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ASPEN MEDICAL PRODUCTS ATTN GEOF GARTH 6481 OAK CANYON IRVINE CA 92618

Re: Reconsideration of Coding Verification Decision

Product: Vista Multi Post Collar

**Xref #:** 11275134

**Original Xref #:** 10262643

Model number: 984200, 984202, 984250, 984500

Dear Mr. Garth:

We reviewed your request for a reconsideration of our coding verification decision for the above listed product. It is our determination that the Medicare Healthcare Common Procedural Coding System (HCPCS) code to use to bill the four Durable Medical Equipment Medicare Administrative Contractors (DME MACs) is:

L0180 CERVICAL, MULTIPLE POST COLLAR, OCCIPITAL/MANDIBULAR SUPPORTS, ADJUSTABLE

This decision applies to the application that we received on April 08, 2010. 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.

The assignment of a HCPCS code to this product is not an approval or endorsement of the product 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. For other questions, 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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