



GRAFTJACKET®



2014 Reimbursement Codes

The following codes contained within this document are representative of possible services or diagnoses that may be associated with use of Wright products. This is not a complete listing of possible codes. Not all of the codes are necessarily to be used together. Some codes may be considered a component of another ('bundled'). Final determination of the correct or appropriate coding for services performed are made by the claims submitter/provider and should be consistent with the billing policies of the patient's health insurance program. CPT® codes and descriptors are copyrighted by the American Medical Association (AMA). CPT® is a registered trademark of the American Medical Association.

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HCPCS Device Codes

HCPCS codes are developed and maintained by CMS and are used to report items such as medical devices, implants, drugs and supplies. C-codes are a special type of HCPCS code designed specifically for hospital use in billing Medicare for certain outpatient items and procedures. Other payers may also accept C-codes. S codes are used by private insurers to report drugs, services, and supplies for which there are no national codes but for which codes are needed by the private sector to implement policies, programs, or claims processing. They are for the purpose of meeting the particular needs of the private sector.

Not all implanted items have a specific HCPCS code. If desired, a miscellaneous HCPCS code can be used.

| HCPCS Code | Description |
|------------|-------------------------|
| Q4107 | GRAFTJACKET®, per sq cm |

R Reference: "List of Device Category Codes for Present or Previous Pass-Through Payment and Related Definitions", January 2015

CPT® Codes

Codes for internal or external fixation are to be used only when internal or external fixation is not already listed as part of the basic procedure.

Physician Coding

Resource based relative value scale (RBRVS) is the prospective payment system Medicare uses to reimburse physicians. Each service has relative value units (RVUs) that indicate its rank compared to all other services in terms of the relative costs of the resources required, including physician work, practice expenses, and malpractice insurance. The RVU is converted to a flat payment amount using a standardized conversion factor.

Different sites of services have different RVUs and payment:

- Facility RVUs represent surgical services provided in hospitals, ambulatory surgical centers, or skilled nursing facilities.
- Non-Facility RVUs represent surgical services provided in physician's offices.
- RVUs and payments are usually lower in the Facility setting because the facility is incurring some of the costs. RVUs and payments are usually higher in the Non-Facility setting because the physician incurs all costs there and the physician must be reimbursed for those costs.

"NA" indicates that the Non-Facility RVUs do not exist because the service is expected to be performed in a facility.

"UNL" indicates the CPT code as unlisted, and therefore non-facility or facility RVUs cannot be calculated.

| CPT® CODE | Description | Facility | | Non-Facility | |
|-----------|--|----------|--------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|
| | | RVUs | Medicare Average Payment | RVUs | Medicare Average Payment |
| +15777 | Implantation of biologic implant (eg, acellular dermal matrix) for soft tissue reinforcement (ie, breast, trunk) (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure) | 6.08 | \$217 | 6.08 | \$217 |
| 23410 | Repair of ruptured musculotendinous cuff (eg, rotator cuff) open; acute | 23.47 | \$840 | NA | NA |
| 23412 | Repair of ruptured musculotendinous cuff (eg, rotator cuff) open; chronic | 24.33 | \$871 | NA | NA |
| 23420 | Reconstruction of complete shoulder (rotator) cuff avulsion, chronic (includes acromioplasty) | 27.68 | \$990 | NA | NA |
| 23470 | Arthroplasty, glenohumeral joint; hemiarthroplasty | 34.39 | \$1,231 | NA | NA |
| 23472 | Arthroplasty, glenohumeral joint; total shoulder (glenoid and proximal humeral replacement (eg, total shoulder)) | 41.69 | \$1,492 | NA | NA |
| 23473 | Revision of total shoulder arthroplasty, including allograft when performed; humeral or glenoid component | 46.55 | \$1,666 | NA | |
| 23474 | Revision of total shoulder arthroplasty, including allograft when performed; humeral and glenoid component | 50.36 | \$1,802 | NA | NA |

