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TO: DURABLE MEDICAL EQUIPMENT PROVIDERS (DME)

**SUBJECT: Reimbursement Updates and Changes** 

The South Carolina Department of Health and Human Services/Durable Medical Equipment (DME) fee schedule is updated to reflect codes and reimbursement changes, as applicable. The following codes have been **priced** and are effective with dates of service beginning **January 1**, **2007**. In the column titled "Price" the letter "M" is used to indicate that the item is manually priced. In the column titled "MCMN" (Medicaid Certificate of Medical Necessity) a single asterisk (\*) indicates that the MCMN must be attached to the CMS-1500 claim form. In the column titled "Prior authorization" a single asterisk (\*) indicates prior approval is required prior to billing.

Procedure	Description	Mod	Price	MCMN	Unit	Mo/	Prior
Code						Year	Authorization
A8000	Helmet, protective, soft, prefabricated, includes all components and accessories	NU	132.22	*	1	1 Yr	
A8001	Helmet, protective, hard, prefabricated, includes all components and accessories	NU	138.02	*	1	1 Yr	
A8002	Helmet, protective, soft, custom fabricated, includes all components and accessories	NU	M	*	1	1 Yr	
A8003	Helmet, protective, hard, custom fabricated, includes all components and accessories	NU	М	*	1	1 Yr	
A8004	Soft interface for helmet, replacement only	NU	M	*	1	1 Yr	
E2373	Power wheelchair accessory, hand or chin control interface, mini-proportional, compact, or short throw remote joystick or touchpad, proportional, including all related electronics and fixed mounting hardware.	NU	M		1	1	*
E2373	Power wheelchair accessory, hand or chin control interface, mini-proportional, compact, or short throw remote joystick or touchpad, proportional, including all related electronics and fixed hardeware.	UE	M		1	1	*
E2373	Power wheelchair accessory, hand or chin control interface,	LL	M		1	10	*

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	mini-proportional, compact, or short throw remote joystick or touchpad, proportional, including all related electronics and fixed mounting hardware.						
E2374	Power wheelchair accessory, hand or chin control interface, standard remote joystick (not including controller), proportional, including all related electronics and fixed mounting hardware, replacement only.	N N	152.43		1	1	*
E2374	Power wheelchair accessory, hand or chin control interface, standard remote joystick (not including controller), proportional, including all related electronics and fixed mounting hardware, replacement only	UE	114.33		1	1	*
E2374	Power wheelchair accessory, hand or chin control interface, standard remote joystick (not including controller), proportional, including all related electronics and fixed mounting hardware, replacement only	LL	15.24		1	10	*
E2375	Power wheelchair accessory, non-expandable controller, including all related electronics and mounting hardware, replacement only.	NU	770.91		1	1	*
E2375	Power wheelchair accessory, non-expandable controller, including all related electronics and mounting hardware, replacement only.	UE	578.19		1	1	*
E2375	Power wheelchair accessory, non-expandable controller, including all related electronics and mounting hardware, replacement only.	LL	77.09		1	10	*
E2376	Power wheelchair accessory, expandable controller, including all related electronics and mounting hardware, replacement only.	NU	1208.05		1	1	*
E2376	Power wheelchair accessory, expandable controller,	UE	906.04		1	1	*

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	including all related electronics and mounting hardware, replacement only.					, car	7 totalon Zation
E2376	Power wheelchair accessory, expandable controller, including all related electronics and mounting hardware, replacement only.	LL	120.81		1	10	*
E2377	Power wheelchair accessory, expandable controller, including all related electronics and mounting hardware, upgrade provided at initial issue.	NU	437.14		1	1	*
E2377	Power wheelchair accessory, expandable controller, including all related electronics and mounting hardware, upgrade provided at initial issue.	LL	43.71		1	1	*
E2377	Power wheelchair accessory, expandable controller, including all related electronics and mounting hardware, upgrade provided at initial issue.	UE	327.86		1	1	*
E2381	Power wheelchair accessory, pneumatic drive wheel tire, any size, replacement only, each	NU	68.56		4	1	
E2381	Power wheelchair accessory, pneumatic drive wheel tire, any size, replacement only, each.	LL	6.87		4	10	
E2381	Power wheelchair accessory, pneumatic drive wheel tire, any size, replacement only, each.	UE	51.43		4	1	
E2382	Power wheelchair accessory, tube for pneumatic drive wheel tire, any size, replacement only, each.	NU	18.69		4	1	
E2382	Power wheelchair accessory, tube for pneumatic drive wheel tire, any size, replacement only, each.	LL	1.86		4	10	
E2382	Power wheelchair accessory, tube for pneumatic drive wheel tire, any size, replacement only, each.	UE	14.01		4	1	
E2383	Power wheelchair accessory, insert for pneumatic drive	NU	136.69		4	1	

