E2224 NU KU	113.92	Manual wheelchair accessory, propulsion wheel excludes tire, any size, replacement only, each
E2224 RR KU	11.96	Manual wheelchair accessory, propulsion wheel excludes tire, any size, replacement only, each
E2224 UE KU	85.44	Manual wheelchair accessory, propulsion wheel excludes tire, any size, replacement only, each
E2225 NU KU	20.21	Manual wheelchair accessory, caster wheel excludes tire, any size, replacement only each
E2225 RR KU	2.01	Manual wheelchair accessory, caster wheel excludes tire, any size, replacement only each
E2225 UE KU	15.15	Manual wheelchair accessory, caster wheel excludes tire, any size, replacement only each
E2226 NU KU	44.07	Manual wheelchair accessory, caster fork, any size, replacement only each
E2226 RR KU	4.41	Manual wheelchair accessory, caster fork, any size, replacement only each
E2226 UE KU	33.06	Manual wheelchair accessory, caster fork, any size, replacement only each
E2228 KH KU	108.75	Manual wheelchair accessory, wheel braking system and lock, complete, each
E2228 KI KU	108.75	Manual wheelchair accessory, wheel braking system and lock, complete, each
E2228 KJ KU	81.53	Manual wheelchair accessory, wheel braking system and lock, complete, each

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E2228 NU KU	1087.50	Manual wheelchair accessory, wheel braking system and lock, complete, each
E2228 UE KU	815.62	Manual wheelchair accessory, wheel braking system and lock, complete, each
E2231 NU KU	178.53	Manual wheelchair accessory, solid seat support base (replaces sling seat), includes any type mounting hardware
E2231 RR KU	17.86	Manual wheelchair accessory, solid seat support base (replaces sling seat), includes any type mounting hardware
E2231 UE KU	133.88	Manual wheelchair accessory, solid seat support base (replaces sling seat), includes any type mounting hardware
K0050 NU KU	32.55	Ratchet assembly, replacement only
K0050 RR KU	3.24	Ratchet assembly, replacement only
K0050 UE KU	24.62	Ratchet assembly, replacement only
K0195 KH KU	17.94	Elevating leg rests, pair (for use with capped rental wheelchair base)
K0195 KI KU	17.94	Elevating leg rests, pair (for use with capped rental wheelchair base)
K0195 KJ KU	13.46	Elevating leg rests, pair (for use with capped rental wheelchair base)
K0195 NU KU	179.40	Elevating leg rests, pair (for use with capped rental wheelchair base)
K0195 UE KU	134.55	Elevating leg rests, pair (for use with capped rental wheelchair base)