| CPT® CODE | Description | Facility | | Non-Facility | |
|--------------|---|----------|--------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------------|
| | | RVUs | Medicare Average Payment | RVUs | Medicare Average Payment |
| 23800 | Arthrodesis, glenohumeral joint | 29.34 | \$1,050 | NA | NA |
| 23929 | Unlisted procedure, shoulder | UNL | UNL | UNL | UNL |
| 26476 | Lengthening of tendon, extensor, hand or finger, each tendon | 16.44 | \$587 | NA | NA |
| 26478 | Lengthening of tendon, flexor, hand or finger, each tendon | 17.28 | \$618 | NA | NA |
| 26502 | Reconstruction of tendon pulley, each tendon; with tendon or fascial graft (includes obtaining graft) (separate procedure) | 20.00 | \$716 | NA | NA |
| 26545 | Reconstruction, collateral ligament, interphalangeal joint, single, including graft, each joint | 19.93 | \$713 | NA | NA |
| 27036 | Capsulectomy or capsulotomy, hip, with or without excision of heterotopic bone, with release of hip flexor muscles (ie, gluteus medius, gluteus minimus, tensor fascia latae, rectus femoris, sartorius, iliopsoas) | 28.91 | \$1,035 | NA | NA |
| 27422 | Reconstruction of dislocating patella; with extensor realignment and/or muscle advancement or release (eg, Campbell, Goldwaite type procedure) | 21.19 | \$758 | NA | NA |
| 27428 | Ligamentous reconstruction (augmentation), knee; intra-articular (open) | 31.88 | \$1,141 | NA | NA |
| 27430 | Quadricepsplasty (eg, Bennett or Thompson type) | 21.02 | \$752 | NA | NA |
| 27599 | Unlisted procedure, femur or knee | UNL | UNL | UNL | UNL |
| 27652 | Repair, primary, open or percutaneous, ruptured Achilles tendon; with graft (includes obtaining graft) | 19.63 | \$702 | NA | NA |
| 27654 | Repair, primary, open or percutaneous, ruptured Achilles tendon; with graft (includes obtaining graft) | 20.23 | \$724 | NA | NA |
| 27659 | Repair, flexor tendon, leg; secondary, with or without graft, each tendon | 13.71 | \$490 | NA | NA |
| 27665 | Repair, extensor tendon, leg; secondary, with or without graft, each tendon | 11.69 | \$418 | NA | NA |
| 27685 | Lengthening or shortening of tendon, leg or ankle; single tendon (separate procedure) | 13.25 | \$474 | 18.95 | \$678 |
| 27686 | Lengthening or shortening of tendon, leg or ankle; multiple tendons (through same incision), each | 16.10 | \$576 | NA | NA |
| 27899 | Unlisted procedure, leg or ankle | UNL | UNL | UNL | UNL |
| 28200 | Repair, tendon, flexor, foot; primary or secondary, without free graft, each tendon | 9.20 | \$329 | 14.09 | \$504 |
| 28208 | Repair, tendon, extensor, foot; primary or secondary, each tendon | 8.96 | \$320 | 13.70 | \$490 |
| 28735 | Arthrodesis, midtarsal or tarsometatarsal, multiple or transverse; with osteotomy (eg, flatfoot correction) | 22.39 | \$801 | NA | NA |
| 28899 | Unlisted procedure, foot or toes | UNL | UNL | UNL | UNL |
| 29826 | Arthroscopy, shoulder, surgical; decompression of subacromial space with partial acromioplasty, with coracoacromial ligament (ie, arch) release, when performed (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure) | 5.05 | \$180 | NA | NA |
| 29827 | Arthroscopy, shoulder, surgical; with rotator cuff repair | 30.13 | \$1,120 | NA | NA |

Reference: Medicare Program; Payment Policies Under the Physician Fee Schedule and Other Revisions to Part B for CY 2015 Final Rule, Addendum B: CY 2015 Relative Value Units (RVUs) and related information used in determining final Medicare payments.

See also: <http://www.cms.gov/apps/physician-fee-schedule/search/search-criteria.aspx>

2015 Medicare Physician Fee Schedule (MPFS) Conversion Factor: The CY 2015 MPFS conversion factor is \$35.8013 for January 1, 2015 through March 31, 2015--as a result of Congress passing a "fix" to the sustainable growth rate (SGR) in April 2014. The "fix" provided for a zero percent update for services furnished between January 1 and March 31, 2015.

Hospital Outpatient Coding (APCs)

Ambulatory payment classifications (APCs) is the prospective payment system Medicare uses to reimburse hospitals for outpatient services. Each CPT code for a significant procedure is assigned to a specific APC class based on clinical and resource similarities. Each APC has a relative weight that indicates its rank compared to all other procedures in terms of the relative costs. The relative weight is then converted to a flat payment amount using a standardized conversion factor.

