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Durable medical equipment and supplies that can be billed by a:

- Physician
- Podiatrist
- Nurse Practitioner
- Nurse Practitioner Primary Care Provider
- Physician Assistant
- Physician Assistant Primary Care Provider
- Urgent Care Center

Current as of September 1, 2023

The codes listed in this document are current as of September 1, 2023. Be sure to bill only codes within the scope of your practice specialty. In addition, please use modifier NU when billing these codes, except where noted. As always, be sure to check member benefits and eligibility before rendering services. Fees for the codes below may be different for members enrolled in the Indemnity and Medicare Advantage products.

HCPCS code:	Description of item:	Fee:
A4561	Pessary, rubber, any type	\$17.71
A4562	Pessary, non-rubber, any type	\$44.10
A4565	Slings	\$6.83
A4570	Splint	\$14.02
A4627	Spacer bag/reservoir	\$14.59
A5120	Skin barrier, wipes or swabs, each	\$0.22
A5500	For diabetics only, fitting (including follow-up) custom preparation and supply of off-the-shelf depth-inlay shoe manufactured to accommodate multi-density insert(s), per shoe	\$56.44
A5501	For diabetics only, fitting (including follow-up) custom preparation and supply of shoe molded from cast(s) of patient's foot (custom molded shoe), per shoe	\$177.43
A5503	For diabetics only, modification (including fitting) of off-the-shelf depth-inlay shoe or custom molded shoe with roller or rigid rocker bottom, per shoe	\$29.28
A5504	For diabetics only, modification (including fitting) of off-the-shelf depth-inlay shoe or custom molded shoe with wedge(s), per shoe	\$29.28
A5505	For diabetics only, modification (including fitting) of off-the-shelf depth in-lay shoe or custom molded shoe with metatarsal bar, per shoe	\$29.28
A5506	For diabetics only, modification (including fitting) of off-the-shelf depth-inlay shoe or custom molded shoe with off set heel(s), per shoe	\$29.28
A5507	For diabetics only, not otherwise specified modification off-the-shelf depth-inlay shoe or custom molded shoe, per shoe.	\$29.28
A5508	For diabetics only, deluxe feature of off-the-shelf depth-inlay shoe or custom molded shoe, per shoe	\$38.63
A5510	For diabetics only, direct formed, compression molded to patient's foot without external heat source, multiple density insert(s), prefabricated, per shoe	\$31.52

A5512	For diabetics only, multiple density insert, direct formed, molded to foot after external heat source	\$24.13
A5513	For diabetics only, multiple density insert, custom molded from model of patient's foot	\$36.01
A5514	For diabetics only, multiple density insert, made by direct carving with cam technology from a rectified cad model created from a digitized scan of the patient, total contact with patient's foot, including arch, base layer minimum of 3/16 inch material of shore a 35 durometer (or higher), includes arch filler and other shaping material, custom fabricated, each	\$40.39
A6011	Foam dressing, wound cover, pad size more than 48 sq. in., without adhesive border, each dressing	\$2.02
A6021	Collagen dressing, pad size 16 sq. in. or less, each	\$18.66
A6212	Foam dressing, wound cover, pad size 16 sq. in. or less, with any size adhesive border, each dressing	\$8.62
A6224	Gauze, impregnated with other than water, normal saline, or hydrogel, pad size more than 48 sq. in., without adhesive border, each dressing	\$3.20
A6231	Hydrogel dressing less than or equal to 16 sq. in.	\$4.15
A6248	Hydrogel dressing, wound filler, gel, per fluid ounce	\$14.42
A6251	Specialty absorptive dressing, wound cover, pad size 16 sq. in. or less	\$1.77
A6253	Specialty absorptive dressing, wound cover, pad size more than 48 sq. in.	\$5.62
A6448	Light compression bandage, elastic, knitted/woven, width less than 3 in./yard	\$1.03
A6449	Light compression bandage, elastic, knitted/woven, width greater than or equal to 3 in., less than 5 in./yard	\$1.56
A6450	Light compression bandage, elastic, knitted/woven, width greater than or equal to 5 in.	\$1.56
A6451	Moderate compression bandage, elastic, knitted/woven, width greater than or equal to 3 in., less than 5 in./yard	\$1.56
A6452	High compression bandage, elastic, knitted/woven, width greater than or equal to 3 in., less than 5 in./yard	\$5.24
A6513	Compress burn mask, face/neck	\$82.28
A6531*	Gradient compression stocking, below knee, 30-40 mmhg each	\$37.36
A6532*	Gradient compression stocking, below knee, 40-50 mmhg each	\$52.64
A6534*	Gradient compression stocking, thigh-length, 30-40 mmhg each	\$49.07
A6535*	Gradient compression stocking, thigh-length, 40-50 mmhg each	\$41.07
A6537*	Gradient compression stocking, full-length/chap style, 30-40 mmhg each	\$67.52
A6538*	Gradient compression stocking, full-length/chap style, 40-50 mmhg each	\$42.45
A6540*	Gradient compression stocking, waist-length, 30-40 mmhg each	\$118.56

