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101 CMR 334.00: Rates for Prostheses, Prosthetic Devices, and Orthotic Devices

Effective October 1, 2024

Code Updates for Certain Prostheses and Orthotic Devices

Summary

Under the authority of 101 CMR 334.01(5): *Coding Updates and Corrections*, the Executive Office of Health and Human Services (EOHHS) is adding new service codes and revising code descriptions, effective for dates of service on or after October 1, 2024.

In accordance with 101 CMR 334.03(2): *Rates for new codes*, for new codes for which there are Medicare fees, payment rates will be set at a percentage of prevailing Medicare fees. For new codes for which there are no Medicare fees available, rates are set at individual consideration (IC), pursuant to 101 CMR 334.03(2)(d) and as defined in 101 CMR 334.02. Rates listed in this administrative bulletin are applicable until revised rates are issued by EOHHS.

The appearance of a code in the tables below does not constitute authorization for, or approval of, the procedures or services for which rates are determined pursuant to 101 CMR 334.00. Governmental units that purchase care are responsible for the definition, authorization, and approval of care to publicly aided individuals.

Added Codes

Code	Description	Rate
L1006	Scoliosis orthosis, sagittal-coronal control provided by a rigid lateral frame, extends from axilla to trochanter, includes all accessory pads, straps and interface, prefabricated item that has been trimmed, bent, molded,	\$1,027.74

Code	Description	Rate
	assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	
L1653	Hip orthosis, bilateral thigh cuffs with adjustable abductor spreader bar, adult size, prefabricated, off the shelf	\$289.66
L1821	Knee Orthosis, elastic with condylar pads and joints, with or without patellar control, prefabricated, off the shelf	\$118.50
L8720	External lower extremity sensory prosthesis, cutaneous stimulation of mechanoreceptors proximal to the ankle, per leg	AAC + 50%
L8721	Receptor sole for use with L8720, replacement, each	AAC + 50%

Revised Code Descriptions

Code	Description	
L1652	Hip orthosis, bilateral thigh cuffs with adjustable abductor spreader bar, adult size, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment, prefabricated item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	
L1820	Knee orthosis, elastic with condylar pads and joints, with or without patellar control, prefabricated item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	