Multiple APCs can be assigned for the same case if multiple procedures are performed. The status indicator (SI) signifies how a code is handled for payment. Status Indicator C indicates an inpatient procedure, Not paid under OPPS. Patient should be admitted and billed as an inpatient. Status indicator J1 will trigger a comprehensive APC payment for the claim, meaning a single APC will be paid while all other items and services on the same date of service will no longer generate separate payment. Status indicator N services are paid under the OPPS, but their payment is packaged into payment for a separately paid service, it is a packaged service/item; no separate payment made. Local carrier determinations may also apply to N when separate payment is allowed. Status indicator T means that the code pays at 100% of the rate when it is the only procedure or is the highest-weighted procedure, but pays at 50% of the rate when it is submitted with another higher-weighted procedure.

For Medicare, with a few exceptions, the APC payment for the procedure code is considered complete. In general, separate payment is not made for implanted devices. Instead, payment for implants used in the procedure is included in the payment for the procedure. However, private payers may have carve-outs for implants.

| CPT® Code | Description | APC | APC Title | SI | Relative Weight | Average Payment |
|-----------|---|------|---|----|-----------------|-----------------|
| +15777 | Implantation of biologic implant (eg, acellular dermal matrix) for soft tissue reinforcement (ie, breast, trunk) (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure) | NA | NA | N | NA | NA |
| 23410 | Repair of ruptured musculotendinous cuff (eg, rotator cuff) open; acute | 0051 | Level III Musculoskeletal Procedures Except Hand and Foot | T | 50.7327 | \$3,762 |
| 23412 | Repair of ruptured musculotendinous cuff (eg, rotator cuff) open; chronic | 0051 | Level III Musculoskeletal Procedures Except Hand and Foot | T | 50.7327 | \$3,762 |
| 23420 | Reconstruction of complete shoulder (rotator) cuff avulsion, chronic (includes acromioplasty) | 0051 | Level III Musculoskeletal Procedures Except Hand and Foot | T | 50.7327 | \$3,762 |
| 23470 | Arthroplasty, glenohumeral joint; hemiarthroplasty | 0425 | Level V Musculoskeletal Procedures Except Hand and Foot | J1 | 137.8399 | \$10,220 |
| 23472 | Arthroplasty, glenohumeral joint; total shoulder (glenoid and proximal humeral replacement (eg, total shoulder)) | NA | NA | C | NA | NA |
| 23473 | Revision of total shoulder arthroplasty, including allograft when performed; humeral or glenoid component | 0047 | Arthroplasty | T | 45.3575 | \$3,363 |
| 23474 | Revision of total shoulder arthroplasty, including allograft when performed; humeral and glenoid component | NA | NA | C | NA | NA |
| 23800 | Arthrodesis, glenohumeral joint | 0052 | Level IV Musculoskeletal Procedures Except Hand and Foot | T | 85.2438 | \$6,320 |
| 23929 | Unlisted procedure, shoulder | 0129 | Level I Closed Treatment Fracture | T | 2.2797 | \$169 |
| 26476 | Lengthening of tendon, extensor, hand or finger, each tendon | 0053 | Level I Hand Musculoskeletal Procedures | T | 16.5603 | \$1,228 |
| 26478 | Lengthening of tendon, flexor, hand or finger, each tendon | 0053 | Level I Hand Musculoskeletal Procedures | T | 16.5603 | \$1,228 |
| 26502 | Reconstruction of tendon pulley, each tendon; with tendon or fascial graft (includes obtaining graft) (separate procedure) | 0054 | Level II Hand Musculoskeletal Procedures | T | 29.7967 | \$2,209 |
| 26545 | Reconstruction, collateral ligament, interphalangeal joint, single, including graft, each joint | 0054 | Level II Hand Musculoskeletal Procedures | T | 29.7967 | \$2,209 |
| 27036 | Capsulectomy or capsulotomy, hip, with or without excision of heterotopic bone, with release of hip flexor muscles (ie, gluteus medius, gluteus minimus, tensor fascia latae, rectus femoris, sartorius, iliopsoas) | NA | NA | C | NA | NA |
| 27422 | Reconstruction of dislocating patella; with extensor realignment and/or muscle advancement or release (eg, Campbell, Goldwaite type procedure) | 0051 | Level III Musculoskeletal Procedures Except Hand and Foot | T | 50.7327 | \$3,762 |
| 27428 | Ligamentous reconstruction (augmentation), knee; intra-articular (open) | 0425 | Level V Musculoskeletal Procedures Except Hand and Foot | J1 | 137.8399 | \$10,220 |

