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#### **CAST AND SPLINT SUPPLIES**

The MO HealthNet Division (MHD) will no longer cover the following Health Care Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) supply codes for dates of service November 1, 2010 and after: A4570, A4580 and A4590.

Effective for dates of service on or after November 1, 2010, MHD is adding coverage for the HCPCS cast supply codes shown in the table below. These codes will be more specific to the age of the participant and to the affected body part.

<b>PROCEDURE CODE</b>	<b>ALLOWED PAYMENT</b>
Q4001	\$27.57
Q4002	\$104.22
Q4003	\$19.81
Q4004	\$68.57
Q4005	\$7.30
Q4006	\$16.46
Q4007	\$3.66
Q4008	\$8.23
Q4009	\$4.88
Q4010	\$10.98
Q4011	\$2.44
Q4012	\$5.49
Q4013	\$8.88
Q4014	\$14.97
Q4015	\$4.44
Q4016	\$7.48
Q4017	\$5.13

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<b>PROCEDURE CODE</b>	<b>ALLOWED PAYMENT</b>
Q4018	\$8.18
Q4019	\$2.57
Q4020	\$4.09
Q4021	\$3.79
Q4022	\$6.85
Q4023	\$1.91
Q4024	\$3.43
Q4025	\$21.29
Q4026	\$66.48
Q4027	\$10.65
Q4028	\$33.24
Q4029	\$16.28
Q4030	\$42.86
Q4031	\$8.14
Q4032	\$21.43
Q4033	\$15.19
Q4034	\$37.78
Q4035	\$7.59
Q4036	\$18.89
Q4037	\$9.27
Q4038	\$23.21
Q4039	\$4.64
Q4040	\$11.60
Q4041	\$11.26
Q4042	\$19.23
Q4043	\$5.64
Q4044	\$9.62
Q4045	\$6.54
Q4046	\$10.52
Q4047	\$3.26
Q4048	\$5.26
Q4049	\$1.19

### **POSTOPERATIVE CARE**

Supplies necessary for providing the follow-up care in the office, such as splints, casts and surgical dressings in connection with covered surgical procedures that meet the postoperative care policy, may be billed under the appropriate supply code. An invoice should be attached, if applicable.

Reference the MHD Provider Manuals at <http://www.emomed.com/>

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**MO HealthNet Managed Care:** The information contained in this bulletin applies to coverage for:

- MO HealthNet Fee-for-Service
- Services not included in MO HealthNet Managed Care

Questions regarding MO HealthNet Managed Care benefits should be directed to the patient's MO HealthNet Managed Care health plan. Before delivering a service, please check the patient's eligibility status by swiping the red MO HealthNet card or by calling the Interactive Voice Response (IVR) System at 573-635-8908 and using Option One for the red or white card.

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**573-751-2896**