

## Clinical Policy: Orthotics & Prosthetics

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**Note:** When state Medicaid coverage provisions conflict with the coverage provisions in this clinical policy, state Medicaid coverage provisions take precedence. Please refer to the state Medicaid manual for any coverage provisions pertaining to this clinical policy.

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### Description<sup>1</sup>

This policy describes the medical necessity criteria for Orthotics & Prosthetics.

### Policy/Criteria<sup>1</sup>

**I.** WellCare of North Carolina® shall cover orthotics and prosthetics when **ALL** the following requirements are met:

- A. They are ordered by a Physician, Physician Assistant, or Nurse Practitioner;
- B. They are medically necessary to maintain or improve a beneficiary's medical, physical or functional level, and appropriate for use in any non-institutional setting in which normal life activities take place;
- C. A documented face-to-face encounter with the beneficiary and the ordering Physician, Physician Assistant, or Nurse Practitioner related to the primary reason the beneficiary requires orthotics and prosthetics has occurred no more than **six (6)** months prior to the initiation of orthotics and prosthetics; **and**
- D. The beneficiary's need for orthotics and prosthetics is reviewed by the ordering Physician, Physician Assistant, or Nurse Practitioner at least annually.

**II.** WellCare of North Carolina® shall cover orthotic and prosthetic services when they are medically necessary and the beneficiary meets the specific coverage requirements for the device.

- A. *Orthotic devices* are medically necessary when required to correct or prevent skeletal deformities, to support or align movable body parts, or to preserve or improve physical function.
- B. *Prosthetic devices* are medically necessary as a replacement for all or part of the function of a permanently inoperative, absent, or malfunctioning body part. The beneficiary shall require the prosthesis for mobility, daily care, or rehabilitation purposes.
- C. **In addition**, orthotic and prosthetic devices must be:
  1. A reasonable and medically necessary part of the beneficiary's treatment plan;
  2. Consistent with the beneficiary's diagnosis and medical condition, particularly the functional limitations and symptoms exhibited by the beneficiary; **and**
  3. Of high quality, with replacement parts available and obtainable.
- D. Medical doctors (MDs), doctors of osteopathic medicine (DOs), doctors of podiatric medicine (DPMs), physician assistants (PAs) and nurse practitioners (NPs) may provide certain orthotic and prosthetic devices when the devices are part of the beneficiary's current care and treatment. . These professionals may provide devices as indicated in the Required Provider Certification column, below.

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- E. To be reimbursed for an orthotic or prosthetic device, the provider shall be enrolled as an appropriate Board-certified provider for the specific device. Refer to tables, which includes the **Required Professional Certification for Orthotic and Prosthetic Devices**.

#### III. WellCare of North Carolina® shall not cover the following devices and supplies:

- A. Devices for the beneficiary's comfort or convenience or for the convenience of the beneficiary's caregiver(s);
- B. Devices to have on hand for backup or duplicates to have available at various locations;
- C. Devices and supplies for residents of nursing facilities;
- D. Devices or supplies covered by another agency;
- E. Equipment or supplies for beneficiaries receiving hospice care.

#### IV. Specific Device/Service Criteria

- A. WellCare of North Carolina® shall cover **Diabetic Shoes, Fitting, and Modifications** if the following criteria are met:

1. The beneficiary has a diagnosis of diabetes mellitus; **and**
2. The beneficiary has **one or more** of the following conditions:
  - a. previous amputation of the other foot, or part of either foot; **or**
  - b. history of previous foot ulceration of either foot; **or**
  - c. history of pre-ulcerative calluses of either foot; **or**
  - d. peripheral neuropathy with evidence of callus formation of either foot; **or**
  - e. foot deformity of either foot; **or**
  - f. poor circulation in either foot; **and**
3. The physician who is managing the beneficiary's diabetes has certified that indications (1) and (2) above are met and that the physician is treating the beneficiary under a comprehensive plan of care for diabetes and that the beneficiary needs diabetic shoes.
4. For adult beneficiaries meeting these criteria, coverage is limited to **one** of the following within one year:
  - a. one pair of custom molded shoes (which includes inserts provided with these shoes) and 2 additional pairs of inserts; **or**
  - b. one pair of depth shoes and 3 pairs of inserts (not including the non-customized removable inserts provided with such shoes).

**Note:** There is no separate payment for the fitting of, certification of need for, or prescription for the shoes, inserts, or modifications.

- B. WellCare of North Carolina® shall cover **Spinal Orthoses** when it is ordered for **one** of the following indications:

1. To reduce pain by restricting mobility of the trunk;
2. To facilitate healing following an injury to the spine or related soft tissues;
3. To facilitate healing following a surgical procedure on the spine or related soft tissue; **or**
4. To otherwise support weak spinal muscles or a deformed spine.

- C. WellCare of North Carolina® shall cover **Helmets** when cranial protection is required due to a documented medical condition that makes the beneficiary susceptible to injury during activities of daily living. Helmets are not provided for use during sports-related activities.

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1. Dynamic orthotic cranioplasty, which may also be referred to as cranial molding, molding helmet, cranial banding, or cranial orthosis, is considered medically necessary only as an adjunct to operative therapy following surgery for craniosynostosis. Unless indicated through a Neurosurgical consult or Craniofacial Surgery consult in severe cases, molding helmet therapy, including dynamic orthotic cranioplasty, is not a covered benefit for the non-operative management of positional or non-synostotic plagiocephaly.
- D. WellCare of North Carolina® shall cover **Cervical Orthoses** when it is ordered for **one** of the following indications:
1. To reduce pain by restricting mobility of the neck;
  2. To facilitate healing following an injury to the cervical spine or related soft tissues;
  3. To facilitate healing following a surgical procedure on the cervical spine or related soft tissue;
  4. To otherwise support weak cervical muscles or a deformed cervical spine.
- E. WellCare of North Carolina® shall cover **Hip Orthoses** when it is ordered for **one** of the following indications:
1. To reduce pain by restricting mobility of the hip;
  2. To facilitate healing following an injury to the hip or related soft tissues;
  3. To facilitate healing following a surgical procedure on the hip or related soft tissue;
  4. To otherwise support weak hip muscles or a hip deformity.
- F. WellCare of North Carolina® shall cover **Knee Orthoses** when it is ordered for **one** of the following indications:
1. To reduce pain by restricting mobility of the knee;
  2. To facilitate healing following an injury to the knee or related soft tissues;
  3. To facilitate healing following a surgical procedure on the knee or related soft tissue;
  4. To otherwise support weak knee muscles or a knee deformity.

**Note:** Knee orthoses are not provided solely for use during sports-related activities.

- G. WellCare of North Carolina® shall cover **Ankle–Foot (AFO)/Knee–Ankle–Foot Orthoses (KAFO)** per the following:
1. AFO Not Used During Ambulation - Covered if either all of Criteria a through d or **Criterion e** is met:
    - a. plantar flexion contracture of the ankle with dorsiflexion on passive range of motion testing of at least 10 degrees (i.e., a non-fixed contracture); **and**
    - b. reasonable expectation of the ability to correct the contracture; **and**
    - c. contracture is interfering or expected to interfere significantly with the beneficiary's functional abilities; **and**
    - d. used as a component of a therapy program which includes active stretching of the involved muscles and/or tendons; **OR**
    - e. the beneficiary has a diagnosis of plantar fasciitis.
  2. AFOs and KAFOs Used During Ambulation
    - a. AFOs are covered for ambulatory beneficiaries with weakness or deformity of the foot and ankle who require stabilization for medical reasons and have the potential to benefit functionally.
    - b. KAFOs are covered for ambulatory beneficiaries for whom an ankle–foot orthosis is covered and for whom additional knee stability is required.

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3. AFOs and KAFOs that are molded-to-patient-model, or custom-fabricated, are covered for ambulatory beneficiaries when the basic coverage criteria listed above **and one of the following** criteria are met:
  - a. the beneficiary could not be fit with a prefabricated AFO;
  - b. the condition necessitating the orthosis is expected to be permanent or of longstanding duration (more than six months);
  - c. there is a need to control the knee, ankle or foot in more than one plane;
  - d. the beneficiary has a documented neurological, circulatory, or orthopedic status that requires custom fabricating over a model to prevent tissue injury; **or**
  - e. the beneficiary has a healing fracture that lacks normal anatomical integrity or anthropometric proportions.

L-coded additions to AFOs and KAFOs will be denied as not medically necessary if either the base orthosis is not medically necessary, or the specific addition is not medically necessary.

- H. WellCare of North Carolina® shall cover **Orthopedic Shoes and Footwear** for adults if it is an integral part of a covered leg brace described by codes are covered in these situations. Other shoes, such as high top, depth inlay or custom for non-diabetics, etc., are also covered if they are an integral part of a covered brace and if they are medically necessary for the proper functioning of the brace. Heel replacements, sole replacements, and shoe transfers involving shoes on a covered brace are also covered. Inserts and other shoe modifications are covered if they are on a shoe that is an integral part of a covered brace and if they are medically necessary for the proper functioning of the brace.
  1. A shoe and related modifications, inserts, and heel/sole replacements, are covered only when the shoe is an integral part of a brace. A matching shoe which is not attached to a brace is non-covered.
  2. A prosthetic shoe is covered if it is an integral part of a prosthesis for a beneficiary with a partial foot amputation. Claims for prosthetic shoes for other diagnosis codes will be denied as not medically necessary.
  3. Shoes are denied as non-covered when they are put on over a partial foot prosthesis or other lower extremity prosthesis which is attached to the residual limb by other mechanisms.
  4. Orthopedic shoes are covered for beneficiaries ages birth through 20 years when deemed medically necessary by the prescribing physician regardless of the provision of a brace.
- I. WellCare of North Carolina® shall cover **Upper Limb Orthoses** when it is ordered for **one** of the following indications:
  1. To reduce pain by restricting mobility of the joint(s);
  2. To facilitate healing following an injury to the joint(s) or related soft tissues;
  3. To facilitate healing following a surgical procedure on the joint(s) or related soft tissue;
  4. To otherwise support weak skeletal muscles and/or musculo-skeletal deformities.
- J. WellCare of North Carolina® shall cover **Lower Limb Prostheses** when the beneficiary meets **all** of the following:
  1. Reaches or maintains a defined functional state within a reasonable period of time;
  2. Is motivated to ambulate;

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3. Is able to perform unipedal sit-to-stand with upper extremity support; **and**
4. Is able to bear weight on the residual extremity with upper extremity support.

**NOTE:** For additional criteria regarding **additions to the prosthesis or add on components**, please see *NC Medicaid Policy 5B Orthotics & Prosthetics* located at <https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/medical-equipment-clinical-coverage-policies>.

- K. WellCare of North Carolina® shall cover **Upper Limb Prostheses** when it replaces all or part of the function of a permanently inoperative, absent, or malfunctioning part of the upper limb. The beneficiary must require the prosthesis for activities of daily living or rehabilitation purposes. The treating Physician, Physician Assistant, or Nurse Practitioner must document that the beneficiary is motivated to utilize the device prescribed. The Physician, Physician Assistant, or Nurse Practitioner must sign a written rehabilitation plan incorporating goals the prescriber expects the beneficiary to achieve.
1. Accessories (such as, stump stockings for the residual limb, harness, including replacements) are also covered when these appliances aid in or are essential to the effective use of the artificial limb.
- L. WellCare of North Carolina® shall cover **Elastic Supports** when they are ordered for **one** of the following indications:
1. Severe or incapacitating vascular problems, such as:
    - a. acute thrombophlebitis;
    - b. massive venous stasis; **or**
    - c. pulmonary embolism
  2. Venous insufficiency
  3. Varicose veins
  4. Edema of lower extremities
  5. Edema of pregnancy
  6. Lymphedema
- M. WellCare of North Carolina® shall cover **Trusses** when a hernia is reducible with the application of a truss.
- N. WellCare of North Carolina® shall cover **Orthotic and Prosthetic-Related Supplies** when the device with which it is used is covered and they are necessary for the function of the orthotic or prosthetic device.
- O. WellCare of North Carolina® shall cover **External Breast Prostheses** for a beneficiary who has had a mastectomy. An external breast prosthesis garment, with mastectomy form, is covered for use in the postoperative period prior to a permanent breast prosthesis or as an alternative to a mastectomy bra and external breast prosthesis.
- P. WellCare of North Carolina® shall cover **Ocular Prostheses** for a beneficiary with absence or shrinkage of an eye due to birth defect, trauma, or surgical removal.
1. A scleral cover shell is covered if it is ordered by the Physician, Physician Assistant or Nurse Practitioner as an artificial support to a shrunken and sightless eye or as a barrier in the treatment of severe dry eye.
- Q. WellCare of North Carolina® shall cover a **Cast Boot, Post-Operative Sandal or Shoe, or Healing Shoe** when it is medically necessary for **one** of the following indications:
1. To protect a cast from damage during weight-bearing activities following injury or surgery;
  2. To provide appropriate support and/or weight-bearing surface to a foot following surgery;

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3. To promote good wound care and healing via appropriate weight distribution and foot protection; **or**
4. When the beneficiary is currently receiving treatment for lymphedema and the foot cannot be fitted into conventional footwear.

#### Background<sup>1</sup>

Covered orthotic and prosthetic devices become the property of the beneficiary.