| CPT® Code | Description | APC | APC Title | SI | Relative Weight | Average Payment |
|-----------|---|------|---|----|-----------------|-----------------|
| 27430 | Quadricepsplasty (eg, Bennett or Thompson type) | 0051 | Level III Musculoskeletal Procedures Except Hand and Foot | T | 50.7327 | \$3,762 |
| 27599 | Unlisted procedure, femur or knee | 0129 | Level I Closed Treatment Fracture | T | 2.2797 | \$169 |
| 27652 | Repair, primary, open or percutaneous, ruptured Achilles tendon; with graft (includes obtaining graft) | 0051 | Level III Musculoskeletal Procedures Except Hand and Foot | T | 50.7327 | \$3,762 |
| 27654 | Repair, primary, open or percutaneous, ruptured Achilles tendon; with graft (includes obtaining graft) | 0051 | Level III Musculoskeletal Procedures Except Hand and Foot | T | 50.7327 | \$3,762 |
| 27659 | Repair, flexor tendon, leg; secondary, with or without graft, each tendon | 0049 | Level I Musculoskeletal Procedures Except Hand and Foot | T | 22.3913 | \$1,660 |
| 27665 | Repair, extensor tendon, leg; secondary, with or without graft, each tendon | 0050 | Level II Musculoskeletal Procedures Except Hand and Foot | T | 35.0819 | \$2,601 |
| 27685 | Lengthening or shortening of tendon, leg or ankle; single tendon (separate procedure) | 0050 | Level II Musculoskeletal Procedures Except Hand and Foot | T | 35.0819 | \$2,601 |
| 27686 | Lengthening or shortening of tendon, leg or ankle; multiple tendons (through same incision), each | 0050 | Level II Musculoskeletal Procedures Except Hand and Foot | T | 35.0819 | \$2,601 |
| 27899 | Unlisted procedure, leg or ankle | 0129 | Level I Closed Treatment Fracture | T | 2.2797 | \$169 |
| 28200 | Repair, tendon, flexor, foot; primary or secondary, without free graft, each tendon | 0055 | Level I Foot Musculoskeletal Procedures | T | 23.5061 | \$1,743 |
| 28208 | Repair, tendon, extensor, foot; primary or secondary, each tendon | 0055 | Level I Foot Musculoskeletal Procedures | T | 23.5061 | \$1,743 |
| 28735 | Arthrodesis, midtarsal or tarsometatarsal, multiple or transverse; with osteotomy (eg, flatfoot correction) | 0056 | Level II Foot Musculoskeletal Procedures | T | 70.3645 | \$5,217 |
| 28899 | Unlisted procedure, foot or toes | 0129 | Level I Closed Treatment Fracture | T | 2.2797 | \$169 |
| 29826 | Arthroscopy, shoulder, surgical; decompression of subacromial space with partial acromioplasty, with coracoacromial ligament (ie, arch) release, when performed (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure) | NA | NA | N | NA | NA |
| 29827 | Arthroscopy, shoulder, surgical; with rotator cuff repair | 0042 | Level II Arthroscopy | T | 58.5867 | \$4,344 |

Reference: Medicare Program: Hospital Outpatient Prospective Payment System Final Rule Addendum C - Final HCPCS Codes Payable Under the 2015 OPSS by APC

Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC) Coding

Medicare's prospective payment system for ASCs is based on the systems used for hospital outpatient services and physician office-based procedures. Each CPT code for an ASC-covered procedure is assigned a relative weight and flat payment amount which is then adjusted for the ASC setting.

Multiple procedures can be paid for the same case if multiple codes are submitted. The payment indicator (PI) signifies how a code is handled for payment. Specifically, payment indicator A2 means a surgical procedure whose payment is based on the hospital outpatient rate. Payment indicator J8 indicates Device-intensive procedure; paid at adjusted rate. Payment indicator N1 indicates a packaged procedure/item; no separate payment made. NA indicates surgical procedures excluded from payment in ASCs for CY 2015. When the Multiple Procedure Discount is Yes, it indicates that the code pays at 100% of the rate when it is the only procedure or is the highest-weighted procedure, but pays at 50% of the rate when it is submitted with another higher-weighted procedure.

