

Bulletin – Changes to CCSD Schedule of Procedures

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The CCSD has reviewed requests to the CCSD Schedule for the month of April and has agreed on the following changes to the CCSD Schedule:

New Code(s)

Request Number	Approved Code	Approved Narrative
3741	Q2231	Oophorectomy and salpingectomy, +/- biopsy eg. omentum, peritoneum, lymph node (as sole procedure) - unilateral
3745	H6840	Flexible pouchoscopy +/- biopsy and/or removal of polyp(s)
3751	S5320	Intralesional immunotherapy injections for treating unresectable, metastatic melanoma +/- image guidance
3757	T3920	Multivisceral resection of retroperitoneal sarcoma

Narrative Change Code(s)

Request Number	Approved Code	Previous Narrative	Approved Narrative
3782	Q2230	Oophorectomy and salpingectomy, +/- biopsy eg. omentum, peritoneum, lymph node (as sole procedure) (including bilateral)	Oophorectomy and salpingectomy, +/- biopsy eg. omentum, peritoneum, lymph node (as sole procedure) - bilateral
3747	25120	Dorsal root ganglion block (local anaesthetic or neurolytic)	Dorsal root ganglion block (local anaesthetic or neurolytic) (as sole procedure)
3749	V3300	Minimally invasive intradiscal surgery (including laser/instrumentation) (lumbar region)	Percutaneous intradiscal laser ablation (lumbar region)

Inactivation(s)

Request Number	Approved Code	Approved Narrative
3693	S5210	Injection into subcutaneous tissue/painful trigger point under local anaesthetic
3694	S5240	Two or more injections into subcutaneous tissue/painful trigger point under local anaesthetic

Unacceptable combination(s)

Code	Narrative	Code	Narrative	Add/ Remove
M4780	Invasive urodynamic assessment including cystoscopy and pressure/flow measurements	M4510	Diagnostic endoscopic examination of bladder (flexible cystoscopy) including any biopsy	Add

Declined or withdrawn request(s)

Request Number	Type	Code	Proposed Narrative	Reason for declining
3740	Narrative change	T4130	Relief of intestinal obstruction for adhesions, acute or chronic	The suggested new narrative is too restrictive as there will be other instances for use of this code not just intestinal obstruction.

Please note that the inclusion of procedure codes within the CCSD Schedule does not indicate the automatic agreement of individual insurers to provide benefit for this procedure. Please contact each insurer directly to ascertain whether benefit is provided.