#### Coding Implications

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The following board-certified provider(s) may be reimbursed for orthotic and prosthetic service:

- **BCO** - National Examining Board of Ocularists-Board Certified Ocularists
- **CCA** - Board for Certification in Clinical Anaplastology-Certification in Clinical Anaplastology
- **CFts** - American Board for Certification in Orthotics, Prosthetics and Pedorthics-Certified Fitter-therapeutic shoes
- **CMF** - Board of Certification/Accreditation-Certified Mastectomy Fitter
- **CO** - American Board for Certification in Orthotics, Prosthetics and Pedorthics-Certified Orthotist
- **BOCO** - Board of Certification/Accreditation-Certified Orthotist
- **COF** - Board of Certification/Accreditation-Certified Orthotic Fitter
- **CP** - American Board for Certification in Orthotics, Prosthetics and Pedorthics-Certified Prosthetist
- **BOCP** - Board of Certification/Accreditation -Certified Prosthetist
- **C.Ped.** - American Board for Certification in Orthotics, Prosthetics and Pedorthics-Certified Pedorthist
- **BOCPD** - Board of Certification/Accreditation-Certified Pedorthist
- **CPO** - American Board for Certification in Orthotics, Prosthetics and Pedorthics-Certified Prosthetist-Orthotist
- **DO** - Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine
- **MD** - Medical Doctor
- **DPM** - Doctor of Podiatric Medicine
- **NP** - Nurse Practitioner
- **PA** - Physician Assistant-Certified or PA-C
- **CFm** - American Board for Certification in Orthotics, Prosthetics and Pedorthics-Certified Fitter-mastectomy

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- **CFo** - American Board for Certification in Orthotics, Prosthetics and Pedorthics-Certified Fitter-orthotics

<b>Diabetic Shoes, Fitting, and Modifications</b>			
<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Lifetime Expectancies and Quantity Limitations</b>	<b>Required Provider Certification</b>
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	2 per 6 months: ages 0–20; 2 per 1 year ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, CFts, DPM
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	2 per 6 months: ages 0–20; 2 per 1 year ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
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	2 per 6 months: ages 0–20; 2 per 1 year ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
A5504	For diabetics only, modification (including fitting) of off the-shelf depth-inlay shoe or custom molded shoe with wedge(s), per shoe	2 per 6 months: ages 0–20; 2 per 1 year ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
A5505	For diabetics only, modification (including fitting) of off the-shelf depth-inlay shoe or custom molded shoe with metatarsal bar, per shoe	2 per 6 months: ages 0–20; 2 per 1 year ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM

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A5506	For diabetics only, modification (including fitting) of off the-shelf depth-inlay shoe or custom molded shoe with offset heel(s), per shoe	2 per 6 months: ages 0–20; 2 per 1 year ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
A5507	For diabetics only, not otherwise specified modification (including fitting) of off-the-shelf depth-inlay shoe or custom molded shoe, per shoe	2 per 6 months: ages 0–20; 2 per 1 year ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
A5512	For diabetics only, multiple density insert, direct formed, molded to foot after external heat source of 230 degrees Fahrenheit or higher, total contact with patient’s foot, including arch, base layer minimum of 1/4 inch material of Shore A 35 durometer or 3/16 inch material of Shore A 40 durometer (or higher), prefabricated, each	3 per foot, per year	CO, CP, BOCO, CPO, BOCP, C.Ped., MD, DO, CFts, PA, NP, BOCPD, DPM
A5513	For diabetics only, multiple density insert, custom molded from model of patient’s foot, 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	3 per foot, per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM

<b>Helmets</b>			
<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Lifetime Expectancies and Quantity Limitations</b>	<b>Required Provider Certification</b>
A8000	Helmet, protective, soft, prefabricated, includes all components and accessories	6 months: ages 0–20 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, CPO, BOCO, COF, CFo
A8001	Helmet, protective, hard, prefabricated, includes all components and accessories	6 months: ages 0–20 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, COF, CPo



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A8002	Helmet, protective, soft, custom fabricated, includes all components and accessories	6 months: ages 0–20 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
A8003	Helmet, protective, hard, custom fabricated, includes all components and accessories	6 months: ages 0–20 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
A8004	Soft interface for helmet, replacement only	6 months	CO, BOCO, CPO, COF, CFo
S1040	Cranial remolding orthotic, pediatric, rigid, with soft interface material, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment(s)	Ages 0-12 months 1 per beneficiary Not Covered for NCHC beneficiaries	CO, BOCO, CPO

<b>Spinal Orthoses</b>			
<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Lifetime Expectancies and Quantity Limitations</b>	<b>Required Provider Certification</b>
L0112	Cranial cervical orthosis, congenital torticollis type, with or without soft interface material, adjustable range of motion joint, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L0113	Cranial cervical orthosis, without joint, with or without soft interface material, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0120	Cervical, flexible, nonadjustable, prefabricated, off-the-shelf (foam collar)	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP

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L0130	Cervical, flexible, thermoplastic collar, molded to patient	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L0140	Cervical, semi-rigid, adjustable (plastic collar)	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L0150	Cervical, semi-rigid, adjustable molded chin cup (plastic collar with mandibular/occipital piece)	6 months: ages 0-20; 2 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0160	Cervical, semi-rigid, wire frame occipital/mandibular support , prefabricated, off-the-shelf	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L0170	Cervical, collar, molded to patient model	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L0172	Cervical, collar, semi-rigid, thermoplastic foam, 2 piece, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DP, PA, NP
L0174	Cervical, collar, semi-rigid, thermoplastic foam, 2 piece with thoracic extension , prefabricated, off-the-shelf	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L0180	Cervical, multiple post collar, occipital/mandibular supports, adjustable	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L0190	Cervical, multiple post collar, occipital/mandibular supports, adjustable cervical bars (SOMI, Guilford, Taylor types)	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L0200	Cervical, multiple post collar, occipital/mandibular supports, adjustable cervical bars, and thoracic extension	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO

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L0220	Thoracic, rib belt, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
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	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0452	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, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L0454	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, closures, prefabricated item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
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	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L0456	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, closures, prefabricated item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
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	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP

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L0458	TLSO, tri-planar control, modular segmented spinal system, two rigid plastic shells, posterior extends from the sacrococcygeal junction and terminates just inferior to the scapular spine, anterior extends from the symphysis pubis to the xiphoid, soft liner, restricts gross trunk motion in the sagittal, coronal, and transverse planes, lateral strength is provided by overlapping plastic and stabilizing closures, includes straps, closures, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0460	TLSO, tri-planar control, modular segmented spinal system, two rigid plastic shells, posterior extends from the sacrococcygeal junction and terminates just inferior to the scapular spine, anterior extends from the symphysis pubis to the sternal notch, soft liner, restricts gross trunk motion in the sagittal, coronal, and transverse planes, lateral strength is provided by overlapping plastic and stabilizing closures, includes straps and closures, prefabricated item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0462	TLSO, tri-planar control, modular segmented spinal system, three rigid plastic shells, posterior extends from the sacrococcygeal junction and terminates just inferior to the scapular spine, anterior extends from the symphysis pubis to the sternal notch, soft liner, restricts gross trunk motion in the sagittal, coronal, and transverse planes, lateral strength is provided by overlapping plastic and stabilizing closures, includes straps and closures, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0464	TLSO, tri-planar control, modular segmented spinal system, four rigid plastic shells, posterior extends from the sacrococcygeal junction and terminates just inferior to the scapular spine, anterior extends from the symphysis pubis to the sternal notch, soft liner, restricts gross trunk motion in the sagittal, coronal, and transverse planes, lateral strength is provided by overlapping plastic and stabilizing closures, includes straps and closures, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0466	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 item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF

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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	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L0468	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 item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
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	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L0470	TLSO, tri-planar control, rigid posterior frame and flexible soft anterior apron with straps, closures and padding, extends from sacrococcygeal junction to scapula, lateral strength provided by pelvic, thoracic, and lateral frame pieces, rotational strength provided by sub-clavicular extensions, restricts gross trunk motion in sagittal, coronal, and transverse planes, produces intracavitary pressure to reduce load on the intervertebral disks, includes fitting and shaping frame, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0472	TLSO, tri-planar control, hyperextension, rigid anterior and lateral frame extends from symphysis pubis to sternal notch with two anterior components (one pubic and one sternal), posterior and lateral pads with straps and closures, limits spinal flexion, restricts gross trunk motion in sagittal, coronal, and transverse planes, includes fitting and shaping the frame, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0480	TLSO, tri-planar control, one piece rigid plastic shell without interface liner, with multiple straps and closures, posterior extends from sacrococcygeal junction and terminates just inferior to scapular spine, anterior extends from symphysis pubis to sternal notch, anterior or posterior opening, restricts gross trunk motion in sagittal, coronal, and transverse planes, includes a carved plaster or	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO

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	CAD-CAM model, custom fabricated		
L0482	TLSO, tri-planar control, one piece rigid plastic shell with interface liner, with multiple straps and closures, posterior extends from sacrococcygeal junction and terminates just inferior to scapular spine, anterior extends from symphysis pubis to sternal notch, anterior or posterior opening, restricts gross trunk motion in sagittal, coronal, and transverse planes, includes a carved plaster or CAD-CAM model, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L0484	TLSO, tri-planar control, two piece rigid plastic shell without interface liner, with multiple straps and closures, posterior extends from sacrococcygeal junction and terminates just inferior to scapular spine, anterior extends from symphysis pubis to sternal notch, lateral strength is enhanced by overlapping plastic, restricts gross trunk motion in the sagittal, coronal, and transverse planes, includes a carved plaster or CAD-CAM model, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L0486	TLSO, tri-planar control, two piece rigid plastic shell with interface liner, with multiple straps and closures, posterior extends from sacrococcygeal junction and terminates just inferior to scapular spine, anterior extends from symphysis pubis to sternal notch, lateral strength is enhanced by overlapping plastic, restricts gross trunk motion in the sagittal, coronal, and transverse planes, includes a carved plaster or CAD-CAM model, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L0488	TLSO, tri-planar control, one piece rigid plastic shell with interface liner, multiple straps and closures, posterior extends from sacrococcygeal junction and terminates just inferior to scapular spine, anterior extends from symphysis pubis to sternal notch, anterior or posterior opening, restricts gross trunk motion in sagittal, coronal, and transverse planes, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0490	TLSO, sagittal-coronal control, one piece rigid plastic shell, with overlapping reinforced anterior, with multiple straps and closures, posterior extends from sacrococcygeal junction and terminates at or before the T-9 vertebra, anterior extends from symphysis pubis to xiphoid, anterior opening, restricts gross trunk motion in sagittal and coronal planes, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20;  3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF

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L0621	Sacroiliac orthotic, flexible, provides pelvic-sacral support, reduces motion about the sacroiliac joint, includes straps, closures, may include pendulous abdomen design, prefabricated off-the-shelf	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0622	Sacroiliac orthotic, flexible, provides pelvic-sacral support, reduces motion about the sacroiliac joint, includes straps, closures, may include pendulous abdomen design, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L0623	Sacroiliac orthotic 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	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0624	Sacroiliac orthotic, provides pelvic-sacral support, with rigid or semi-rigid panels placed over the sacrum and abdomen, reduces motion about the sacroiliac joint, includes straps, closures, may include pendulous abdomen design, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L0625	Lumbar orthotic, flexible, provides lumbar support, posterior extends from L-1 to below L-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	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L0626	Lumbar orthotic, sagittal control, with rigid posterior panel(s), posterior extends from L-1 to below L-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 item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0627	Lumbar orthotic, sagittal control, rigid anterior and posterior panels, posterior extends from L-1 to below L-5 vertebra, produces intracavitary pressure to reduce load on the intervertebral discs, includes straps, closures, may include padding, shoulder straps, pendulous abdomen design, prefabricated item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, or assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF

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L0628	Lumbar-sacral orthotic, 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	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0629	Lumbar-sacral orthotic 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, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L0630	Lumbar-sacral orthotic, 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 item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0631	Lumbar-sacral orthotic, 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 item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0632	LSO, 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, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L0633	LSO, 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 item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF



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L0634	LSO, 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/panel(s), produces intracavitary pressure to reduce load on the intervertebral discs, includes straps, closures, may include padding, stays, shoulder straps, pendulous abdomen design, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L0635	LSO, sagittal-coronal control, lumbar flexion, rigid posterior frame/panel(s), lateral articulating design to flex the lumbar spine, 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, anterior panel, pendulous abdomen design, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0636	LSO, sagittal-coronal control, lumbar flexion, rigid posterior frame/panels, lateral articulating design to flex the lumbar spine, 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, anterior panel, pendulous abdomen design, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L0637	LSO, sagittal-coronal control, with rigid anterior and posterior frame/panels, 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, shoulder straps, pendulous abdomen design, prefabricated item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0638	LSO, sagittal-coronal control, with rigid anterior and posterior frame/panels, 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, shoulder straps, pendulous abdomen design, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO

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L0639	LSO, sagittal-coronal control, rigid shell(s)/panel(s), posterior extends from sacrococcygeal junction to T-9 vertebra, anterior extends from symphysis pubis to xiphoid, 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 item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0640	LSO, sagittal-coronal control, rigid shell(s)/panel(s), posterior extends from sacrococcygeal junction to T-9 vertebra, anterior extends from symphysis pubis to xiphoid, 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, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L0641	Lumbar orthosis, sagittal control, with rigid posterior panel(s), posterior extends from l-1 to below l-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	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L0642	Lumbar orthosis, sagittal control, with rigid anterior and posterior panels, posterior extends from l-1 to below l-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	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
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	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
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	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP

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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	6 months: ages 0-20;  1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L0650	Lumbar-sacral orthosis, sagittal-coronal control, with rigid anterior and posterior frame/panels, 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, shoulder straps, pendulous abdomen design, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	6 months: ages 0-20;  1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
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	6 months: ages 0-20;  1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L0700	CTLISO, anterior-posterior-lateral control, molded to patient model (Minerva type)	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L0710	CTLISO, anterior-posterior-lateral control, molded to patient model, with interface material (Minerva type)	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L0810	Halo procedure, cervical halo incorporated into jacket vest	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L0820	Halo procedure, cervical halo incorporated into plaster body jacket	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO

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L0830	Halo procedure, cervical halo incorporated into Milwaukee type orthotic	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L0859	Addition to halo procedure, magnetic resonance image compatible systems, rings and pins, any material	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L0861	Addition to halo procedure, replacement liner/interface material	2 per 6 month	CO, BOCO, CPO
L0970	TLSO, corset front	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0972	LSO, corset front	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0974	TLSO, full corset	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0976	LSO, full corset	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L0978	Axillary crutch extension	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0980	Peroneal straps, pair	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0982	Stocking supporter grips, prefabricated, off-the-shelf, set of four (4)	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF

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L0984	Protective body sock, prefabricated, off-the-shelf, each	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L0999	Addition to spinal orthotic, NOS	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO

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<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Lifetime Expectancies and Quantity Limitations</b>	<b>Required Provider Certification</b>
L1000	CTLSSO (Milwaukee), inclusive of furnishing initial orthotic, including model	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, CPO, BOCO
L1001	Cervical thoracic lumbar sacral orthotic (CTLSSO), immobilizer, infant size, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L1005	Tension based scoliosis orthotic and accessory pads, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1010	Addition to CTLSSO or scoliosis orthotic, axilla sling	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1020	Addition to CTLSSO or scoliosis orthotic, kyphosis pad	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1025	Addition to CTLSSO or scoliosis orthotic kyphosis pad, floating	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1030	Addition to CTLSSO or scoliosis orthotic, lumbar bolster pad	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1040	Addition to CTLSSO or scoliosis orthotic, lumbar or lumbar rib pad	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1050	Addition to CTLSSO or scoliosis orthotic, sternal pad	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1060	Addition to CTLSSO or scoliosis orthotic, thoracic pad	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO

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L1070	Addition to CTLSO or scoliosis orthotic, trapezius sling	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1080	Addition to CTLSO or scoliosis orthotic, outrigger	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1085	Addition to CTLSO or scoliosis orthotic, outrigger, bilateral with vertical extensions	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1090	Addition to CTLSO or scoliosis orthotic, lumbar sling	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1100	Addition to CTLSO or scoliosis orthotic, ring flange, plastic or leather	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1110	Addition to CTLSO or scoliosis orthotic, ring flange, plastic or leather, molded to patient model	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1120	Addition to CTLSO or scoliosis orthotic, cover for upright, each	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1200	TLSO, inclusive of furnishing initial orthotic only	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1210	Addition to TLSO (low profile), lateral thoracic extension	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1220	Addition to TLSO (low profile), anterior thoracic extension	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1230	Addition to TLSO (low profile), Milwaukee type superstructure	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1240	Addition to TLSO (low profile), lumbar derotation pad	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1250	Addition to TLSO (low profile), anterior ASIS pad	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1260	Addition to TLSO (low profile), anterior thoracic derotation pad	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1270	Addition to TLSO (low profile), abdominal pad	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1280	Addition to TLSO (low profile), rib gusset (elastic), each	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1290	Addition to TLSO (low profile), lateral trochanteric pad	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1300	Other scoliosis procedure, body jacket molded to patient model	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1310	Other scoliosis procedure, post operative body jacket	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO

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L1499	Spinal orthotic, not otherwise specified	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
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<b>Lower Limb Orthoses</b>			
<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Lifetime Expectancies and Quantity Limitations</b>	<b>Required Provider Certification</b>
L1600	Hip Orthotic (HO), abduction control of hip joints, flexible, Frejka type with cover, prefabricated item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, COF, CFo
L1610	Hip orthotic (HO), abduction control of hip joints, flexible, (Frejka cover only), prefabricated item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, COF, CFo
L1620	Hip orthosis (HO), abduction control of hip joints, flexible, (Pavlik harness), prefabricated item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, COF, CFo
L1630	Hip orthotic (HO), abduction control of hip joints, semi-flexible, (Von Rosen type), custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1640	Hip orthotic (HO), abduction control of hip joints, static, pelvic band or spreader bar, thigh cuffs, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1650	Hip orthotic (HO), abduction control of hip joints, static, adjustable (Ilfled type), prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L1652	Hip orthotic, bilateral thigh cuffs with adjustable abductor spreader bar, adult size, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment, any type	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, COF, CFo

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L1660	Hip orthotic (HO), abduction control of hip joints, static, plastic, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, COF, CFo
L1680	Hip orthotic (HO), abduction control of hip joints, dynamic, pelvic control, adjustable hip motion control, thigh cuffs (Rancho hip action type), custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1685	Hip orthosis (HO), abduction control of hip joint, post-operative hip abduction type, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1686	Hip orthotic (HO), abduction control of hip joint, postoperative hip abduction type, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L1690	Combination, bilateral, lumbo-sacral, hip, femur orthosis providing adduction and internal rotation control, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L1700	Legg Perthes orthotic, (Toronto type), custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1710	Legg Perthes orthotic, (Newington type), custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1720	Legg Perthes orthotic, trilateral (Tachdijan type), custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1730	Legg Perthes orthotic, (Scottish Rite type), custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1755	Legg Perthes orthotic, (Patten bottom type), custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO



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L1810	KO, elastic with joints, prefabricated item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, COF, CFo
L1812	Knee orthosis, elastic with joints, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L1820	Knee orthotic, elastic with condylar pads and joints, with or without patellar control, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, COF, CFo, MD, DO, PA, NP
L1830	KO, immobilizer, canvas longitudinal, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, COF, CFo, MD, DO, PA, NP
L1831	Knee orthotic, locking knee joint(s), positional orthosis, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, COF, CFo, MD, DO, PA, NP
L1832	Knee orthotic, adjustable knee joints (unicentric or polycentric), positional orthosis, rigid support, prefabricated item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L1833	Knee orthosis, adjustable knee joints (unicentric or polycentric), positional orthosis, rigid support, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L1834	KO, without knee joint, rigid, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1836	Knee orthosis, rigid, without joint(s), includes soft interface material, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, COF, CFo, MD, DO, PA, NP
L1840	KO, derotation, medial-lateral, anterior cruciate ligament, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20;	CO, BOCO, CPO

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		3 years: ages 21 and older	
L1843	Knee orthosis, 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 item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L1844	Knee orthosis, 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, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1845	Knee orthosis, 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, includes item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L1846	Knee orthosis, 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, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L1847	KO, double upright with adjustable joint, with inflatable air support chamber(s), prefabricated item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L1848	Knee orthosis, double upright with adjustable joint, with inflatable air support chamber(s), prefabricated, off-the-shelf	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L1850	KO, Swedish type, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L1860	KO, modification of supracondylar prosthetic socket, custom fabricated (SK)	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO

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L1900	AFO, spring wire, dorsiflexion assist calf band, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L1902	AFO, ankle gauntlet or similar, with or without joints, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CPed, CFo, COF, BOCPD, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
L1904	AFO, ankle gauntlet or similar, with or without joints, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L1906	AFO, multi-ligamentous ankle support, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, C.Ped., BOCPD, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
L1907	AFO, supramalleolar with straps, with or without interface/pads, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L1910	AFO, posterior, single bar, clasp attachment to shoe counter, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L1920	AFO, single upright with static or adjustable stop (Phelps or Perlstein type), custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L1930	AFO, plastic or other material, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM

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L1932	AFO, rigid anterior tibial section, total carbon fiber or equal material, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L1940	AFO, plastic or other material, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L1945	AFO, , plastic, rigid anterior tibial section (floor reaction), custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L1950	AFO, spiral, (Institute of Rehabilitative Medicine type), plastic, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L1951	AFO, spiral, (Institute of Rehabilitative Medicine type), plastic or other material, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L1960	AFO, posterior solid ankle, plastic, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L1970	AFO, plastic, with ankle joint, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L1971	AFO, plastic or other material with ankle joint, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L1980	AFO, single upright free plantar dorsiflexion, solid stirrup, calf band/cuff (single bar BK orthotic), custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM

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L1990	AFO, double upright free plantar dorsiflexion, solid stirrup, calf band/cuff (double bar BK orthotic), custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L2000	KAFO, single upright, free knee, free ankle, solid stirrup, thigh and calf bands/cuffs (single bar AK orthotic), custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2005	Knee ankle foot orthosis, any material, single or double upright, stance control, automatic lock and swing phase release, any type activation, includes ankle joint, any type, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2010	KAFO, single upright, free ankle, solid stirrup, thigh and calf bands/cuffs (single bar AK orthotic), without knee joint, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2020	KAFO, double upright, free ankle, solid stirrup, thigh and calf bands/cuffs (double bar AK orthosis), custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2030	KAFO, double upright, free ankle, solid stirrup, thigh and calf bands/cuffs, (double bar AK orthotic), without knee joint, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2034	Knee ankle foot orthotic, full plastic, single upright, with or without free motion knee, medial- lateral rotation control, with or without free motion ankle, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2035	Knee ankle foot orthotic, full plastic, static (pediatric size), without free motion ankle, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L2036	Knee ankle foot orthotic, full plastic, double upright, with or without free motion knee, with or without free motion ankle, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO

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L2037	Knee ankle foot orthotic, full plastic, single upright, with or without free motion knee, with or without free motion ankle, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2038	Knee ankle foot orthotic, full plastic, with or without free motion knee, multi-axis ankle, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2040	HKAFO, torsion control, bilateral rotation straps, pelvic band/belt, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2050	HKAFO, torsion control, bilateral torsion cables, hip joint, pelvic band/belt, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2060	HKAFO, torsion control, bilateral torsion cables, ball bearing hip joint, pelvic band/belt, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2070	HKAFO, torsion control, unilateral rotation straps, pelvic band/belt, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2080	HKAFO, torsion control, unilateral torsion cable, hip joint, pelvic band/belt, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2090	HKAFO, torsion control, unilateral torsion cable, ball bearing hip joint, pelvic band/belt, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2106	AFO, fracture orthosis, tibial fracture cast orthosis, thermoplastic type casting material, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L2108	AFO, fracture orthosis, tibial fracture cast orthosis, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, DPM

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L2112	AFO, fracture orthosis, tibial fracture orthosis, soft, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
L2114	AFO, fracture orthosis, tibial fracture orthosis, semi-rigid, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, CFo, COF, DPM
L2116	AFO, fracture orthosis, tibial fracture orthosis, rigid, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, CFo, COF, DPM
L2126	KAFO, fracture orthosis, femoral fracture cast orthosis, thermoplastic type casting material, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2128	KAFO, fracture orthosis, femoral fracture cast orthosis, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2132	Knee ankle foot orthosis fracture orthosis, femoral fracture cast orthosis, soft, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L2134	Knee ankle foot orthosis, fracture orthosis, femoral fracture cast orthosis, semi-rigid, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L2136	KAFO, fracture orthosis, femoral fracture cast orthosis, rigid, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L2180	Addition to lower extremity fracture orthosis, plastic shoe insert with ankle joints	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO,

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L2182	Addition to lower extremity fracture orthosis, drop lock knee joint	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2184	Addition to lower extremity fracture orthosis limited motion knee joint	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2186	Addition to lower extremity fracture orthosis, adjustable motion knee joint, Lerman type	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2188	Addition to lower extremity fracture orthosis, quadrilateral brim	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2190	Addition to lower extremity fracture orthosis, waist belt	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2192	Addition to lower extremity fracture orthosis, hip joint, pelvic band, thigh flange, and pelvic belt	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2200	Addition to lower extremity, limited ankle motion, each joint	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L2210	Addition to lower extremity, dorsiflexion assist (plantar flexion resist), each joint	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L2220	Addition to lower extremity, dorsiflexion and plantar flexion assist/resist, each joint	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L2230	Addition to lower extremity, split flat caliper stirrups and plate attachment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM



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L2232	Addition to lower extremity orthosis, rocker bottom for total contact ankle-foot orthosis (AFO), for custom fabricated orthosis only	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L2240	Addition to lower extremity, round caliper and plate attachment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L2250	Addition to lower extremity, foot plate, molded to patient model, stirrup attachment	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L2260	Addition to lower extremity, reinforced solid stirrup (Scott-Craig type)	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L2265	Addition to lower extremity, long tongue stirrup	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L2270	Addition to lower extremity, varus/valgus correction (T) strap, padded/lined or malleolus pad	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L2275	Addition to lower extremity, varus/valgus correction, plastic modification, padded/lined	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L2280	Addition to lower extremity, molded inner boot	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L2300	Addition to lower extremity, abduction bar (bilateral hip involvement), jointed, adjustable	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2310	Addition to lower extremity, abduction bar, straight	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO

