

Non-invasive Bone Growth Stimulator System Coding Reference Guide



EBI Bone Healing System®
OrthoPak® Electrical Stimulator
SpinalPak® Spinal Fusion Stimulator

Physician	
CPT® Code	Description
20974	Electrical stimulation to aid bone healing; noninvasive (nonoperative)

***Osteogenesis stimulators require face-to-face documentation that the beneficiary was evaluated and/or treated for a condition that supports the need for the stimulator and a documented care plan indicating the stimulator use and expected outcome.**

Hospital Inpatient: ICD-10-PCS Code and Description			
Introduction (Putting in or on a therapeutic, diagnostic, nutritional, physiological, or prophylactic substance except blood or blood products)			
3 Administration E Physiological Systems and Anatomical Regions Ø Introduction			
Body Part	Approach	Device	Qualifier
Ø Skin and Mucous Membranes	X External	G Other therapeutic Substance	C Other Substance

*ICD-9-CM 99.86 – Non-invasive Placement of Bone Growth Stimulator CMS General Equivalence Mapping (approximately) 3EØØXGC – Introduction of Other Therapeutic Substance into Skin and Mucous Membranes, External Approach.

Hospital Inpatient: Medicare Severity-Diagnosis Related Group (MS-DRG)*	
MS-DRG	Description
555	Signs and Symptoms of Musculoskeletal System and Connective Tissue with MCC
556	Signs and Symptoms of Musculoskeletal System and Connective Tissue without MCC

CC – Complication and/or Comorbidity. MCC – Major Complication and/or Comorbidity.

*Other MS-DRGs may be applicable. MS-DRG will be determined by the patient's diagnosis and any procedure(s) performed.

Hospital Outpatient and Ambulatory Surgical Center (ASC)				
CPT® Code	Description	OPPS Status Indicator	APC	ASC Payment Indicator
20974	Electrical stimulation to aid bone healing; noninvasive (nonoperative)	A	--	NA

OPPS – Outpatient Prospective Payment System; APC - Ambulatory Payment Classification; ASC - Ambulatory Surgery Center
Status Indicator: A - Services furnished to a hospital outpatient that are paid under a fee schedule or payment system other than OPPS
Payment Indicator: NA – This procedure is not on Medicare's ASC Covered Procedures List (CPL).

HCPCS (Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System)	
Code	Description
E0747	Osteogenesis stimulator, electrical, non-invasive, other than spinal applications
E0748	Osteogenesis stimulator, electrical, non-invasive, spinal applications

Note: HCPCS codes report devices used in conjunction with outpatient procedures billed and paid for under Medicare's Outpatient Prospective Payment System.

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