

# LCD and Policy Revisions Summary-February 20, 2020

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February 25, 2020

## **Ankle-Foot/Knee-Ankle-Foot Orthosis**

### **LCD**

**Revision Effective Date: 01/01/2020**

COVERAGE INDICATIONS, LIMITATIONS, AND/OR MEDICAL  
NECESSITY:

Revised: Format of HCPCS code references, from code 'spans' to  
individually-listed HCPCS

Revised: Order information as a result of Final Rule 1713

HCPCS CODES:

Revised: HCPCS L2006 code description per quarterly HCPCS code update

### **CODING INFORMATION:**

Removed: Field titled "Bill Type"

Removed: Field titled "Revenue Codes"

Removed: Field titled "ICD-10 Codes that Support Medical Necessity"

Removed: Field titled "ICD-10 Codes that DO NOT Support Medical  
Necessity"

Removed: Field titled "Additional ICD-10 Information"

DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENTS:

Revised: "physician's" to "treating practitioner's"

GENERAL DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENTS:

Revised: Prescriptions (orders) to SWO

## **PA**

**Revision Effective Date: 01/01/2020**

REQUIREMENTS FOR SPECIFIC DMEPOS ITEMS PURSUANT TO FINAL  
RULE 1713 (84 Fed. Reg Vol 217):

Added: Section and related information based on Final Rule 1713

POLICY SPECIFIC DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENTS:

Revised: "ordering physician's" to "treating practitioner's"

Revised: "physician's" to "practitioner's"

Revised: Format of HCPCS code references, from code 'spans' to  
individually-listed HCPCS

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### **CODING GUIDELINES:**

Revised: Format of HCPCS code references, from code 'spans' to individually-listed HCPCS

Added: Coding Guidelines for L1900, L1902, L1904, L1907, L1910, L1920, L1930, L1932, L1940, L1945, L1950, L1951, L1970, L1971, L1980, and L1990

Revised: L1906 Coding Guideline

Revised: L2006 Coding Guideline per quarterly HCPCS code update

Removed: HCPCS K0903

Added: HCPCS A5514, crosswalk from K0903

Removed: Reference of effective DOS for K0903

Added: Reference of effective DOS for A5514

### **Orthopedic Footwear**

#### **LCD**

##### **Revision Effective Date: 01/01/2020**

COVERAGE INDICATIONS, LIMITATIONS AND/OR MEDICAL NECESSITY:

Revised: Statement to refer to ICD-10 code list in the LCD-related Policy Article

GENERAL:

Revised: Order information as a result of Final Rule 1713

##### **CODING INFORMATION:**

Removed: Field titled "Bill Type"

Removed: Field titled "Revenue Codes"

Removed: Field titled "ICD-10 Codes that Support Medical Necessity"

Removed: Field titled "ICD-10 Codes that DO NOT Support Medical Necessity"

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##### **DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENTS:**

Revised: "physician's" to "treating practitioner's"

GENERAL DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENTS:

Revised: "Prescriptions (orders)" to "SWO"

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### PA

#### **Revision Effective Date: 01/01/2020**

#### NON-MEDICAL NECESSITY COVERAGE AND PAYMENT RULES:

Revised: Format of HCPCS code references, from code spans to individually-listed HCPCS

Removed: Therapeutic Shoes for Persons with Diabetes codes, leaving reference to the policy

REQUIREMENTS FOR SPECIFIC DMEPOS ITEMS PURSUANT TO FINAL RULE 1713 (84 Fed. Reg Vol 217):

Added: Section and related information based on Final Rule 1713

#### **CODING GUIDELINES:**

Revised: Format of HCPCS code references, from code spans to individually-listed HCPCS

Removed: Therapeutic Shoes for Persons with Diabetes codes, leaving reference to the policy

#### ICD-10 CODES THAT SUPPORT MEDICAL NECESSITY:

Revised: Section header "ICD-10 Codes that are Covered" updated to "ICD-10 Codes that Support Medical Necessity"

#### ICD-10 CODES THAT DO NOT SUPPORT MEDICAL NECESSITY:

Revised: Section header "ICD-10 Codes that are Not Covered" updated to "ICD-10 Codes that DO NOT Support Medical Necessity"