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L2320	Addition to lower extremity, non-molded lacer, for custom fabricated orthosis only	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L2330	Addition to lower extremity, lacer molded to patient model, for custom fabricated orthosis only	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L2335	Addition to lower extremity, anterior swing band	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2340	Addition to lower extremity, pretibial shell, molded to patient model	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2350	Addition to lower extremity, prosthetic type (BK) socket, molded to patient model (used for PTB, AFO orthoses)	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO,
L2360	Addition to lower extremity, extended steel shank	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L2370	Addition to lower extremity, Patten bottom	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L2375	Addition to lower extremity, torsion control, ankle joint and half solid stirrup	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L2380	Addition to lower extremity, torsion control, straight knee joint, each joint	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2385	Addition to lower extremity, straight knee joint, heavy duty, each joint	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO

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L2387	Addition to lower extremity, polycentric knee joint, for custom fabricated knee ankle foot orthosis(KAFO), each joint	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2390	Addition to lower extremity, offset knee joint, each joint	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2395	Addition to lower extremity, offset knee joint, heavy duty, each joint	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2397	Addition to lower extremity, orthosis, suspension sleeve	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2405	Addition to knee joint, drop lock, each	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2415	Addition to knee lock with integrated release mechanism (bail, cable, or equal), any material, each joint	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2425	Addition to knee joint, disc or dial lock for adjustable knee flexion, each joint	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2430	Addition to knee joint, ratchet lock for active and progressive knee extension, each joint	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2492	Addition to knee joint, lift loop for drop lock ring	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2500	Addition to lower extremity, thigh/weight bearing, gluteal/ischial weight bearing, ring	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO

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L2510	Addition to lower extremity, thigh/weight bearing, quadri-lateral brim, molded to patient model	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2520	Addition to lower extremity, thigh/weight bearing, quadri-lateral brim, custom fitted	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2525	Addition to lower extremity, thigh/weight bearing, ischial containment/narrow M-L brim molded to patient model	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2526	Addition to lower extremity, thigh/weight bearing, ischial containment/narrow M-L brim, custom fitted	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2530	Addition to lower extremity, thigh/weight bearing, lacer, non-molded	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2540	Addition to lower extremity, thigh/weight bearing, lacer, molded to patient model	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2550	Addition to lower extremity, thigh/weight bearing, high roll cuff	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2570	Addition to lower extremity, pelvic control, hip joint, Clevis type, 2 position joint, each	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2580	Addition to lower extremity, pelvic control, pelvic sling	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2600	Addition to lower extremity, pelvic control, hip joint, Clevis type, or thrust bearing, free, each	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO

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L2610	Addition to lower extremity, pelvic control, hip joint, Clevis or thrust bearing, lock, each	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2620	Addition to lower extremity, pelvic control, hip joint, heavy-duty, each	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2622	Addition to lower extremity, pelvic control, hip joint, adjustable flexion, each	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2624	Addition to lower extremity, pelvic control, hip joint, adjustable flexion, extension, abduction control, each	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2627	Addition to lower extremity, pelvic control, plastic, molded to patient model, reciprocating hip joint and cables	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2628	Addition to lower extremity, pelvic control, metal frame, reciprocating hip joint and cables	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2630	Addition to lower extremity, pelvic control, band and belt, unilateral	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2640	Addition to lower extremity, pelvic control, band and belt, bilateral	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2650	Addition to lower extremity, pelvic and thoracic control, gluteal pad, each	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO

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L2660	Addition to lower extremity, thoracic control, thoracic band	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2670	Addition to lower extremity, thoracic control, paraspinal uprights	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2680	Addition to lower extremity, thoracic control, lateral support uprights	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2750	Addition to lower extremity orthotic, plating chrome or nickel, per bar	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2755	Addition to lower extremity orthotic, high strength, lightweight material, all hybrid lamination/prepreg composite, per segment, for custom fabricated orthosis only	4 PER 6 months: ages 0-20; 4 PER 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2760	Addition to lower extremity orthotic, extension, per extension, per bar (for lineal adjustment for growth)	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2768	Orthotic side bar disconnect device, per bar	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2780	Addition to lower extremity orthosis, noncorrosive finish, per bar	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2785	Addition to lower extremity orthosis, drop lock retainer, each	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO

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L2795	Addition to lower extremity orthosis, knee control, full kneecap	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2800	Addition to lower extremity orthosis, knee control, kneecap, medial or lateral pull, for use with custom fabricated orthosis only	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2810	Addition to lower extremity orthosis, knee control, condylar pad	6 months: ages 0-20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, CPO
L2820	Addition to lower extremity orthosis, soft interface for molded plastic, below knee section	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L2830	Addition to lower extremity orthosis, soft interface for molded plastic, above knee section	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2840	Addition to lower extremity orthosis, tibial length sock, fracture or equal, each	4 per 6 months: ages 0-20; 4 per 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L2850	Addition to lower extremity orthosis, femoral length sock, fracture or equal, each	4 per 6 months: ages 0-20; 4 per 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L2861	Addition to lower extremity joint, knee or ankle, concentric adjustable torsion style mechanism for custom fabricated orthotics only, each	1 every 6 months: ages 0-20; 1 every 3 yrs.: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO

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L2999	Lower extremity orthoses, NOS	6 months: ages 0-20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
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<b>Orthopedic Shoes and Footwear</b>			
<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Lifetime Expectancies and Quantity Limitations</b>	<b>Required Provider Certification</b>
L3000	Foot insert, removable, molded to patient model, UCB type, Berkeley shell, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3001	Foot insert, removable, molded to patient model, Spenco, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3002	Foot insert, removable, molded to patient model, Plastazote or equal, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
L3003	Foot insert, removable, molded to patient model, silicone gel, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
L3010	Foot insert, removable, molded to patient model, longitudinal arch support, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
L3020	Foot insert, removable, molded to patient model, longitudinal/metatarsal support, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP,



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			CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
L3030	Foot insert, removable, formed to patient foot, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
L3040	Foot, arch support, removable, pre-molded, longitudinal, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
L3050	Foot, arch support, removable, pre-molded, metatarsal, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
L3060	Foot, arch support, removable, pre-molded, longitudinal/metatarsal, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, MD, DO, PA, NP, CFo, COF, DPM
L3070	Foot, arch support, nonremovable, attached to shoe, longitudinal, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, , CPO, C.Ped., BOCP, DPM
L3080	Foot, arch support, nonremovable, attached to shoe, metatarsal, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3090	Foot, arch support, nonremovable, attached to shoe, longitudinal/metatarsal, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, , CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM

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L3100	Hallus-valgus night dynamic splint, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, CFo, COF, C.Ped., BOCPD, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
L3140	Foot, abduction rotation bar, including shoes	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3150	Foot, abduction rotation bar, without shoes	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3160	Foot, adjustable shoe-styled positioning device	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3170	Foot, plastic, silicone or equal, heel stabilizer, prefabricated, off-the-shelf, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, CFo, COF, C.Ped., BOCPD, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
L3201	Orthopedic shoe, Oxford with supinator or pronator, infant	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3202	Orthopedic shoe, Oxford with supinator or pronator, child	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3203	Orthopedic shoe, Oxford with supinator or pronator, junior	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped.,

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			BOCPD, DPM
L3204	Orthopedic shoe, high-top with supinator or pronator, infant	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3206	Orthopedic shoe, high-top with supinator or pronator, child	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3207	Orthopedic shoe, high-top with supinator or pronator, junior	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3208	Surgical boot, each, infant	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
L3209	Surgical boot, each, child	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
L3211	Surgical boot, each, junior	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
L3212	Benesch boot, pair, infant	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped, DPM
L3213	Benesch boot, pair, child	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3214	Benesch boot, pair, junior	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM

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L3215	Orthopedic footwear, ladies shoe, oxford, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3216	Orthopedic footwear, ladies shoe, depth inlay, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3217	Orthopedic footwear, ladies shoe, high-top, depth inlay, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3219	Orthopedic footwear, men's shoe, oxford, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3221	Orthopedic footwear, men's shoe, depth inlay, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3222	Orthopedic footwear, men's shoe, high-top, depth inlay, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3224	Orthopedic footwear, woman's shoe, oxford, used as an integral part of a brace (orthosis)	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3225	Orthopedic footwear, man's shoe, oxford, used as an integral part of a brace (orthosis)	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3250	Orthopedic footwear, custom molded shoe, removable inner mold, prosthetic shoe, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3251	Foot, shoe molded to patient model, silicone shoe, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., DPM

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L3252	Foot, shoe molded to patient model, Plastazote (or similar), custom fabricated, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3253	Foot, molded shoe, Plastazote (or similar), custom fitted, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., DPM
L3254	Nonstandard size or width	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3255	Nonstandard size or length	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3257	Orthopedic footwear, additional charge for split size	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3260	Surgical boot/shoe, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
L3265	Plastazote sandal, each	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
L3300	Lift, elevation, heel, tapered to metatarsals, per inch	N/A	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3310	Lift, elevation, heel and sole, neoprene, per inch	N/A	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM

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L3320	Lift, elevation, heel and sole, cork, per inch	N/A	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, C.Ped., BOCP, DPM
L3330	Lift, elevation, metal extension (skate)	N/A	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, C.Ped., BOCP, DPM
L3332	Lift, elevation, inside shoe, tapered, up to one-half in.	N/A	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, C.Ped., BOCP, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
L3334	Lift, elevation, heel, per in.	N/A	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, C.Ped., BOCP, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
L3340	Heel wedge, SACH	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3350	Heel wedge	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
L3360	Sole wedge, outside sole	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3370	Sole wedge, between sole	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3380	Clubfoot wedge	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped.,

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			BOCPD, DPM
L3390	Out-flare wedge	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3400	Metatarsal bar wedge, rocker	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3410	Metatarsal bar wedge, between sole	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3420	Full sole and heel wedge, between sole	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3430	Heel, counter, plastic reinforced	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3440	Heel, counter, leather reinforced	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3450	Heel, SACH cushion type	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3455	Heel, new leather, standard	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3460	Heel, new rubber, standard	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3465	Heel, Thomas with wedge	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped.,

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			BOCPD, DPM
L3470	Heel, Thomas extended to ball	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3480	Heel, pad and depression for spur	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
L3485	Heel, pad, removable for spur	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
L3500	Orthopedic shoe addition, insole, leather	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3510	Orthopedic shoe addition, insole, rubber	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3520	Orthopedic shoe addition, insole, felt covered with leather	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3530	Orthopedic shoe addition, sole, half	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3540	Orthopedic shoe addition, sole, full	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3550	Orthopedic shoe addition, toe tap, standard	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM



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L3560	Orthopedic shoe addition, toe tap, horseshoe	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3570	Orthopedic shoe addition, special extension to instep (leather with eyelets)	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3580	Orthopedic shoe addition, convert instep to Velcro closure	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3590	Orthopedic shoe addition, convert firm shoe counter to soft counter	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3595	Orthopedic shoe addition, March bar	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3600	Transfer of an orthosis from one shoe to another, caliper plate, existing	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3610	Transfer of an orthosis from one shoe to another, caliper plate, new	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3620	Transfer of an orthosis from one shoe to another, solid stirrup, existing	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3630	Transfer of an orthosis from one shoe to another, solid stirrup, new	6 months: ages 0–20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L3640	Transfer of an orthotic from one shoe to another, Dennis Browne splint (Riveton), both shoes	6 months: ages 0–20; NOT FOR ADULTS	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM

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L3649	Orthopedic shoe, modification, addition or transfer, not otherwise specified	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
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<b>Upper Limb Orthoses</b>			
<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Lifetime Expectancies and Quantity Limitations</b>	<b>Required Provider Certification</b>
L3650	SO, figure of eight design abduction restrainer, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	6 months: ages 0–20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L3660	SO, figure of eight design abduction restrainer, canvas and webbing, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L3670	SO, acromio/clavicular (canvas and webbing type), prefabricated, off the shelf.	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L3671	Shoulder orthosis (SO), shoulder joint design, without joints, may include soft interface, straps, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3674	Shoulder orthosis, abduction positioning (airplane design), thoracic component and support bar, with or without non-torsion joint/turnbuckle, may include soft interface, straps, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	1 year: all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3675	SO, vest type abduction restrainer, canvas webbing type, or equal, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L3677	Shoulder orthosis (SO), shoulder joint design, without joints, may include soft interface, straps, prefabricated item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF

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L3702	Elbow orthosis (EO), without joints, may include soft interface, straps, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3710	EO, elastic with metal joints, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	6 months: ages 0–20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L3720	Elbow orthotic (EO), double upright with forearm/arm cuffs, free motion, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3730	EO, double upright with forearm/arm cuffs, extension/flexion assist, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3740	Elbow orthosis (EO), double upright with forearm/arm cuffs, adjustable position lock with active control, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3760	Elbow orthosis (EO), with adjustable position locking joint(s), prefabricated, item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise includes fitting and adjustments, any type	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L3762	Elbow orthosis (EO), rigid, without joints, includes soft interface material, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L3763	Elbow wrist hand orthosis (EWHO), rigid, without joints, may include soft interface, straps, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3764	Elbow wrist hand orthosis (EWHO), includes one or more non-torsion joints, elastic bands, turnbuckles, may include soft interface, straps, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3765	Elbow wrist hand finger orthosis (EWHFO), rigid, without joints, may include soft interface, straps, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20;	CO, BOCO, CPO