For Medicare, with a few exceptions, the ASC payment for the procedure code is considered complete. In general, separate payment is not made for implanted devices. Instead, payment for implants used in the procedure is included in the payment for the procedure. However, private payers may have carve-outs for implants.

| CPT® Code | Description | PI | Multi-Procedure Discounting? | Relative Weight | Medicare Average Payment |
|-----------|--|----|------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|
| +15777 | Implantation of biologic implant (eg, acellular dermal matrix) for soft tissue reinforcement (ie, breast, trunk) (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure) | N1 | NA | 0.0000 | NA |
| 23410 | Repair of ruptured musculotendinous cuff (eg, rotator cuff) open; acute | A2 | Y | 46.8009 | \$2,063 |
| 23412 | Repair of ruptured musculotendinous cuff (eg, rotator cuff) open; chronic | A2 | Y | 46.8009 | \$2,063 |

| CPT® Code | Description | PI | Multi-Procedure Discounting? | Relative Weight | Medicare Average Payment |
|-----------|---|----|------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|
| 23420 | Reconstruction of complete shoulder (rotator) cuff avulsion, chronic (includes acromioplasty) | A2 | Y | 46.8009 | \$2,063 |
| 23470 | Arthroplasty, glenohumeral joint; hemiarthroplasty | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| 23472 | Arthroplasty, glenohumeral joint; total shoulder (glenoid and proximal humeral replacement (eg, total shoulder)) | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| 23473 | Revision of total shoulder arthroplasty, including allograft when performed; humeral or glenoid component | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| 23474 | Revision of total shoulder arthroplasty, including allograft when performed; humeral and glenoid component | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| 23800 | Arthrodesis, glenohumeral joint | A2 | Y | 78.6374 | \$3,466 |
| 23929 | Unlisted procedure, shoulder | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| 26476 | Lengthening of tendon, extensor, hand or finger, each tendon | A2 | Y | 15.2769 | \$673 |
| 26478 | Lengthening of tendon, flexor, hand or finger, each tendon | A2 | Y | 15.2769 | \$673 |
| 26502 | Reconstruction of tendon pulley, each tendon; with tendon or fascial graft (includes obtaining graft) (separate procedure) | A2 | Y | 27.4875 | \$1,211 |
| 26545 | Reconstruction, collateral ligament, interphalangeal joint, single, including graft, each joint | A2 | Y | 27.4875 | \$1,211 |
| 27036 | Capsulectomy or capsulotomy, hip, with or without excision of heterotopic bone, with release of hip flexor muscles (ie, gluteus medius, gluteus minimus, tensor fascia latae, rectus femoris, sartorius, iliopsoas) | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| 27422 | Reconstruction of dislocating patella; with extensor realignment and/or muscle advancement or release (eg, Campbell, Goldwaite type procedure) | A2 | Y | 46.8009 | \$2,063 |
| 27428 | Ligamentous reconstruction (augmentation), knee; intra-articular (open) | J8 | N | 177.9456 | \$7,842 |
| 27430 | Quadricepsplasty (eg, Bennett or Thompson type) | A2 | Y | 46.8009 | \$2,063 |
| 27599 | Unlisted procedure, femur or knee | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| 27652 | Repair, primary, open or percutaneous, ruptured Achilles tendon; with graft (includes obtaining graft) | A2 | Y | 46.8009 | \$2,063 |
| 27654 | Repair, primary, open or percutaneous, ruptured Achilles tendon; with graft (includes obtaining graft) | A2 | Y | 46.8009 | \$2,063 |
| 27659 | Repair, flexor tendon, leg; secondary, with or without graft, each tendon | A2 | Y | 20.6560 | \$910 |
| 27665 | Repair, extensor tendon, leg; secondary, with or without graft, each tendon | A2 | Y | 32.3631 | \$1,426 |
| 27685 | Lengthening or shortening of tendon, leg or ankle; single tendon (separate procedure) | A2 | Y | 32.3631 | \$1,426 |
| 27686 | Lengthening or shortening of tendon, leg or ankle; multiple tendons (through same incision), each | A2 | Y | 32.3631 | \$1,426 |
| 27899 | Unlisted procedure, leg or ankle | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| 28200 | Repair, tendon, flexor, foot; primary or secondary, without free graft, each tendon | A2 | Y | 21.6844 | \$956 |
| 28208 | Repair, tendon, extensor, foot; primary or secondary, each tendon | A2 | Y | 21.6844 | \$956 |
| 28735 | Arthrodesis, midtarsal or tarsometatarsal, multiple or transverse; with osteotomy (eg, flatfoot correction) | A2 | Y | 64.9113 | \$2,861 |
| 28899 | Unlisted procedure, foot or toes | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| 29826 | Arthroscopy, shoulder, surgical; decompression of subacromial space with partial acromioplasty, with coracoacromial ligament (ie, arch) release, when performed (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure) | N1 | NA | 0.0000 | NA |
| 29827 | Arthroscopy, shoulder, surgical; with rotator cuff repair | A2 | Y | 54.0462 | \$2,382 |

