

March 21, 2013

GF HEALTH PRODUCTS INC 2935 NORTHEAST PARKWAY ATLANTA GA 30360

Re: Assigned HCPCS Codes for DME Billing

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GF HEALTH PRODUCTS INC	3H010140	K0001
GF HEALTH PRODUCTS INC	3H010150	K0001+K0195 OR E0990
GF HEALTH PRODUCTS INC	3H010200	K0001
GF HEALTH PRODUCTS INC	3H010210	K0001+K0195 OR E0990
GF HEALTH PRODUCTS INC	3H010220	K0001
GF HEALTH PRODUCTS INC	3H010230	K0001+K0195 OR E0990
GF HEALTH PRODUCTS INC	3H010240	K0001
GF HEALTH PRODUCTS INC	3H010250	K0001+K0195 OR E0990
GF HEALTH PRODUCTS INC	3H010320	K0001
GF HEALTH PRODUCTS INC	3H010330	K0001+K0195 OR E0990
GF HEALTH PRODUCTS INC	3H010340	K0001
GF HEALTH PRODUCTS INC	3H010350	K0001+K0195 OR E0990
GF HEALTH PRODUCTS INC	3H011100	K0001
GF HEALTH PRODUCTS INC	3H011110	K0001+K0195 OR E0990
GF HEALTH PRODUCTS INC	3H011120	K0001
GF HEALTH PRODUCTS INC	3H011130	K0001+K0195 OR E0990
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Dear Cynthia Counts:

The Pricing, Data Analysis and Coding (PDAC) Contractor provides Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) assistance to manufacturers to ensure proper coding of Durable Medical Equipment, Prosthetics, Orthotics, and Supplies (DMEPOS). The PDAC has reviewed the above listed product(s). The Medicare HCPCS code(s) below should be used when billing the four Durable Medical Equipment Medicare Administrative Contractors (DME MACs):

K0001 - Standard Wheelchair

K0195 - Elevating Leg Rests, Pair (For Use With Capped Rental Wheelchair Base)

E0990 - Wheelchair Accessory, Elevating Leg Rest, Complete Assembly, Each



The PDAC provides coding decisions based on the coding guidelines established by the Local Coverage Determination (LCD) and associated policy article developed by the DME MACs. All products submitted to PDAC for a coding verification review are carefully examined by coders and professionals following a formal, standardized process.

This decision applies to the application we received on January 23, 2013. If information submitted in that application has changed or were to change, it could impact our decision. Therefore, a new application would need to be submitted for HCPCS coding verification review. This coding decision will be available within ten (10) working days on the Durable Medical Equipment Coding System (DMECS), which is located on the PDAC web site, <u>www.dmepdac.com</u>. Please take the time to verify that this coding decision is correctly reflected in DMECS.

It is the responsibility of manufacturers and distributors to notify the PDAC immediately of any changes involving their products, related to their current listing on the Product Classification List (PCL) on DMECS. Further information for requesting updates to the PCL can be found on the PDAC website at <u>https://www.dmepdac.com/review/notifying.html</u>.

An assignment of the HCPCS code(s) to product(s) is not an approval or endorsement of the product(s) by Medicare or Noridian Administrative Services, LLC; nor does it imply or guarantee claim reimbursement or coverage. If you have questions about claim coverage or reimbursement, please contact the DME MAC for your jurisdiction.

If you disagree with this decision, you may request a reconsideration within 45 days of the date of this letter. To request a reconsideration, complete the Reconsideration Request form located on the PDAC web site at <u>https://www.dmepdac.com/review/requesting.html</u>. If your request for a reconsideration is made after the 45-day time frame, we will treat it as a coding verification review request and require a new application and documentation to support the request.

If you have questions about policy, claim coverage or reimbursement, please contact the DME MAC for your jurisdiction.

For other questions, contact the PDAC Contact Center at the address listed above or by telephone at (877) 735-1326. The Contact Center is open Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. CT.

Sincerely,

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