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		3 years: ages 21 and older	
L3766	Elbow wrist hand finger orthosis (EWHFO), includes one or more non-torsion joints, elastic bands, turnbuckles, may include soft interface, straps, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3806	WHFO, includes one or more non-torsion joint(s), turnbuckles, elastic bands/springs, may include soft interface material, straps, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3807	Wrist hand finger orthosis (WHFO), without joint(s), prefabricated item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L3808	Wrist-hand-finger orthosis (WHFO), rigid without joints, may include soft interface material; straps, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3809	Wrist hand finger orthosis, without joint(s), prefabricated, off-the-shelf, any type	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L3891	Addition to upper extremity joint, wrist or elbow, adjustable torsion style mechanism for custom fabricated orthotics only, each	6 months: ages 00–20 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3900	WHFO, dynamic flexor hinge, reciprocal wrist extension/flexion, finger flexion/extension, wrist or finger driven, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3901	WHFO, dynamic flexor hinge, reciprocal wrist extension/flexion, finger flexion/extension, cable driven, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3904	WHFO, external powered, electric, custom fabricated	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO

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L3905	Wrist hand finger orthosis (WHFO), includes one or more non-torsion joints, elastic bands, turnbuckles, may include soft interface, straps, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3906	Wrist hand orthosis (WHO), without joints, may include soft interface, straps, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3908	WHO, wrist extension control cock-up, non-molded, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L3912	HFO, flexion glove with elastic finger control, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	6 months: ages 0–20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L3913	Hand finger orthosis (HFO), without joints, may include soft interface, straps, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3915	Wrist-hand orthosis (WHO), includes one or more non-torsion joint(s), elastic bands, turnbuckles, may include soft interface, straps, prefabricated item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0–20 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L3916	Wrist hand orthosis, includes one or more non-torsion joint(s), elastic bands, turnbuckles, may include soft interface, straps, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	6 months: ages 0–20 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L3917	Hand orthosis (HO), metacarpal fracture orthosis, prefabricated item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0–20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, COF, CFo
L3918	Hand orthosis, metacarpal fracture orthosis, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	6 months: ages 0–20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L3919	Hand orthosis (HO), without joints, may include soft interface, straps, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20;	CO, BOCO, CPO

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		3 years: ages 21 and older	
L3921	Hand finger orthosis (HFO), includes one or more non-torsion joints, elastic bands, turnbuckles, may include soft interface, straps, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3923	Hand finger orthosis (HFO), without joints, may include soft interface, straps, prefabricated item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0–20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L3924	Hand finger orthosis, without joints, may include soft interface, straps, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	6 months: ages 0–20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L3925	FO, proximal interphalangeal (PIP)/distal interphalangeal (DIP), non-torsion joint/spring, extension/flexion, may include soft interface material, prefabricated, off the shelf	6 months: ages 0–20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L3927	FO, 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	6 months: ages 0–20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L3929	HFO, includes one or more non-torsion joint(s), turnbuckles, elastic bands/springs, may include soft interface material, straps, prefabricated item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	6 months: ages 0–20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
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	6 months: ages 0–20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L3931	WHFO, includes one or more non-torsion joint(s), turnbuckles, elastic bands/springs, may include soft interface material, straps, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L3933	Finger orthosis (FO), without joints, may include soft interface, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO

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L3935	Finger orthosis, non-torsion joint, may include soft interface, straps, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3956	Addition of joint to upper extremity orthosis, any material; per joint	6 months: ages 0–20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3960	SEWHO, abduction positioning, airplane design, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L3961	Shoulder elbow wrist hand orthosis (SEWHO), shoulder cap design, without joints, may include soft interface, straps, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3962	SEWHO, abduction positioning, Erb’s palsy design, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF
L3967	Shoulder elbow wrist hand orthosis (SEWHO), abduction positioning (airplane design), thoracic component and support bar, without joints, may include soft interface, straps, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3971	Shoulder elbow wrist hand orthosis (SEWHO), shoulder cap design, includes one or more non-torsion joints, elastic bands, turnbuckles, may include soft interface, straps, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3973	Shoulder elbow wrist hand orthosis (SEWHO), abduction positioning (airplane design), thoracic component and support bar, includes one or more non-torsion joints, elastic bands, turnbuckles, may include soft interface, straps, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3975	Shoulder elbow wrist hand finger orthosis (SEWHO), shoulder cap design, without joints, may include soft interface, straps, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO

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L3976	Shoulder elbow wrist hand finger orthosis (SEWHO), abduction positioning (airplane design), thoracic component and support bar, without joints, elastic bands, turnbuckles, may include soft interface, straps, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3977	Shoulder elbow wrist hand finger orthosis (SEWHO), shoulder cap design, includes one or more non-torsion joints, elastic bands, turnbuckles, may include soft interface, straps, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3978	Shoulder elbow wrist hand finger orthosis (SEWHO), abduction positioning (airplane design), thoracic component and support bar, includes one or more non-torsion joints, elastic bands, turnbuckles, may include soft interface, straps, custom fabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3980	Upper extremity fracture orthosis, humeral, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L3982	Upper extremity fracture orthosis, radius/ulnar, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L3984	Upper extremity fracture orthosis, wrist, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months: ages 0–20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP
L3995	Addition to upper extremity orthosis, sock, fracture or equal, each	6 months: ages 0–20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L3999	Upper limb orthosis, NOS	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO

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L4350	Ankle control orthosis, stirrup style, rigid, includes any type interface (e.g., pneumatic, gel), prefabricated, off the shelf	1 year all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, C.Ped., BOCPD, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
L4360	Walking boot, pneumatic and/or vacuum, with or without joints, with or without interface material, prefabricated item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	1 year all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L4361	Walking boot, pneumatic and/or vacuum, with or without joints, with or without interface material, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	1 year all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L4370	Pneumatic full leg splint, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	1 year all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L4386	Walking boot, non-pneumatic, with or without joints, with or without interface material, prefabricated item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	1 year all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L4387	Walking boot, non-pneumatic, with or without joints, with or without interface material, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	1 year all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L4392	Replacement soft interface material, static AFO	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L4394	Replace soft interface material, foot drop splint	6 months all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM

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L4396	Static or dynamic ankle foot orthotic, including soft interface material, adjustable for fit, for positioning, may be used for minimal ambulation, prefabricated item that has been trimmed, bent, molded, assembled, or otherwise customized to fit a specific patient by an individual with expertise	1 year all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
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	1 year all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, MD, DO, PA, NP C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L4398	Foot drop splint, recumbent positioning device, prefabricated, off-the-shelf	1 year all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO, CFo, COF, C.Ped., BOCPD, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
L4631	Ankle-foot orthosis, walking boot type, varus/valgus correction, rocker bottom, anterior tibial shell, soft interface, custom arch support, plastic or other material, includes straps and closures, custom fabricated	1 year: all ages	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM

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<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Lifetime Expectancies and Quantity Limitations</b>	<b>Required Provider Certification</b>
L5000	Partial foot, shoe insert with longitudinal arch, toe filler	1 year: all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO, CO, BOCO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L5010	Partial foot, molded socket, ankle height, with toe filler	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L5020	Partial foot, molded socket, tibial tubercle height, with toe filler	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO, , DPM

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L5050	Ankle, Symes, molded socket, SACH foot	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5060	Ankle, Symes, metal frame, molded leather socket, articulated ankle/foot	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5100	Below knee, molded socket, shin, SACH foot	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5105	Below knee, plastic socket, joints and thigh lacer, SACH foot	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5150	Knee disarticulation (or through knee), molded socket, external knee joints, shin, SACH foot	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5160	Knee disarticulation (or through knee), molded socket, bent knee configuration, external knee joints, shin, SACH foot	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5200	Above knee, molded socket, single axis constant friction knee, shin, SACH foot	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5210	Above knee, short prosthesis, no knee joint (stubbies), with foot blocks, no ankle joints, each	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5220	Above knee, short prosthesis, no knee joint (stubbies), with articulated ankle/foot, dynamically aligned, each	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5230	Above knee, for proximal femoral focal deficiency, constant friction knee, shin, SACH foot	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO

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L5250	Hip disarticulation, Canadian type; molded socket, hip joint, single axis constant friction knee, shin, SACH foot	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5270	Hip disarticulation, tilt table type; molded socket, locking hip joint, single axis constant friction knee, shin, SACH foot	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5280	Hemipelvectomy, Canadian type, molded socket, hip joint, single axis constant friction knee, shin, SACH foot	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5301	Below knee, molded socket, shin, SACH foot, endo-skeletal system	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5312	Knee disarticulation (or through knee), molded socket, single axis knee, pylon, SACH foot, endo-skeletal system	1 year: ages 0–20 3 years: ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5321	Above knee, molded socket, open end, SACH foot, endo-skeletal system, single axis knee	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5331	Hip disarticulation, Canadian type, molded socket, endo-skeletal system, hip joint, single axis knee, SACH foot	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5341	Hemipelvectomy, Canadian type, molded socket, endo-skeletal system, hip joint, single axis knee, SACH foot	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5400	Immediate postsurgical or early fitting, application of initial rigid dressing, including fitting, alignment, suspension, and one cast change, below knee	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO

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L5410	Immediate postsurgical or early fitting, application of initial rigid dressing, including fitting, alignment and suspension, below knee, each additional cast change and realignment	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5420	Immediate postsurgical or early fitting, application of initial rigid dressing, including fitting, alignment and suspension and one cast change AK or knee disarticulation	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5430	Immediate postsurgical or early fitting, application of initial rigid dressing, including fitting, alignment, and suspension, AK or knee disarticulation, each additional cast change and realignment	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5450	Immediate postsurgical or early fitting, application of non-weight bearing rigid dressing, below knee	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5460	Immediate postsurgical or early fitting, application of non-weight bearing rigid dressing, above knee	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5500	Initial, below knee PTB type socket, non-alignable system, pylon, no cover, SACH foot, plaster socket, direct formed	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5505	Initial, above knee-knee disarticulation, ischial level socket, non-alignable system, pylon, no cover, SACH foot plaster socket, direct formed	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5510	Preparatory, below knee PTB type socket, non-alignable system, pylon, no cover, SACH foot, plaster socket, molded to model	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5520	Preparatory, below knee PTB type socket, non-alignable system, pylon, no cover, SACH foot, thermoplastic or equal, direct formed	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5530	Preparatory, below knee PTB type socket, non-alignable system, pylon, no cover, SACH foot, thermoplastic or equal, molded to model	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO

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L5535	Preparatory, below knee PTB type socket, non-alignable system, pylon, no cover, SACH foot, prefabricated, adjustable open end socket	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5540	Preparatory, below knee PTB type socket, non-alignable system, pylon, no cover, SACH foot, laminated socket, molded to model	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5560	Preparatory, above knee (AK)knee disarticulation, ischial level socket, non-alignable system, pylon, no cover, SACH foot, plaster socket, molded to model	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5570	Preparatory, above knee-knee disarticulation, ischial level socket, non-alignable system, pylon, no cover, SACH foot, thermoplastic or equal, direct formed	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5580	Preparatory, above knee-knee disarticulation, ischial level socket, non-alignable system, pylon, no cover, SACH foot, thermoplastic or equal, molded to model	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5585	Preparatory, above knee-knee disarticulation, ischial level socket, non-alignable system, pylon, no cover, SACH foot, prefabricated, adjustable open end socket	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5590	Preparatory, above knee-knee disarticulation, ischial level socket, non-alignable system, pylon, no cover, SACH foot, laminated socket, molded to model	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5595	Preparatory, hip disarticulation–hemipelvectomy, pylon, no cover, SACH foot, thermoplastic or equal, molded to patient model	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5600	Preparatory, hip disarticulation/hemipelvectomy, pylon, no cover, SACH foot, laminated socket, molded to patient model	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5610	Addition to lower extremity, endo-skeletal system, above knee, hydra-cadence system	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO

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L5611	Addition to lower extremity, endo-skeletal system, above knee-knee disarticulation, 4-bar linkage, with friction swing phase control	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5613	Addition to lower extremity, endo-skeletal system, above knee-knee disarticulation, 4-bar linkage, with hydraulic swing phase control	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5614	Addition to lower extremity, endo-skeletal system, above knee-knee disarticulation, 4-bar linkage, with pneumatic swing phase control	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5616	Addition to lower extremity, endo-skeletal system, above knee, universal multiplex system, friction swing phase control	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5617	Addition to lower extremity, quick change self-aligning unit, above or below knee, each	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5618	Addition to lower extremity, test socket, Symes	2 per 6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5620	Addition to lower extremity, test socket, below knee	2 per 6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5622	Addition to lower extremity, test socket, knee disarticulation	2 per 6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5624	Addition to lower extremity, test socket, above knee	2 per 6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5626	Addition to lower extremity, test socket, hip disarticulation	2 per 6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5628	Addition to lower extremity, test socket, hemipelvectomy	2 per 6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5629	Addition to lower extremity, below knee, acrylic socket	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO

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L5630	Addition to lower extremity, Symes type, expandable wall socket	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5631	Addition to lower extremity, above knee or knee disarticulation, acrylic socket	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5632	Addition to lower extremity, Symes type, PTB brim design socket	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5634	Addition to lower extremity, Symes type, posterior opening (Canadian) socket	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5636	Addition to lower extremity, Symes type, medial opening socket	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5637	Addition to lower extremity, below knee, total contact	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5638	Addition to lower extremity, below knee, leather socket	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5639	Addition to lower extremity, below knee, wood socket	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5640	Addition to lower extremity, knee disarticulation, leather socket	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5642	Addition to lower extremity, above knee, leather socket	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5643	Addition to lower extremity, hip disarticulation, flexible inner socket, external frame	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5644	Addition to lower extremity, above knee, wood socket	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5645	Addition to lower extremity, below knee, flexible inner socket, external frame	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5646	Addition to lower extremity, below knee, air, fluid, gel or equal, cushion socket	1 year: ages 0–20;	CP, BOCP, CPO



