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DIABETIC RETINAL EXAMS

Reimbursement Information

Potential CPT® Coding Resource for use with the Welch Allyn® RetinaVue® Care Delivery Model

CPT Code	Description
92250	Fundus photography with interpretation and report

Secondary CPT Code	Description
2022F	Dilated retinal eye exam with interpretation by an ophthalmologist or optometrist documented and reviewed; with evidence of retinopathy
2023F	Dilated retinal eye exam with interpretation by an ophthalmologist or optometrist documented and reviewed; with no evidence of retinopathy

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GENERAL

- Upload/include documentation in the patient's record to indicate medical necessity for a separate service.
- Confirm that proper ICD-10-CM diagnosis codes are reported to justify medical necessity of remote retinal imaging.
- When appropriate, a modifier may be reported and support documentation should be provided with the claim.

MEDICARE

- Some Medicare Administrative Contractors have issued Local Coverage Determinations (LCDs) that provide indications and limitations of coverage for fundus photography and retinal imaging. Specific indications for coverage and limitations may vary by Medicare Contractor. Providers should refer to their Medicare Contractor's LCDs for specific coverage and billing guidelines.
- There is no National Coverage Decision for Fundus Photography and Remote Retinal Imaging.

HEALTH PLANS

Health Plans may require the use of a CPT II code on provider claims to recognize that the HEDIS metric has been satisfied. Please consult your health plan partner to determine if a code is needed and, if so, which code would be most appropriate.

PRIVATE PAYERS	Diabetic retinal exams in primary care settings with ophthalmologist interpretation may be covered by private payers when medically necessary. Coverage levels vary by payer and specific plan. Providers should contact each plan to determine coverage and payment for the use of the RetinaVue® care delivery model.
MEDICAID	Diabetic retinal exams in primary care settings with ophthalmologist interpretation may be covered by Medicaid programs when medically necessary. Coverage guidelines and payment levels vary by Medicaid program. Providers should contact their state Medicaid program to determine coverage and payment for the RetinaVue care delivery model.
MEDICARE ADVANTAGE	Some Medicare Advantage programs provide coverage for diabetic retinal exams in primary care settings with ophthalmologist interpretation. Coverage levels vary by payer and specific plan. Providers should contact each plan to determine coverage and payment for the RetinaVue care delivery model.

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The team at Hillrom is your strategic and tactical partner to help you close the diabetic retinal exam compliance gap, this year and every year. For more information on how to implement the RetinaVue care delivery model, please visit retinavue.com.

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Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), Medicare Program: Medicare Physician Fee Schedule for CY 2015, http://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Medicare-Fee-for-Service-Payment/PhysicianFeeSched.
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