

December 3, 2009

HOME AIDE DIAGNOSTICS INC
ATTN AMGAD GIRGIS
3300 SW 15TH ST
DEERFIELD BEACH FL 33442

Re: Assigned Healthcare Common Procedural Coding System (HCPCS) Codes

Product: Easy Step

Xref #: 9572609

Model number: T502-73802

Dear Amgad Girgis:

It is our determination that the Medicare HCPCS codes to use to bill the four Durable Medical Equipment Medicare Administrative Contractors (DME MACs) for the products listed above are:

E0607 HOME BLOOD GLUCOSE MONITOR

A4253 BLOOD GLUCOSE TEST OR REAGENT STRIPS FOR HOME BLOOD
GLUCOSE MONITOR. PER 50 STRIPS

This decision applies to the application that we received on September 24, 2009. If information submitted in that application has changed or were to change, it could impact our decision. Therefore, a new application would need to be submitted for HCPCS coding verification review. This coding decision will be available within ten (10) working days on the Durable Medical Equipment Coding System (DMECS), which is located on the PDAC web site, www.dmepdac.com. Please take the time to verify that this coding decision is correctly reflected in DMECS.

The assignment of the HCPCS codes to these products is not an approval or endorsement of the products by Medicare or Noridian Administrative Services, LLC; nor does it imply or guarantee claim reimbursement or coverage. If you have questions about claim coverage or reimbursement, please contact the DME MAC for your jurisdiction.

If you disagree with this decision, you may request a reconsideration within 45 days of the date of this letter. To request a reconsideration, complete the Reconsideration Request form, which can be found on our PDAC web site at www.dmepdac.com under the HCPCS Review tab. If your request for a reconsideration is made after the 45-day time frame, we will treat it as a coding verification review request and require a new application and documentation to support the request.

If you have any questions, please contact the Pricing, Data Analysis, and Coding (PDAC) Contact Center at the address listed above or by telephone at (877) 735-1326. The Contact Center is open Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. CT.

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