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		3 years ages 21 and older	
L5647	Addition to lower extremity, below knee, suction socket	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5648	Addition to lower extremity, above knee, air, fluid, gel or equal, cushion socket	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5649	Addition to lower extremity, ischial containment/narrow M-L socket	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5650	Addition to lower extremity, total contact, above knee or knee disarticulation socket	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5651	Addition to lower extremity, above knee, flexible inner socket, external frame	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5652	Addition to lower extremity, suction suspension, above knee or knee disarticulation socket	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5653	Addition to lower extremity, knee disarticulation, expandable wall socket	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5654	Addition to lower extremity, socket insert, Symes (Kemblo, Pelite, Aliplast, Plastazote or equal)	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5655	Addition to lower extremity, socket insert, below knee (Kemblo, Pelite, Aliplast, Plastazote or equal)	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5656	Addition to lower extremity, socket insert, knee disarticulation (Kemblo, Pelite, Aliplast, Plastazote or equal)	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5658	Addition to lower extremity, socket insert, above knee (Kemblo, Pelite, Aliplast, Plastazote or equal)	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5661	Addition to lower extremity, socket insert, multi-durometer, Symes	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5665	Addition to lower extremity, socket insert, multi-durometer, below knee	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5666	Addition to lower extremity, below knee, cuff suspension	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5668	Addition to lower extremity, below knee, molded distal cushion	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5670	Addition to lower extremity, below knee, molded supracondylar suspension (PTS or similar)	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO

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L5671	Addition to lower extremity, below knee/above knee suspension locking mechanism, (shuttle, lanyard or equal), excludes socket insert	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5672	Addition to lower extremity, below knee, removable medial brim suspension	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5673	Addition to lower extremity, below knee/above knee, custom fabricated from existing mold or prefabricated, socket insert, silicone gel, elastomeric or equal, for use with locking mechanism	2 per 6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5676	Addition to lower extremity, below knee, knee joints, single axis, pair	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5677	Addition to lower extremity, below knee, knee joints, polycentric, pair	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5678	Addition to lower extremity, below knee joint covers, pair	2 per year all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5679	Addition to lower extremity, below knee/above knee, custom fabricated from existing mold or prefabricated, socket insert, silicone gel, elastomeric or equal, not for use with locking mechanism	2 per 6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5680	Addition to lower extremity, below knee, thigh lacer, non-molded	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5681	Addition to lower extremity, below knee/above knee, custom fabricated socket insert for congenital or atypical traumatic amputee, silicone gel, elastomeric or equal, for use with or without locking mechanism, initial only (for other than initial, use code L5673 or L5679)	2 per year all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5682	Addition to lower extremity, below knee, thigh lacer, gluteal/ischial, molded	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5683	Addition to lower extremity, below knee/above knee, custom fabricated socket insert for other than congenital or atypical traumatic amputee, silicone gel, elastomeric or equal, for use with or without locking mechanism, initial only (for other than initial, use code L5673 or L5679)	2 per year all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5684	Addition to lower extremity, below knee, fork strap	6 months: ages 0–20; 1 year ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO

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L5685	Addition to lower extremity prosthesis, below knee, suspension/sealing sleeve, with or without valve, any material, each	2 per 6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5686	Addition to lower extremity, below knee, back check (extension control)	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5688	Addition to lower extremity, below knee, waist belt, webbing	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5690	Addition to lower extremity, below knee, waist belt, padded and lined	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5692	Addition to lower extremity, above knee, pelvic control belt, light	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5694	Addition to lower extremity, above knee, pelvic control belt, padded and lined	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5695	Addition to lower extremity, above knee, pelvic control, sleeve suspension, neoprene or equal, each	2 per 6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5696	Addition to lower extremity, above knee or knee disarticulation, pelvic joint	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5697	Addition to lower extremity, above knee or knee disarticulation, pelvic band	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5698	Addition to lower extremity, above knee or knee disarticulation, Silesian bandage	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5699	All lower extremity prostheses, shoulder harness	1 per year all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5700	Replacement, socket, below knee, molded to patient model	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5701	Replacement, socket, above knee/knee disarticulation, including attachment plate, molded to patient model	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5702	Replacement, socket, hip disarticulation, including hip joint, molded to patient model	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5703	Ankle, Symes, molded to patient model, socket without solid ankle cushion heel (SACH) foot, replacement only	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5704	Custom shaped protective cover, below knee	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5705	Custom shaped protective cover, above knee	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5706	Custom shaped protective cover, knee disarticulation	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO

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L5707	Custom shaped protective cover, hip disarticulation	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5710	Addition, exoskeletal knee-shin system, single axis, manual lock	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5711	Addition, exoskeletal knee-shin system, single axis, manual lock, ultra-light material	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5712	Addition, exoskeletal knee-shin system, single axis, friction swing and stance phase control (safety knee)	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5714	Addition, exoskeletal knee-shin system, single axis, variable friction swing phase control	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5716	Addition, exoskeletal knee-shin system, polycentric, mechanical stance phase lock	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5718	Addition, exoskeletal knee-shin system, polycentric, friction swing and stance phase control	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5722	Addition, exoskeletal knee-shin system, single axis, pneumatic swing, friction stance phase control	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5724	Addition, exoskeletal knee-shin system, single axis, fluid swing phase control	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5726	Addition, exoskeletal knee-shin system, single axis, external joints, fluid swing phase control	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO

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L5728	Addition, exoskeletal knee-shin system, single axis, fluid swing and stance phase control	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5780	Addition, exoskeletal knee-shin system, single axis, pneumatic/hydra pneumatic swing phase control	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5781	Addition to lower limb prosthesis, vacuum pump, residual limb volume management and moisture evacuation system	3 years all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5782	Addition to lower limb prosthesis, vacuum pump, residual limb volume management and moisture evacuation system, heavy duty	3 years all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5785	Addition, exoskeletal system, below knee, ultra-light material (titanium, carbon fiber or equal)	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5790	Addition, exoskeletal system, above knee, ultra-light material (titanium, carbon fiber or equal)	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5795	Addition, exoskeletal system, hip disarticulation, ultralight material (titanium, carbon fiber or equal)	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5810	Addition, endo-skeletal knee-shin system, single axis, manual lock	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5811	Addition, endo-skeletal knee-shin system, single axis, manual lock, ultra-light material	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5812	Addition, endo-skeletal knee-shin system, single axis, friction swing and stance phase control (safety knee)	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5814	Addition, endo-skeletal knee-shin system, polycentric, hydraulic swing phase control, mechanical stance phase lock	1 year: ages 0–20;	CP, BOCP, CPO

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		3 years ages 21 and older	
L5816	Addition, endo-skeletal knee-shin system, polycentric, mechanical stance phase lock	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5818	Addition, endo-skeletal knee-shin system, polycentric, friction swing and stance phase control	3 years all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5822	Addition, endo-skeletal knee-shin system, single axis, pneumatic swing, friction stance phase control	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5824	Addition, endo-skeletal knee-shin system, single axis, fluid swing phase control	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5826	Addition, endo-skeletal knee-shin system, single axis, hydraulic swing phase control, with miniature high activity frame	3 years all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5828	Addition, endo-skeletal knee-shin system, single axis, fluid swing and stance phase control	3 years all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5830	Addition, endo-skeletal knee-shin system, single axis, pneumatic/swing phase control	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5840	Addition, endo-skeletal knee-shin system, 4-bar linkage or multiaxial, pneumatic swing phase control	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5845	Addition, endo-skeletal knee-shin system, stance flexion feature, adjustable	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5848	Addition to endo-skeletal knee-shin system, fluid stance extension, dampening feature, with or without adjustability	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5850	Addition, endo-skeletal system, above knee or hip disarticulation, knee extension assist	1 year: ages 0–20;	CP, BOCP, CPO

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		3 years ages 21 and older	
L5855	Addition, endo-skeletal system, hip disarticulation, mechanical hip extension assist	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5910	Addition, endo-skeletal system, below knee, alignable system	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5920	Addition, endo-skeletal system, above knee or hip disarticulation, alignable system	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5925	Addition, endo-skeletal system, above knee, knee disarticulation or hip disarticulation, manual lock	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5930	Addition, endo-skeletal system, high activity knee control frame	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5940	Addition, endo-skeletal system, below knee, ultra-light material (titanium, carbon fiber or equal)	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5950	Addition, endo-skeletal system, above knee, ultra-light material (titanium, carbon fiber or equal)	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5960	Addition, endo-skeletal system, hip disarticulation, ultralight material (titanium, carbon fiber or equal)	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5961	Addition, endo-skeletal system, polycentric hip joint, pneumatic or hydraulic control, rotation control, with or without flexion and or extension control	1 year: ages 0–20 3 years: ages 21and older	CP, BOCP, CPO

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L5962	Addition, endo-skeletal system, below knee, flexible protective outer surface covering system	1 year all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5964	Addition, endo-skeletal system, above knee, flexible protective outer surface covering system	1 year all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5966	Addition, endo-skeletal system, hip disarticulation, flexible protective outer surface covering system	1 year all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5968	Addition to lower limb prosthesis, multiaxial ankle with swing phase active dorsiflexion feature	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5970	All lower extremity prostheses, foot, external keel, SACH foot	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5971	All lower extremity prosthesis, solid ankle cushion heel (SACH) foot, replacement only	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5972	All lower extremity prostheses, foot, flexible keel	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5974	All lower extremity prostheses, foot, single axis ankle/foot	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5975	All lower extremity prosthesis, combination single axis ankle and flexible keel foot	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5976	All lower extremity prostheses, energy storing foot (Seattle Carbon Copy II or equal)	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5978	All lower extremity prostheses, foot, multiaxial ankle/foot	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO



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L5979	All lower extremity prostheses, multiaxial ankle, dynamic response foot, one piece system	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5980	All lower extremity prostheses, flex-foot system	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5981	All lower extremity prostheses, flex-walk system or equal	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5982	All exoskeletal lower extremity prostheses, axial rotation unit	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5984	All endo-skeletal lower extremity prosthesis, axial rotation unit, with or without adjustability	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
K1022	Addition to lower extremity prosthesis, endo-skeletal, knee disarticulation, above knee, hip disarticulation, positional rotation unit, any type	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5985	All endo-skeletal lower extremity prostheses, dynamic prosthetic pylon	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5986	All lower extremity prostheses, multiaxial rotation unit (MCP or equal)	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5987	All lower extremity prosthesis, shank foot system with vertical loading pylon	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L5988	Addition to lower limb prosthesis, vertical shock reducing pylon feature	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO

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L5999	Lower extremity prosthesis, not otherwise specified	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
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L6000	Partial hand, thumb remaining	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6010	Partial hand, little and/or ring finger remaining	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6020	Partial hand, no finger remaining	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6050	Wrist disarticulation, molded socket, flexible elbow hinges, triceps pad	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6055	Wrist disarticulation, molded socket with expandable interface, flexible elbow hinges, triceps pad	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6100	Below elbow, molded socket, flexible elbow hinge, triceps pad	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6110	Below elbow, molded socket (Muenster or Northwestern suspension types)	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO

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L6120	Below elbow, molded double wall split socket, step-up hinges, half cuff	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6130	Below elbow, molded double wall split socket, stump activated locking hinge, half cuff	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6200	Elbow disarticulation, molded socket, outside locking hinge, forearm	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6205	Elbow disarticulation, molded socket with expandable interface, outside locking hinge, forearm	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6250	Above elbow, molded double wall socket, internal locking elbow, forearm	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6300	Shoulder disarticulation, molded socket, shoulder bulkhead, humeral section, internal locking elbow, forearm	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6310	Shoulder disarticulation, passive restoration (complete prosthesis)	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6320	Shoulder disarticulation, passive restoration (shoulder cap only)	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6350	Interscapular thoracic, molded socket, shoulder bulkhead, humeral section, internal locking elbow, forearm	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6360	Interscapular thoracic, passive restoration (complete prosthesis)	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO

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L6370	Interscapular thoracic, passive restoration (shoulder cap only)	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6380	Immediate postsurgical or early fitting, application of initial rigid dressing, including fitting alignment and suspension of components, and one cast change, wrist disarticulation or below elbow	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6382	Immediate postsurgical or early fitting, application of initial rigid dressing including fitting alignment and suspension of components, and one cast change, elbow disarticulation or above elbow	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6384	Immediate postsurgical or early fitting, application of initial rigid dressing including fitting alignment and suspension of components, and one cast change, shoulder disarticulation or interscapular thoracic	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6386	Immediate postsurgical or early fitting, each additional cast change and realignment	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6388	Immediate postsurgical or early fitting, application of rigid dressing only	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6400	Below elbow, molded socket, endo-skeletal system, including soft prosthetic tissue shaping	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6450	Elbow disarticulation, molded socket, endo-skeletal system, including soft prosthetic tissue shaping	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6500	Above elbow, molded socket, endo-skeletal system, including soft prosthetic tissue shaping	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6550	Shoulder disarticulation, molded socket, endo-skeletal system, including soft prosthetic tissue shaping	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO

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L6570	Interscapular thoracic, molded socket, endo-skeletal system, including soft prosthetic tissue shaping	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6580	Preparatory, wrist disarticulation or below elbow, single wall plastic socket, friction wrist, flexible elbow hinges, figure of eight harness, humeral cuff, Bowden cable control, USMC or equal pylon, no cover, molded to patient model	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6582	Preparatory, wrist disarticulation or below elbow, single wall socket, friction wrist, flexible elbow hinges, figure of eight harness, humeral cuff, Bowden cable control, USMC or equal pylon, no cover, direct formed	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6584	Preparatory, elbow disarticulation or above elbow, single wall plastic socket, friction wrist, locking elbow, figure of eight harness, fair lead cable control, USMC or equal pylon, no cover, molded to patient model	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6586	Preparatory, elbow disarticulation or above elbow, single wall socket, friction wrist, locking elbow, figure of eight harness, fair lead cable control, USMC or equal pylon, no cover, direct formed	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6588	Preparatory, shoulder disarticulation or interscapular thoracic, single wall plastic socket, shoulder joint, locking elbow, friction wrist, chest strap, fair lead cable control, USMC or equal pylon, no cover, molded to patient model	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6590	Preparatory, shoulder disarticulation or interscapular thoracic, single wall socket, shoulder joint, locking elbow, friction wrist, chest strap, fair lead cable control, USMC or equal pylon, no cover, direct formed	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6600	Upper extremity additions, polycentric hinge, pair	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6605	Upper extremity additions, single pivot hinge, pair	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6610	Upper extremity additions, flexible metal hinge, pair	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6615	Upper extremity addition, disconnect locking wrist unit	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO

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L6616	Upper extremity addition, additional disconnect insert for locking wrist unit, each	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6620	Upper extremity addition, flexion/extension wrist unit, with or without friction	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6623	Upper extremity addition, spring assisted rotational wrist unit with latch release	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6624	Upper extremity addition, flexion/extension and rotation wrist unit	6 months: ages 0–20 3 years: ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6625	Upper extremity addition, rotation wrist unit with cable lock	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6628	Upper extremity addition, quick disconnect hook adapter, Otto Bock or equal	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6629	Upper extremity addition, quick disconnect lamination collar with coupling piece, Otto Bock or equal	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6630	Upper extremity addition, stainless steel, any wrist	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6632	Upper extremity addition, latex suspension sleeve, each	2 per 6 months, all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6635	Upper extremity addition, lift assist for elbow	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO

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L6637	Upper extremity addition, nudge control elbow lock	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6638	Upper extremity addition to prosthesis, electric locking feature only for use with manually powered elbow	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6640	Upper extremity additions, shoulder abduction joint, pair	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6641	Upper extremity addition, excursion amplifier, pulley type	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6642	Upper extremity addition, excursion amplifier, lever type	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6645	Upper extremity addition, shoulder flexion-abduction joint, each	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6646	Upper extremity addition, shoulder joint, multi-positional locking, flexion, adjustable abduction friction control, for use with body powered or external powered system	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6647	Upper extremity addition, shoulder lock mechanism, body powered actuator	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6650	Upper extremity addition, shoulder universal joint, each	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6655	Upper extremity addition, standard control cable, extra	2 per year, all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6660	Upper extremity addition, heavy duty control cable	2 per year, all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO

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L6665	Upper extremity addition, Teflon or equal, cable lining	2 per year, all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6670	Upper extremity addition, hook to hand, cable adapter	1 per year, all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6672	Upper extremity addition, harness, chest or shoulder, saddle type	1 per year, all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6675	Upper extremity addition, harness, (e.g., figure of eight type), single cable design	1 per year, all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6676	Upper extremity addition, harness, (e.g., figure of eight type), dual cable design	1 per year, all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6677	Upper extremity addition, harness, triple control, simultaneous operation of terminal device and elbow	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6680	Upper extremity addition, test socket, wrist disarticulation or below elbow	2 per 6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6682	Upper extremity addition, test socket, elbow disarticulation or above elbow	2 per 6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6684	Upper extremity addition, test socket, shoulder disarticulation or interscapular thoracic	2 per 6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6686	Upper extremity addition, suction socket	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6687	Upper extremity addition, frame type socket, below elbow or wrist disarticulation	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6688	Upper extremity addition, frame type socket, above elbow or elbow disarticulation	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6689	Upper extremity addition, frame type socket, shoulder disarticulation	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6690	Upper extremity addition, frame type socket, interscapular-thoracic	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6691	Upper extremity addition, removable insert, each	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6692	Upper extremity addition, silicone gel insert or equal, each	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO



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L6693	Upper extremity addition, locking elbow, forearm counterbalance	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6694	Addition to upper extremity prosthesis, below elbow/above elbow, custom fabricated from existing mold or prefabricated, socket insert, silicone gel, elastomeric or equal, for use with locking mechanism	2 per 6 months	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6695	Addition to upper extremity prosthesis, below elbow/above elbow, custom fabricated from existing mold or prefabricated, socket insert, silicone gel, elastomeric or equal, not for use with locking mechanism	2 per 6 months	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6696	Addition to upper extremity prosthesis, below elbow/above elbow, custom fabricated socket insert for congenital or atypical traumatic amputee, silicone gel, elastomeric or equal, for use with or without locking mechanism, initial only (for other than initial, use code L6694 or L6695)	2 per year: ages 0– 20; 1 year ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6697	Addition to upper extremity prosthesis, below elbow/above elbow, custom fabricated socket insert for other than congenital or atypical traumatic amputee, silicone gel, elastomeric or equal, for use with or without locking mechanism, initial only (for other than initial, use code L6694 or L6695)	2 per year: ages 0– 20; 1 year ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6698	Addition to upper extremity prosthesis, below elbow/above elbow, lock mechanism, excludes socket insert	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6703	Terminal device, passive hand/mitt, any material, any size	1 year: ages 0–20 3 years: ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6704	Terminal device, sport/recreational/work attachment, any material, any size	1 year: ages 0–20 3 years: ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6706	Terminal device, hook, mechanical, voluntary opening, any material, any size, lined or unlined	1 year: ages 0–20 3 years: ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6707	Terminal device, hook, mechanical, voluntary closing, any material, any size, lined or unlined	1 year: ages 0–20	CP, BOCP, CPO

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L6708	Terminal device, hand, mechanical, voluntary opening, any material, any size	1 year: ages 0–20 3 years: ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6709	Terminal device, hand, mechanical, voluntary closing, any material, any size	1 year: ages 0–20 3 years: ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6711	Terminal device, hook, mechanical, voluntary opening, any material, any size, lined or unlined, pediatric	1 year: ages 0–20	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6712	Terminal device, hook, mechanical, voluntary closing, any material, any size, lined or unlined, pediatric	1 year: ages 0–20	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6713	Terminal device, hand, mechanical, voluntary opening, any material, any size, pediatric	1 year: ages 0–20	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6714	Terminal device, hand, mechanical, voluntary closing, any material, any size, pediatric	1 year: ages 0–20	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6721	Terminal device, hook or hand, heavy duty, mechanical, voluntary opening, any material, any size, lined or unlined	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6722	Terminal device, hook or hand, heavy duty, mechanical, voluntary closing, any material, any size, lined or unlined	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6805	Addition to terminal device, modifier wrist unit	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6810	Addition to terminal device, precision pinch device	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6883	Replacement socket, below elbow/wrist disarticulation, molded to patient model, for use with or without external power	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6884	Replacement socket, above elbow/elbow disarticulation, molded to patient model, for use with or without external power	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO

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L6885	Replacement socket, shoulder disarticulation/interscapular thoracic, molded to patient model, for use with or without external power	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6890	Addition to upper extremity prosthesis, glove for terminal device, any material, prefabricated, includes fitting and adjustment	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6900	Hand restoration (casts, shading and measurements included), partial hand, with glove, thumb or one finger remaining	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6905	Hand restoration (casts, shading and measurements included), partial hand, with glove, multiple fingers remaining	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6910	Hand restoration (casts, shading and measurements included), partial hand, with glove, no fingers remaining	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L6915	Hand restoration (shading and measurements included), replacement glove for above	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L7400	Addition to upper extremity prosthesis, below elbow/wrist disarticulation, ultra-light material (titanium, carbon fiber or equal)	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L7401	Addition to upper extremity prosthesis, above elbow disarticulation, ultra-light material (titanium, carbon fiber or equal)	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L7402	Addition to upper extremity prosthesis, shoulder disarticulation/interscapular thoracic, ultralight material (titanium, carbon fiber or equal)	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L7403	Addition to upper extremity prosthesis, below elbow/wrist disarticulation, acrylic material	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L7404	Addition to upper extremity prosthesis, above elbow disarticulation, acrylic material	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO

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L7405	Addition to upper extremity prosthesis, shoulder disarticulation/interscapular thoracic, acrylic material	6 months all ages	CP, BOCP, CPO
L7499	Upper extremity prosthesis, not otherwise specified	1 year: ages 0–20; 3 years ages 21 and older	CP, BOCP, CPO
L7600	Prosthetic donning sleeve, any material, each	4 per year	CP, BOCP, CPO

<b>Replacement and Repair</b>			
<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Lifetime Expectancies and Quantity Limitations</b>	<b>Required Provider Certification</b>
K0672	Addition to lower extremity orthotic, removable soft interface, all components, replacement only, each	6 months: ages 0– 20; 1 year: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L4000	Replace girdle for spinal orthosis (CTLSO or SO)	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L4002	Replacement strap, any orthosis, includes all components, any length, any type	4 per 3 months for ages 0–20; 6 months for 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L4010	Replace trilateral socket brim	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L4020	Replace quadrilateral socket brim, molded to patient model	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L4030	Replace quadrilateral socket brim, custom fitted	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO

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L4040	Replace molded thigh lacer, for custom fabricated orthosis only	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L4045	Replace non-molded thigh lacer, for custom fabricated orthosis only	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L4050	Replace molded calf lacer, for custom fabricated orthosis only	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L4055	Replace non-molded calf lacer, for custom fabricated orthosis only	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L4060	Replace high roll cuff	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L4070	Replace proximal and distal upright for KAFO	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L4080	Replace metal bands KAFO, proximal thigh	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L4090	Replace metal bands KAFO-AFO, calf or distal thigh	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L4100	Replace leather cuff KAFO, proximal thigh	6 months: ages 0–20; 2 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L4110	Replace leather cuff, KAFO-AFO, calf or distal thigh	6 months: ages 0–20; 2 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO

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L4130	Replace pretibial shell	6 months: ages 0–20; 3 years: ages 21 and older	CO, BOCO, CPO
L4205	Repair of orthotic device, labor component, per 15 minutes	NA	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L4210	Repair of orthotic device, repair or replace minor parts	NA	CO, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L7510	Repair prosthetic device, repair or replace minor parts	NA	CP, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM
L7520	Repair prosthetic device, labor component, per 15 minutes	NA	CP, BOCO, CPO, C.Ped., BOCPD, DPM

<b>Elastic Supports</b>			
<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Lifetime Expectancies and Quantity Limitations</b>	<b>Required Provider Certification</b>
A6530	Gradient compression stocking, below knee, 18-30 mm Hg, each	4 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, CFo, COF, CFm, CMF, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
A6531	Gradient compression stocking, below knee, 30-40 mm Hg, each	4 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, CFo, COF, CFm, CMF, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM

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A6532	Gradient compression stocking, below knee, 40-50 mm Hg, each	4 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, COF, CFo, CFm, CMF, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
A6533	Gradient compression stocking, thigh length, 18-30 mm Hg, each	4 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, COF, CFo, CFm, CMF, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
A6534	Gradient compression stocking, thigh length, 30-40 mm Hg, each	4 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, COF, CFo, CFm, CMF, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
A6535	Gradient compression stocking, thigh length, 40-50 mm Hg, each	4 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, COF, CFo, CFm, CMF, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
A6536	Gradient compression stocking, full length/chap style, 18-30 mm Hg, each	4 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, COF, CFo, CFm, CMF, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
A6537	Gradient compression stocking, full length/chap style, 30-40 mm Hg, each	4 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, COF, CFo, CFm, CMF, MD,

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			DO, PA, NP, DPM
A6538	Gradient compression stocking, full length/chap style, 40-50 mm Hg, each	4 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, COF, CFo, CFm, CMF, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
A6539	Gradient compression stocking, waist length, 18-30 mm Hg, each	4 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, COF, CFo, CFm, CMF, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
A6540	Gradient compression stocking, waist length, 30-40 mm Hg, each	4 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, COF, CFo, CFm, CMF, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
A6541	Gradient compression stocking, waist length, 40-50 mm Hg, each	4 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, COF, CFo, CFm, CMF, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
A6544	Gradient compression stocking, garter belt	4 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, COF, CFo, CFm, CMF, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
A6545	Gradient compression wrap, non-elastic, below knee, 30-50 mm Hg, each	4 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, COF,



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			CFo, CFm, CMF, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM
A6549	Gradient compression stocking/sleeve, not otherwise specified	4 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, COF, CFo, CFm, CMF, MD, DO, PA, NP, DPM

<b>Trusses</b>			
<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Lifetime Expectancies and Quantity Limitations</b>	<b>Required Provider Certification</b>
L8300	Truss, single with standard pad	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, COF, CFo
L8310	Truss, double with standard pads	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, COF, CFo
L8320	Truss, addition to standard pad, water pad	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, COF, CFo
L8330	Truss, addition to standard pad, scrotal pad	2 per year	CO, BOCO, CP, BOCP, CPO, COF, CFo