Reference: Medicare Program: Hospital Outpatient Prospective Payment and Ambulatory Surgical Center Payment Final Rule, Addendum AA -- Final ASC Covered Surgical Procedures for CY 2015 (Including Surgical Procedures for Which Payment is Packaged), Addendum EE -- Surgical Procedures Proposed to be Excluded from Payment in ASCs for CY 2015

ICD-9-CM Diagnosis Codes

ICD-9-CM diagnosis codes are used by all providers, including physicians, hospitals and ASCs, and in all settings, including inpatient and outpatient. Diagnosis codes indicate the reason for the procedure and are mandatory for reimbursement. The codes shown below are those that are common with procedures using the GRAFTJACKET® Regenerative Tissue Matrix though other codes may also be appropriate. The ICD-9-CM book should always be referenced for diagnostic coding.

| ICD-9-CM Diagnosis | Description |
|--------------------|--|
| 170.4 | Malignant neoplasm of scapula and long bones of upper limb [resection of tumor] [resection of tumor] |
| 171.2 | Malignant neoplasm of connective and other soft tissue of upper limb, including shoulder [resection of tumor] [resection of tumor] |
| 337.20 | Reflex sympathetic dystrophy, unspecified |
| 337.21 | Reflex sympathetic dystrophy of the upper limb |
| 337.22 | Reflex sympathetic dystrophy of the lower limb |
| 353.0 | Brachial plexus [with flail shoulder] |
| 714.0 | Rheumatoid arthritis |
| 715.11 | Primary localized osteoarthritis, shoulder region |
| 715.15 | Osteoarthritis, localized, primary, pelvic region and thigh |
| 715.21 | Secondary localized osteoarthritis, shoulder region |
| 715.25 | Osteoarthritis, localized, secondary, pelvic region and thigh |
| 715.31 | Localized osteoarthritis not specified whether primary or secondary, shoulder region |
| 715.35 | Osteoarthritis, localized, not specified whether primary or secondary, pelvic region and thigh |
| 715.91 | Osteoarthritis, unspecified whether generalized or localized, shoulder region |
| 715.95 | Osteoarthritis, unspecified whether generalized or localized, pelvic region and thigh |
| 716.11 | Traumatic arthropathy, shoulder region |
| 716.51 | Unspecified polyarthropathy or polyarthritis, shoulder region |
| 716.61 | Unspecified monoarthritis, shoulder region |
| 716.81 | Other specified arthropathy, shoulder region |
| 716.91 | Unspecified arthropathy, shoulder region |
| 717.0 | Old bucket handle tear of medial meniscus |
| 717.1 | Derangement of anterior horn of medial meniscus |
| 717.2 | Derangement of posterior horn of medial meniscus |
| 717.3 | Other and unspecified derangement of medial meniscus |
| 717.40 | Derangement of lateral meniscus, unspecified |
| 717.41 | Bucket handle tear of lateral meniscus |
| 717.42 | Derangement of anterior horn of lateral meniscus |
| 717.43 | Derangement of posterior horn of lateral meniscus |
| 717.49 | Other derangement of lateral meniscus |
| 717.81 | Old disruption of lateral collateral ligament |
| 717.82 | Old disruption of medial collateral ligament |
| 717.83 | Old disruption of anterior cruciate ligament |
| 717.84 | Old disruption of posterior cruciate ligament |
| 717.89 | Other internal derangement of knee |
| 718.65 | Unspecified intrapelvic protrusion of acetabulum, pelvic region and thigh |
| 718.90 | Unspecified derangement of joint, site unspecified |
| 718.91 | Unspecified derangement of joint, shoulder region |