A6541*	Gradient compression stocking, waist-length, 40-50 mmhg each	\$85.50
A6549*	Gradient compression stocking, not otherwise specified	A.A.C. + 30%
E0100	Cane, includes canes of all materials, adjustable or fixed with tip	\$23.32
E0105	Cane, quad or three prong, includes canes of all materials, adjustable or fixed with tips	\$55.66
E0110	Crutches, forearm, includes crutches of various materials, adjustable or fixed, pair complete with tips and handgrips	\$89.16
E0111	Crutch, forearm, includes crutches of various materials, adjustable or fixed, each with tip and hand grips	\$61.19
E0112	Crutches, underarm, wood, adjustable or fixed, pair, with pads, tips and hand grips	\$36.15
E0113	Crutch, underarm, wood, adjustable or fixed, each, with pad, tip and handgrip	\$24.29
E0114	Crutches, underarm, aluminum, adjustable or fixed, pair with pads, tips, and hand grips	\$46.09
E0135	Walker, folding (pick up), adjustable or fixed height	\$42.90
E0143	Walker, folding, wheeled, adjustable or fixed height	\$62.37
E0935**	Continuous passive motion exercise device for use on knee only	\$20.85
L0120	Cervical, flexible, non-adjustable (foam collar)	\$19.31
L0130	Cervical, flexible, thermoplastic collar, molded to patient	\$167.26
L0140	Cervical, semi-rigid, adjustable (plastic collar)	\$65.78
L0160	Cervical, semi-rigid, wire frame occipital/mandibular support, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$147.76
L0172	Cervical, collar, semi-rigid thermoplastic foam, two-piece, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$89.84
L0174	Cervical, collar, semi-rigid, thermoplastic foam, two piece with thoracic extension, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$274.61
L0450	TLSO, flexible, provides trunk support, upper thoracic region, produces intracavitary pressure to reduce load on the intervertebral disks with rigid stays or panel(s), includes shoulder straps and closures, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$163.97
L0455	TLSO, flexible, provides trunk support, extends from sacrococcygeal junction to above t-9 vertebra, restricts gross trunk motion in the sagittal plane, produces intracavitary pressure to reduce load on the intervertebral disks with rigid stays or panel(s), includes shoulder straps and closures, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$267.78
L0457	TLSO, flexible, provides trunk support, thoracic region, rigid posterior panel and soft anterior apron, extends from the sacrococcygeal junction and terminates just inferior to the scapular spine, restricts gross trunk motion in the sagittal plane, produces intracavitary pressure to reduce load on the intervertebral disks, includes straps and closures, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$734.61

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L0467	TLSO, sagittal control, rigid posterior frame and flexible soft anterior apron with straps, closures and padding, restricts gross trunk motion in sagittal plane, produces intracavitary pressure to reduce load on intervertebral disks, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$305.01
L0469	TLSO, sagittal-coronal control, rigid posterior frame and flexible soft anterior apron with straps, closures and padding, extends from sacrococcygeal junction over scapulae, lateral strength provided by pelvic, thoracic, and lateral frame pieces, restricts gross trunk motion	
	in sagittal and coronal planes, produces intracavitary pressure to reduce load on intervertebral disks, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$394.11
L0621	Sacroiliac orthosis, flexible, provides pelvic-sacral support, reduces motion about the sacroiliac joint, includes straps, closures, may include pendulous abdomen design, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$79.91
L0623****	Sacroiliac orthosis, provides pelvic-sacral support, with rigid or semi- rigid panels over the sacrum and abdomen, reduces motion about the sacroiliac joint, includes straps, closures, may include pendulous abdomen design, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	A.A.C. + 50%
L0625	Lumbar orthosis, flexible, provides lumbar support, posterior extends from I-1 to below I-5 vertebra, produces intracavitary pressure to reduce load on the intervertebral discs, includes straps, closures, may include pendulous abdomen design, shoulder straps, stays, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$42.52
L0628	Lumbar-sacral orthosis, flexible, provides lumbo-sacral support, posterior extends from sacrococcygeal junction to t-9 vertebra, produces intracavitary pressure to reduce load on the intervertebral discs, includes straps, closures, may include stays, shoulder straps, pendulous abdomen design, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$64.78
L0641	Lumbar orthosis, sagittal control, with rigid posterior panel(s), posterior extends from I-1 to below I-5 vertebra, produces intracavitary pressure to reduce load on the intervertebral discs, includes straps, closures, may include padding, stays, shoulder straps, pendulous abdomen design, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$57.57
L0642	Lumbar orthosis, sagittal control, with rigid anterior and posterior panels, posterior extends from I-1 to below I-5 vertebra, produces intracavitary pressure to reduce load on the intervertebral discs, includes straps, closures, may include padding, shoulder straps, pendulous abdomen design, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	¥
		\$228.66