<b>Prosthetic Socks</b>			
<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Lifetime Expectancies and Quantity Limitations</b>	<b>Required Provider Certification</b>

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L8400	Prosthetic sheath, below knee, each	12 per year	CP, BOCP, CPO
L8410	Prosthetic sheath, above knee, each	12 per year	CP, BOCP, CPO
L8415	Prosthetic sheath, upper limb, each	12 per year	CP, BOCP, CPO
L8417	Prosthetic sheath/sock, including a gel cushion layer, below knee or above knee, each	6 per year	CP, BOCP, CPO
L8420	Prosthetic sock, multiple ply, below knee, each	6 per year	CP, BOCP, CPO
L8430	Prosthetic sock, multiple ply, above knee, each	6 per year	CP, BOCP, CPO
L8435	Prosthetic sock, multiple ply, upper limb, each	6 per year	CP, BOCP, CPO
L8440	Prosthetic shrinker, below knee, each	4 per year	CP, BOCP, CPO
L8460	Prosthetic shrinker, above knee, each	4 per year	CP, BOCP, CPO
L8465	Prosthetic shrinker, upper limb, each	4 per year	CP, BOCP, CPO
L8470	Prosthetic sock, single ply, fitting, below knee, each	12 per year	CP, BOCP, CPO
L8480	Prosthetic sock, single ply, fitting, above knee, each	12 per year	CP, BOCP, CPO
L8485	Prosthetic sock, single ply, fitting, upper limb, each	12 per year	CP, BOCP, CPO
L8499	Unlisted procedure for miscellaneous prosthetic services	NA	CP, BOCP, CPO

<b>External Breast Prostheses</b>			
<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Lifetime Expectancies and Quantity Limitations</b>	<b>Required Provider Certification</b>
A4280	Adhesive skin support attachment for use with external breast prosthesis, each	1 package of 5 per month	CMF, CFm

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L8000	Breast prosthesis, mastectomy bra, without integrated breast prosthesis form, any size, any type	6 per year	CMF, CFm
L8001	Breast prosthesis, mastectomy bra, with integrated breast prosthesis form, unilateral, any size, any type	2 per 6 months	CMF, CFm
L8002	Breast prosthesis, mastectomy bra, with integrated breast prosthesis form, bilateral, any size, any type	2 per 6 months	CMF, CFm
L8010	Breast prosthesis, mastectomy sleeve	2 per year, all ages	CMF, CFm
L8015	External breast prosthesis garment, with mastectomy form, post-mastectomy	2 per 6 months with max. limit of 6 per lifetime	CMF, CFm
L8020	Breast prosthesis, mastectomy form	2 per year	CMF, CFm
L8030	Breast prosthesis, silicone or equal, without integral adhesive	2 years	CMF, CFm

<b>Ocular Prostheses</b>			
<b>Code</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Lifetime Expectancies and Quantity Limitations</b>	<b>Required Provider Certification</b>
V2623	Prosthetic eye, plastic, custom	2 years: ages 0–20; 5 years: ages 21 and older	BCO, CCA
V2624	Polishing/resurfacing of ocular prosthesis	2 per year	BCO, CCA
V2625	Enlargement of ocular prosthesis	18 months: ages 0-5; 3 years: ages 6 and older	BCO, CCA
V2626	Reduction of ocular prosthesis	2 years: ages 0–20; 5 years: ages 21 and older	BCO, CCA

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V2627	Scleral cover shell	2 years: ages 0–20; 5 years: ages 21 and older	BCO, CCA
V2628	Fabrication and fitting of ocular conformer	6 per year, ages 0-2; 2 years: ages 3 and older	BCO, CCA

**ICD-10-CM Diagnosis Codes that Support Coverage Criteria**

+ Indicates a code(s) requiring an additional character

ICD-10-CM Code	Description
Please see <a href="https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/providers/clinical-coverage-policies/medical-equipment-clinical-coverage-policies">https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/providers/clinical-coverage-policies/medical-equipment-clinical-coverage-policies</a> for a list of applicable codes.	

Reviews, Revisions, and Approvals	Reviewed Date	Approval Date
Original approval date	04/21	06/21
Removed prior authorization delineation.	10/21	10/21
Added additional criteria to Sections IV.A.4 and IV.O. Added definitions for Provider Certifications. Required Provider Certification credentials updated for all HCPCS codes. Added the following HCPCS codes: L0455, L0457, L0467, L0469, L0649, L0650, L1812, L1833, L1848, L3809, L3916, L3918, L3924, L3930, L4361, L4387, L4397.	02/22	05/22
Criteria II.D. Added “doctors of podiatric medicine (DPMs)” to Subsection 3.2.1d, so that it now reads, “Medical doctors (MDs), doctors of osteopathic medicine (DOs), doctors of podiatric medicine (DPMs), physician assistants (PAs) and nurse practitioners (NPs) may provide certain orthotic and prosthetic devices when the devices are part of the beneficiary’s current care and treatment. These professionals may provide devices as indicated in the Required Provider Certification column, below.” Criteria II.E. added verbiage “Refer to tables, which includes the Required Professional Certification for Orthotic and Prosthetic Devices.” Criteria IV.A.4. added verbiage “Note: There is no separate payment for the fitting of, certification of need for, or prescription for the shoes, inserts, or modifications.” Criteria IV.F.4 added verbiage “Note: Knee orthoses are not provided solely for use during sports-related activities.” Criteria IV.G.3. added verbiage “L-coded additions to AFOs and KAFOs will be denied as not medically necessary if either the base orthosis is not medically necessary, or the specific addition is not medically necessary.” Added verbiage “DPM – Doctor of Podiatric Medicine,” under “The following board-certified provider(s) may be reimbursed for orthotic and prosthetic service.” Deleted CPT code	11/22	11/22

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<p>L0430 Spinal orthotic, anterior-posterior-lateral control, with interface material, custom fitted (DeWall Posture Protector only) . Added HCPCS K1022 “Addition to lower extremity prosthesis, endo-skeletal, knee disarticulation, above knee, hip disarticulation, positional rotation unit, any type.” Required Provider Certification credentials updated for all HCPCS codes. HCPCS L2755, changed the Lifetime Expectancy from “6 months: ages 0-20; per 3 years: ages 21 and older” to now read, “4 per 6 months: ages 0-20; 4 per 3 years: ages 21 and older”. HCPCS codes L5618, L5620, L5622, L5624, L5626, L5628, L5695, L6680, L6682, and L6684, changed the Lifetime Expectancy from “6 months all ages” to now read, “2 per 6 months all ages”. Lifetime Expectancy and Quantity Limitations column - changed all references to the following, “ages 21-115” to now read, “ages 21 and older”.</p>		
<p>NCHC verbiage removed from NC Guidance Verbiage.</p>	<p>04/23</p>	<p>04/23</p>
<p>Annual Review. CPT &amp; HCPCS code reviewed.</p>	<p>08/23</p>	<p>08/23</p>

**References**

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**North Carolina Guidance**

*Eligibility Requirements*

- a. An eligible beneficiary shall be enrolled in the NC Medicaid Program (Medicaid is NC Medicaid program, unless context clearly indicates otherwise);
- b. Provider(s) shall verify each Medicaid beneficiary’s eligibility each time a service is rendered.
- c. The Medicaid beneficiary may have service restrictions due to their eligibility category that would make them ineligible for this service.

*EPSDT Special Provision: Exception to Policy Limitations for a Medicaid Beneficiary under 21 Years of Age*

- a. 42 U.S.C. § 1396d(r) [1905(r) of the Social Security Act]  
Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnostic, and Treatment (EPSDT) is a federal Medicaid requirement that requires the state Medicaid agency to cover services, products, or procedures for Medicaid beneficiary under 21 years of age if the service is medically necessary health care to correct or ameliorate a defect, physical or mental illness, or a condition [health problem] identified through a screening examination (includes any evaluation by a physician or other licensed practitioner).

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This means EPSDT covers most of the medical or remedial care a child needs to improve or maintain his or her health in the best condition possible, compensate for a health problem, prevent it from worsening, or prevent the development of additional health problems.

Medically necessary services will be provided in the most economic mode, as long as the treatment made available is similarly efficacious to the service requested by the beneficiary's physician, therapist, or other licensed practitioner; the determination process does not delay the delivery of the needed service; and the determination does not limit the beneficiary's right to a free choice of providers.

EPSDT does not require the state Medicaid agency to provide any service, product or procedure:

1. that is unsafe, ineffective, or experimental or investigational.
2. that is not medical in nature or not generally recognized as an accepted method of medical practice or treatment.

Service limitations on scope, amount, duration, frequency, location of service, and other specific criteria described in clinical coverage policies may be exceeded or may not apply as long as the provider's documentation shows that the requested service is medically necessary "to correct or ameliorate a defect, physical or mental illness, or a condition" [health problem]; that is, provider documentation shows how the service, product, or procedure meets all EPSDT criteria, including to correct or improve or maintain the beneficiary's health in the best condition possible, compensate for a health problem, prevent it from worsening, or prevent the development of additional health problems.

#### **EPSDT and Prior Approval Requirements**

1. If the service, product, or procedure requires prior approval, the fact that the beneficiary is under 21 years of age does NOT eliminate the requirement for prior approval.
2. **IMPORTANT ADDITIONAL INFORMATION** about EPSDT and prior approval is found in the *NCTracks Provider Claims and Billing Assistance Guide*, and on the EPSDT provider page. The Web addresses are specified below:

*NCTracks Provider Claims and Billing Assistance Guide:*

<https://www.nctracks.nc.gov/content/public/providers/provider-manuals.html>

*EPSDT provider page:* <https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/>

#### *Provider(s) Eligible to Bill for the Procedure, Product, or Service*

To be eligible to bill for the procedure, product, or service related to this policy, the provider(s) shall:

- a. meet Medicaid qualifications for participation;
- b. have a current and signed Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) Provider Administrative Participation Agreement; and
- c. bill only for procedures, products, and services that are within the scope of their clinical practice, as defined by the appropriate licensing entity.

#### *Compliance*

Provider(s) shall comply with the following in effect at the time the service is rendered:

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- a. All applicable agreements, federal, state and local laws and regulations including the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) and record retention requirements; and
- b. All NC Medicaid's clinical (medical) coverage policies, guidelines, policies, provider manuals, implementation updates, and bulletins published by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), DHHS, DHHS division(s) or fiscal contractor(s).

#### *Claims-Related Information*

Provider(s) shall comply with the NC Tracks Provider Claims and Billing Assistance Guide, Medicaid bulletins, fee schedules, NC Medicaid's clinical coverage policies and any other relevant documents for specific coverage and reimbursement for Medicaid:

- a. Claim Type - as applicable to the service provided:
  - Professional (CMS-1500/837P transaction)
  - Institutional (UB-04/837I transaction)Unless directed otherwise, Institutional Claims must be billed according to the National Uniform Billing Guidelines. All claims must comply with National Coding Guidelines.
- b. International Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, Tenth Revisions, Clinical Modification (ICD-10-CM) and Procedural Coding System (PCS) - Provider(s) shall report the ICD-10-CM and Procedural Coding System (PCS) to the highest level of specificity that supports medical necessity. Provider(s) shall use the current ICD-10 edition and any subsequent editions in effect at the time of service. Provider(s) shall refer to the applicable edition for code description, as it is no longer documented in the policy.
- c. Code(s) - Provider(s) shall report the most specific billing code that accurately and completely describes the procedure, product or service provided. Provider(s) shall use the Current Procedural Terminology (CPT), Health Care Procedure Coding System (HCPCS), and UB-04 Data Specifications Manual (for a complete listing of valid revenue codes) and any subsequent editions in effect at the time of service. Provider(s) shall refer to the applicable edition for the code description, as it is no longer documented in the policy. If no such specific CPT or HCPCS code exists, then the provider(s) shall report the procedure, product or service using the appropriate unlisted procedure or service code.

#### *Unlisted Procedure or Service*

CPT: The provider(s) shall refer to and comply with the Instructions for Use of the CPT Codebook, Unlisted Procedure or Service, and Special Report as documented in the current CPT in effect at the time of service.

HCPCS: The provider(s) shall refer to and comply with the Instructions For Use of HCPCS National Level II codes, Unlisted Procedure or Service and Special Report as documented in the current HCPCS edition in effect at the time of service

- d. Modifiers - Providers shall follow applicable modifier guidelines.
- e. Billing Units - Provider(s) shall report the appropriate code(s) used which determines the billing unit(s).
- f. Co-payments -  
For Medicaid refer to Medicaid State Plan:  
<https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/get-involved/nc-health-choice-state-plan>

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- g. Reimbursement - Provider(s) shall bill their usual and customary charges. For a schedule of rates, refer to: <https://medicaid.ncdhhs.gov/>.

#### **Important Reminder**

This clinical policy has been developed by appropriately experienced and licensed health care professionals based on a review and consideration of currently available generally accepted standards of medical practice; peer-reviewed medical literature; government agency/program approval status; evidence-based guidelines and positions of leading national health professional organizations; views of physicians practicing in relevant clinical areas affected by this clinical policy; and other available clinical information. The Health Plan makes no representations and accepts no liability with respect to the content of any external information used or relied upon in developing this clinical policy. This clinical policy is consistent with standards of medical practice current at the time that this clinical policy was approved. “Health Plan” means a health plan that has adopted this clinical policy and that is operated or administered, in whole or in part, by Centene Management Company, LLC, or any of such health plan’s affiliates, as applicable.

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