| ICD-9-CM Diagnosis | Description |
|--------------------|--|
| 718.95 | Unspecified derangement of joint, pelvic region and thigh |
| 718.97 | Unspecified derangement of joint, ankle and foot |
| 719.61 | Other symptoms referable to joint of shoulder region [crepitus] |
| 726.19 | Other specified disorders of shoulder [Rotator cuff tear arthropathy with severe rotator cuff tearing] |
| 726.2 | Other affections of shoulder region, not elsewhere classified |
| 726.39 | Other enthesopathy of elbow region |
| 726.4 | Enthesopathy of wrist and carpus |
| 726.5 | Enthesopathy of hip region |
| 726.63 | Fibular collateral ligament bursitis |
| 726.64 | Patellar tendinitis |
| 726.71 | Achilles bursitis or tendinitis |
| 726.72 | Tibialis tendinitis |
| 726.79 | Other enthesopathy of ankle and tarsus |
| 726.8 | Other peripheral enthesopathies |
| 727.61 | Complete rupture of rotator cuff |
| 728.4 | Laxity of ligament |
| 728.6 | Contracture of palmar fascia |
| 732.7 | Osteochondritis dissecans |
| 726.0 | Adhesive capsulitis of shoulder |
| 733.41 | Aseptic necrosis of head of humerus [without glenoid involvement] |
| 733.42 | Aseptic necrosis of head and neck of femur |
| 733.81 | Malunion of fracture |
| 733.82 | Nonunion of fracture |
| 767.7 | Other cranial and peripheral nerve injuries due to birth trauma [paralytic disorders of infancy] |
| 812.12 | Fracture of anatomical neck of humerus, open |
| 812.20 | Fracture of unspecified part of humerus, closed |
| 831.00 | Closed dislocation of shoulder, unspecified |
| 831.01 | Closed anterior dislocation of humerus |
| 831.02 | Closed posterior dislocation of humerus |
| 831.03 | Closed inferior dislocation of humerus |
| 831.04 | Closed dislocation of acromioclavicular (joint) |
| 831.10 | Open dislocation of shoulder, unspecified |
| 831.11 | Open anterior dislocation of humerus |
| 831.12 | Open posterior dislocation of humerus |
| 831.13 | Open inferior dislocation of humerus |
| 831.14 | Open dislocation of acromioclavicular (joint) |
| 844.0 | Sprain of lateral collateral ligament of knee |
| 844.1 | Sprain of medial collateral ligament of knee |
| 844.2 | Sprain of cruciate ligament of knee |

| IDC-9-CM Diagnosis | Description |
|--------------------|--|
| 844.3 | Sprain of tibiofibular (joint) (ligament) superior, of knee |
| 840.4 | Rotator cuff (capsule) sprain and strain |
| 844.8 | Sprains and strains of other specified sites of knee and leg |
| 845.0 | Sprain of ankle, unspecified site |
| 845.01 | Sprain of deltoid (ligament), ankle |
| 845.02 | Sprain of calcaneofibular (ligament) of ankle |
| 845.03 | Sprain of tibiofibular (ligament), distal of ankle |
| 845.09 | Other sprains and strains of ankle |
| 905.2 | Late effect of fracture of upper extremities |
| 905.3 | Late effect of fracture of neck of femur |
| 905.4 | Late effect of fracture of lower extremities |
| 905.8 | Late effect of tendon injury |
| V43.61 | Shoulder joint replacement status [failed total shoulder arthroplasty] |
| V43.62 | Elbow joint replacement status [failed total shoulder arthroplasty] |
| V43.63 | Wrist joint replacement [failed total shoulder arthroplasty] |
| V43.64 | Hip joint replacement [failed total shoulder arthroplasty] |
| V43.65 | Knee joint replacement [failed total shoulder arthroplasty] |
| V43.66 | Ankle joint replacement [failed total shoulder arthroplasty] |

Hospital Inpatient Diagnosis Related Group (MS-DRGs) and ICD-9-CM Procedure Codes

Diagnosis Related Groups (MS-DRGs) is the prospective payment system Medicare uses to reimburse hospitals for inpatient services. Each inpatient stay is assigned to a specific group based on clinical and resource similarities for its ICD-9-CM diagnosis and procedure codes. Only one DRG is assigned to each inpatient case, regardless of the number of diagnosis and procedure codes. With CC and with MCC refers to secondary diagnoses that are designated as complications/comorbidities (CC) or major complications/comorbidities (MCC). Each DRG has a relative weight which is then converted to a flat payment amount using standard operating and capital amounts.