L0643	Lumbar-sacral orthosis, sagittal control, with rigid posterior panel(s), posterior extends from sacrococcygeal junction to t-9 vertebra, produces intracavitary pressure to reduce load on the intervertebral discs, includes straps, closures, may include padding, stays, shoulder straps, pendulous abdomen design, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	
		\$119.62
L0648	Lumbar-sacral orthosis, sagittal control, with rigid anterior and posterior panels, posterior extends from sacrococcygeal junction to t-9 vertebra, produces intracavitary pressure to reduce load on the intervertebral discs, includes straps, closures, may include padding, shoulder straps, pendulous abdomen design, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	
		\$558.94
L0649	Lumbar-sacral orthosis, sagittal-coronal control, with rigid posterior frame/panel(s), posterior extends from sacrococcygeal junction to t-9 vertebra, lateral strength provided by rigid lateral frame/panels, produces intracavitary pressure to reduce load on intervertebral discs, includes straps, closures, may include padding, stays, shoulder straps, pendulous abdomen design, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	
		\$211.82
L0650	Lumbar-sacral orthosis, sagittal-coronal control, with rigid anterior and posterior frame/panel(s), posterior extends from sacrococcygeal junction to t-9 vertebra, lateral strength provided by rigid lateral frame/panel(s), produces intracavitary pressure to reduce load on intervertebral discs, includes straps, closures, may include padding, shoulder straps, pendulous abdomen design, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	
		\$876.40
L0651	Lumbar-sacral orthosis, sagittal-coronal control, rigid shell(s)/panel(s), posterior extends from sacrococcygeal junction to t-9 vertebra, anterior extends from symphysis pubis to xyphoid, produces intracavitary pressure to reduce load on the intervertebral discs, overall strength is provided by overlapping rigid material and stabilizing closures, includes straps, closures, may include soft interface, pendulous abdomen design, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$864.88
L0980	Peroneal straps, prefabricated, off-the-shelf, pair	\$16.48
L0982	Stocking supporter grips, prefabricated, off-the-shelf, set of four (4)	\$15.37
L0984	Protective body sock, prefabricated, off-the-shelf, each	\$51.37
L1812	Knee orthosis, elastic with joints, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$73.16
L1820	Knee orthosis, elastic with condylar pads and joints, with or without patellar	\$112.59
L1830	Knee orthosis, immobilizer, canvas longitudinal, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$64.71
L1833	Knee orthosis, adjustable knee joints (unicentric or polycentric), positional orthosis, rigid support, prefabricated, off-the shelf	\$359.49