Procedure	Description	Mod	Price	MCMN	Unit	Mo/	Prior
Code	wheel tire (removable), any					Year	Authorization
	type, any size, replacement only, each.						
E2383	Power wheelchair accessory, insert for pneumatic drive wheel tire (removable), any type, any size, replacement only, each.	LL	13.67		4	10	
E2383	Power wheelchair accessory, insert for pneumatic drive wheel tire (removable), any type, any size, replacement only, each.	UE	105.52		4	1	
E2384	Power wheelchair accessory, pneumatic caster tire, any size, replacement only, each.	NU	72.82		4	1	
E2384	Power wheelchair accessory, pneumatic caster tire, any size, replacement only, each.	LL	7.30		4	10	
E2384	Power wheelchair accessory, pneumatic caster tire, any size, replacement only, each.	UE	54.61		4	1	
E2385	Power wheelchair accessory, tube for pneumatic caster tire, any size, replacement only, each.	NU	44.55		4	1	
E2385	Power wheelchair accessory, tube for pneumatic caster tire, any size, replacement only, each.	LL	4.46		4	10	
E2385	Power wheelchair accessory, tube for pneumatic caster tire, any size, replacement only, each.	UE	33.40		4	1	
E2386	Power wheelchair accessory, foam filled drive wheel tire, any size, replacement only, each.	NU	135.46		4	1	
E2386	Power wheelchair accessory, foam filled drive wheel tire, any size, replacement only, each.	LL	13.55		4	10	
E2386	Power wheelchair accessory, foam filled drive wheel tire, any size, replacement only, each.	UE	101.58		4	1	
E2387	Power wheelchair accessory, foam filled caster tire, any size, replacement only, each.	NU	60.74		4	1	
E2387	Power wheelchair accessory, foam filled caster tire, any	LL	6.08		4	10	

Procedure Code	Description	Mod	Price	MCMN	Unit	Mo/ Year	Prior Authorization
	size, replacement only, each.						
E2387	Power wheelchair accessory, foam filled caster tire, any size, replacement only, each.	UE	45.59		4	1	
E2388	Power wheelchair accessory, foam drive wheel tire, any size, replacement only, each.	NU	45.36		4	1	
E2388	Power wheelchair accessory, foam drive wheel tire, any size, replacement only, each.	LL	4.54		4	10	
E2388	Power wheelchair accessory, foam drive wheel tire, any size, replacement only, each.	UE	34.02		4	1	
E2389	Power wheelchair accessory, foam caster tire, any size, replacement only, each.	NU	24.63		4	1	
E2389	Power wheelchair accessory, foam caster tire, any size, replacement only, each.	LL	2.46		4	10	
E2389	Power wheelchair accessory, foam caster tire, any size, replacement only, each.	UE	18.48		4	1	
E2390	Power wheelchair accessory, solid (rubber/plastic) drive wheel tire, any size, replacement only, each.	NU	38.52		4	1	
E2390	Power wheelchair accessory, solid (rubber/plastic) drive wheel tire, any size, replacement only, each.	UE	28.89		4	1	
E2390	Power wheelchair accessory, solid (rubber/plastic) drive wheel tire, any size, replacement only, each.	LL	3.85		4	10	
E2391	Power wheelchair accessory, solid (rubber/plastic) caster tire with integrated wheel, any size, replacement only, each.	NU	18.45		4	1	
E2391	Power wheelchair accessory, solid (rubber/plastic) caster tire with integrated wheel, any size, replacement only, each.	LL	1.85		4	10	
E2391	Power wheelchair accessory, solid (rubber/plastic) caster tire with integrated wheel, any size, replacement only, each.	UE	13.84		4	1	
E2392	Power wheelchair accessory, solid (rubber/plastic) caster tire with integrated wheel, any	NU	М	*	4	1	