For Medicare, with a few exceptions, the MS-DRG payment for the procedure is considered complete and payment for implants is included in the MS-DRG payment. However, private payers may have carve-outs for implants.

| DRG | DRG Title | Relative Weight | Medicare National Unadjusted Payment | ICD-9-CM Procedure Codes and Descriptions |
|-----|--|-----------------|--------------------------------------|---|
| 480 | Hip & Femur Procedures Except Major Joint with Mcc | 3.0052 | \$17,262 | 80.45 |
| 481 | Hip & Femur Procedures Except Major Joint with CC | 1.9776 | \$11,599 | |
| 482 | Hip & Femur Procedures Except Major Joint without CC/MCC | 1.6243 | \$9,527 | |
| 483 | Major Joint/Limb Reattachment Procedure Of Upper Extremities | 2.4205 | \$14,197 | 81.80 81.81 |
| 487 | Knee Procedures with Pdx Of Infection without CC/MCC | 1.5630 | \$9,167 | 81.44 81.46 |
| 488 | Knee Procedures without Pdx Of Infection with CC/MCC | 1.7225 | \$10,103 | |
| 489 | Knee Procedures without Pdx Of Infection without CC/MCC | 1.3186 | \$7,734 | |

| DRG | DRG Title | Relative Weight | Medicare National Unadjusted Payment | ICD-9-CM Procedure Codes and Descriptions |
|-----|---|-----------------|--------------------------------------|---|
| 492 | Lower Extrem & Humer Proc Except Hip, Foot, Femur with MCC | 3.1873 | \$18,695 | 81.49 |
| 493 | Lower Extrem & Humer Proc Except Hip, Foot, Femur with CC | 2.0354 | \$11,938 | |
| 494 | Lower Extrem & Humer Proc Except Hip, Foot, Femur without CC/MCC | 1.5397 | \$9,031 | |
| 495 | Local Excision & Removal Int Fix Devices Exc Hip & Femur with MCC | 3.0476 | \$17,875 | 77.69 |
| 496 | Local Excision & Removal Int Fix Devices Exc Hip & Femur with CC | 1.7289 | \$10,140 | |
| 497 | Local Excision & Removal Int Fix Devices Exc Hip & Femur without CC/MCC | 1.2230 | \$7,173 | |
| 500 | Soft Tissue Procedures with MCC | 3.2420 | \$19,015 | 83.62 83.75 83.81 83.85 83.86 83.88 83.89 |
| 501 | Soft Tissue Procedures with CC | 1.6474 | \$9,662 | |
| 502 | Soft Tissue Procedures without CC/MCC | 1.1597 | \$6,802 | |
| 503 | Foot Procedures with MCC | 2.3338 | \$13,688 | |
| 504 | Foot Procedures with CC | 1.5691 | \$9,203 | 77.38 81.14 |
| 505 | Foot Procedures without CC/MCC | 1.2474 | \$7,316 | |
| 506 | Major Thumb Or Joint Procedures | 1.2881 | \$7,555 | 81.72 |
| 507 | Major Shoulder Or Elbow Joint Procedures with CC/MCC | 1.9154 | \$11,234 | 81.23 |
| 508 | Major Shoulder Or Elbow Joint Procedures without CC/MCC | 1.5198 | \$8,914 | |
| 510 | Shoulder, Elbow Or Forearm Proc, Exc Major Joint Proc with MCC | 2.2857 | \$13,406 | 83.63 |
| 511 | Shoulder, Elbow Or Forearm Proc, Exc Major Joint Proc with CC | 1.6509 | \$9,683 | |
| 512 | Shoulder, Elbow Or Forearm Proc, Exc Major Joint Proc without CC/MCC | 1.2963 | \$7,603 | |
| 513 | Hand Or Wrist Proc, Except Major Thumb Or Joint Proc with CC/MCC | 1.4462 | \$8,482 | 82.55 82.71 |
| 514 | Hand Or Wrist Proc, Except Major Thumb Or Joint Proc without CC/MCC | 0.8996 | \$5,276 | |
| 515 | Other Musculoskelet Sys & Conn Tiss O.r. Proc with MCC | 3.2235 | \$18,907 | 81.97 |
| 516 | Other Musculoskelet Sys & Conn Tiss O.r. Proc with CC | 2.0434 | \$11,930 | |
| 517 | Other Musculoskelet Sys & Conn Tiss O.r. Proc without CC/MCC | 1.7251 | \$10,118 | |

Reference: Medicare Program: Hospital Inpatient Prospective Payment Systems for Acute Care Hospitals Table 5— List of Medicare Severity Diagnosis Related Groups (MS-DRGs) Relative Weighting Factors—FY 2015 Final Rule

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