L1836	Knee orthosis, rigid, without joint(s), includes soft interface material, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$103.03
L1848	Knee orthosis, double upright with adjustable joint, with inflatable air support chamber(s), prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$424.83
L1850	Knee orthosis, Swedish type, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$261.85
L1851	Knee orthosis (KO),single upright, thigh and calf, with adjustable flexion and extension joint (unicentric or polycentric), medial-lateral and rotation control, with or without varus/valgus adjustment, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$662.75
L1852	Knee orthosis (KO), double upright, thigh and calf, with adjustable flexion and extension joint (unicentric or polycentric), medial-lateral and rotation control, with or without varus/valgus adjustment, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$616.25
L1902	Ankle foot orthosis, ankle gauntlet, or similar, with or without joints, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$65.07
L1906	Ankle foot orthosis, multiligamentus ankle support, prefabricated, off the shelf	\$95.29
L1930	Ankle foot orthosis, plastic or other material, prefabricated, includes fitting	\$201.94
L1971	Ankle foot orthosis, plastic or other material with ankle joint, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	\$361.89
L2035	Motion ankle, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	\$145.11
L2114	Ankle foot orthosis, fracture orthosis, tibial fracture orthosis, semi-rigid	\$505.02
L2200	Addition to lower extremity, limited ankle motion, each joint	\$43.29
L2270	Addition to lower extremity, varus/valgus correction (T) strap, padded/lined	\$57.18
L2275	Addition to lower extremity, varus/valgus correction, plastic modification	\$119.90
L2280	Addition to lower extremity, molded inner boot	\$454.98
L2820	Addition to lower extremity orthosis, soft interface for molded plastic, below	\$105.02
L3000***	Foot insert, removable, molded to patient model, UCB type, Berkeley shell, each	\$298.61
L3001***	Foot insert, removable, molded to patient model, Spenco, each	\$116.43
L3002***	Foot insert, removable, molded to patient model, Plastazote or equal, each	\$153.52
L3003***	Foot insert, removable, molded to patient model, silicone gel, each	\$153.40
L3010***	Foot insert, removable, molded to patient model, longitudinal arch support, each	\$165.67
L3020***	Foot insert, removable, molded to patient model, longitudinal/metatarsal support, each	\$188.59
L3030***	Foot insert, removable, formed to patient foot, each	\$67.17
L3040***	Foot, arch support, removable, premolded, longitudinal, each	\$34.76
L3050***	Foot, arch support, removable, premolded, metatarsal, each	\$34.76

L3060***	Foot, arch support, removable, premolded, longitudinal/metatarsal, each	\$54.47
L3100***	Hallus-valgus night dynamic splint, prefabricated, off-the -shelf	\$31.94
L3170***	Foot, plastic, silicone or equal, heel stabilizer, prefabricated, off-the-shelf, each	\$37.59
L3260	Cast shoe (ambulatory surgical boot, each)	\$24.08
L3265	Post-op shoe (plastazote sandal, each)	\$26.07
L3650	Shoulder orthosis, figure of eight design abduction restrainer, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$53.21
L3660	Shoulder orthosis, figure of eight design abduction restrainer, canvas and webbing, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$99.20
L3670	Shoulder orthosis, acromio/clavicular (canvas and webbing type), prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$81.85
L3675	Shoulder orthosis, vest type abduction restrainer, canvas webbing type or equal, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$123.32
L3678****	Shoulder orthosis, shoulder joint design, without joints, may include soft interface, straps, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	A.A.C. + 40%
L3710	Elbow orthosis, elastic with metal joints, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$112.36
L3760	Elbow orthosis, with adjustable position locking joint(s), prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustments, any type	\$351.39
L3761	Elbow orthosis (eo), with adjustable position locking joint(s), prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$351.39
L3762	Elbow orthosis, rigid, without joints, includes soft interface material, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$75.55
L3809	Wrist hand finger orthosis, without joint(s), prefabricated, off-the-shelf, any type	\$168.10
L3908	Wrist hand orthosis, wrist extension control cock-up, non-molded, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$40.56
L3912	Hand finger orthosis (hfo), flexion glove with elastic finger control, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$68.65
L3916	Wrist hand orthosis, includes one or more nontorsion joint(s), elastic bands, turnbuckles, may include soft interface, straps, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	
L3918	Hand orthosis, metacarpal fracture orthosis, prefabricated, off-the-	\$357.32
L3924	Shelf Hand finger orthosis, without joints, may include soft interface, straps,	\$71.04
	prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$80.30
L3925	Finger orthosis, proximal interphalangeal (pip)/distal interphalangeal (dip), non torsion joint/spring, extension/flexion, may include soft interface material, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	627.77
L3927	Finger orthosis, proximal interphalangeal (pip)/distal interphalangeal (dip), without joint/spring, extension/flexion (e.g. static or ring type), may include soft interface material, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$37.77 \$24.55