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E2392	size, replacement only, each.  Power wheelchair accessory, solid (rubber/plastic) caster tire with integrated wheel, any size, replacement only, each.	LL	M	*	4	10	
E2392	Power wheelchair accessory, solid (rubber/plastic) caster tire with integrated wheel, any size, replacement only, each.	UE	М	*	4	1	
E2393	Power wheelchair accessory, valve for pneumatic tire tube, any type, replacement only, each.	NU	М	*	4	1	
E2393	Power wheelchair accessory, valve for pneumatic tire tube, any type, replacement only, each.	LL	М	*	4	10	
E2393	Power wheelchair accessory, valve for pneumatic tire tube, any type, replacement only, each.	UE	М	*	4	1	
E2394	Power wheelchair accessory, valve for pneumatic tire tube, any type, replacement only, each.	NU	М	*	4	1	
E2394	Power wheelchair accessory, valve for pneumatic tire tube, any type, replacement only, each.	LL	М	*	4	10	
E2394	Power wheelchair accessory, valve for pneumatic tire tube, any type, replacement only, each.	UE	М	*	4	1	
E2395	Power wheelchair accessory, caster wheel excludes tire, any size, replacement only, each.	NU	М	*	4	1	
E2395	Power wheelchair accessory, caster wheel excludes tire, any size, replacement only, each.	LL	М	*	4	10	
E2395	Power wheelchair accessory, caster wheel excludes tire, any size, replacement only, each.	UE	М	*	4	1	
E2396	Power wheelchair accessory, caster fork, any size, replacement only, each.	NU	57.59		4	1	
E2396	Power wheelchair accessory, caster fork, any size, replacement only, each.	LL	5.76		4	10	

Procedure	Description	Mod	Price	MCMN	Unit	Mo/	Prior
Code			10.00		4	Year	Authorization
E2396	Power wheelchair accessory, caster fork, any size, replacement only, each.	UE	43.20		4	1	
L5994	Addition to lower extremity prosthesis, heavy duty feature, knee only, (For patient weight greater than 300 lbs)	00	M		2	Yr	
L6611	Addition to upper extremity prosthesis, external powered, additional switch, any type	00	M		2	Yr	
L6624	Upper extremity addition, flexion/extension and rotation wrist unit	00	M		2	Yr	
L6639	Upper extremity addition, heavy duty feature, any elbow	00	M		2	Yr	
L6703	Terminal device, passive hand/mitt, any material, any size	00	\$273.68		2	Yr	
L6704	Terminal device, sport, recreational/work attachment, any material, any size	00	\$440.90		2	Yr	
L6706	Terminal device, hook, mechanical, voluntary opening, any material, any size, lined or unlined	00	\$262.67		2	Yr	
L6707	Terminal device, hook, mechanical, voluntary, closing, any material, any size, lined or unlined	00	\$968.16		2	Yr	
L6708	Terminal device, hand, mechanical, voluntary opening, any material, any size	00	\$632.92		2	Yr	
L6709	Terminal device, hand, mechanical, voluntary closing, any material, any size	00	\$912.05		2	Yr	
L7007	Electric hand, switch or myoelectric controlled, adult	00	\$2590.4 6	*	2	Yr	
L7008	Electric hand, switch or myoelectric controlled, pediatric	00	\$4077.1 2	*	2	Yr	
L7009	Electric hook, switch or myoelectric, controlled, adult	00	\$2643.0 9	*	2	Yr	

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A complete listing of DME codes, descriptions, modifiers, reimbursements, frequencies and approval requirements is found in the DME Manual, Section 4, which can be accessed via the Internet at www.scdhhs.gov.

Thank you for your participation in the South Carolina Medicaid Program. Please contact your Durable Medical Equipment Program Coordinator with any questions at (803) 898-2882.

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