L3930	Hand finger orthosis, includes one or more non torsion joint(s), turnbuckles, elastic bands/springs, may include soft interface material, straps, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$54.14
L3931	Hand finger orthosis, includes one or more non torsion joint(s) turnbuckles, elastic bands/springs, may include soft interface material, straps, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	\$149.38
L3933	Finger orthosis, without joints, may include soft interface, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	\$149.38 \$170.90
L3935	Finger orthosis, non torsion joints, may include soft interface, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	\$176.95
L3980	Upper extremity fracture orthosis, humeral, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	\$298.34
L3982	Upper extremity fracture orthosis, radius/ulnar, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	\$314.45
L3984	Upper extremity fracture orthosis, wrist, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	\$312.81
L4350	Ankle control orthosis, stirrup style, rigid, includes any type interface (e.g., pneumatic, gel), prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$73.48
L4361	Walking boot, pneumatic and/or vacuum, with or without joints, with or without interface material, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$178.00
L4370	Pneumatic full leg splint, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$178.12
L4387	Walking boot, non-pneumatic, with or without joints, with or without interface material, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$117.10
L4397	Static or dynamic ankle foot orthosis, including soft interface material, adjustable for fit, for positioning, may be used for minimal ambulation, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	
L4398	Foot drop splint, recumbent positioning device, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	\$129.49 \$62.32
L5000	Partial foot, shoe insert with longitudinal arch, toe filler	\$494.91
L8509	Tracheo-esophageal voice prosthesis, inserted by a licensed health care provider, any type	\$104.16
Q4001 through Q4049	Cast supplies	\$2.50 through \$219.89

^{*}There is a quantity limit for this code.

^{**}Use modifier RR when billing HCPCS code E0935

^{***}Since the majority of our members do not have benefits for foot orthotics, we urge you to check the member's benefits and eligibility.

^{****}See Durable Medical Equipment payment policy for instructions on how to calculate A.A.C. +% mark-up

History of updates to codes

September 1, 2023

- Removed A4580 and A4590- Q codes should be used to bill for cast supplies and splints
- Removed L3460- code is no longer a covered service

January 1, 2019

Added A5514

September 1, 2018

- Fee updates for A4627, L3060, L3170, L3260, L3265, L3460, L3675, L3930, L3933 and L3935
- Added L3931

January 1, 2018

Added L3761

September 1, 2017

Added E0135

January 1, 2017

Deleted K0901 and K0902 and added replacement codes L1851 and L1852

January 1, 2016

Updated narrative for L1902

September 1, 2015

- Fee updates for all products except Indemnity for these codes:
 - A4627, A6450, A6451, L0455, L0457, L0467, L0469. L0641, L0642, L0643, L0648
 - L0649, L0650, L0651, L1812, L1848, L3809, L3908, L3916, L3918, L3924, L3930
 - L4361, L4387, and L4397

January 1, 2015

Add K0901 and K0902

October 1, 2014

- Update to add/remove codes to reflect 2014 HCPCS changes:
 - Add L0160, L0172. L0174, L0450, L0455, L0457, L0467, L0469, L0621, L0623, L0641, L0642, L0643, L0648, L0649, L0650, L0651, L0980, L0982, L0984, L1812, L1833, L1836, L1848, L1850, L3675, L3678, L3710, L3762, L3809, L3912, L3916, L3918, L3924, L3930, L4361, L4387, L4397, L4398
 - Removed L0456, L0626, L0627, L0637, L1810, L1832, L1843, L1845, L1940, L1960, L1970, L3740, L3807, L3923, L4360, L4386, and L4396

January 1, 2014

- Update narratives for these codes to reflect 2014 HCPCS code changes:
 - L0456, L0625, L0626, L0627, L0628, L0637, L1810, L1820, L1830, L1832, L1843, L1845, L1902, L1906, L3100, L3170, L3650, L3660, L3670, L3807, L3908, L3923, L3925 L3927, L4350, L4360, L4386, L4396

September 1, 2013

· Fee updates

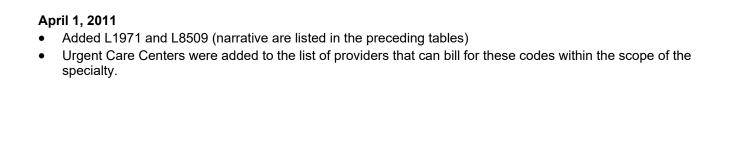
July 1, 2013

- Deleted A6530, A6533, A6536, A6539
- Added quantity limits to A6531, A6532, A6534, A6535, A6537, A6538, A6540, A6541, A6549

January 1, 2010

- Added A6549, L0637, L3807, and L5000 (narratives are listed in the preceding tables)
- Deleted A6542, A6543, L0210, L1800, L1815, L1825, and L3700
- New fee added for L3908 and L3927 (narratives are listed in the preceding tables)

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