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National Coverage Determinations (NCDs)

Collagen Crosslinks, Any Method

(Policy #190.19)

CPT/HCPCS Codes

82523 COLLAGEN CROSS LINKS, ANY METHOD

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ICD-9-CM Codes Covered by Medicare Program

| Code | Description |
|--------------------------|---|
| 242.00-242.91 | Thyrotoxicosis |
| 245.2 | Chronic lymphocytic thyroiditis (only if thyrotoxic) |
| 246.9 | Unspecified disorder of thyroid |
| 252.00-252.02, 252.08 | Hyperparathyroidism |
| 256.2 | Postablative ovarian failure |
| 256.31-256.39 | Other ovarian failure |
| 256.8 | Other ovarian dysfunction |
| 256.9 | Unspecified ovarian dysfunction |
| 268.9 | Unspecified vitamin D deficiency |
| 269.3 | Mineral deficiency, not elsewhere classified |
| 627.0 | Premenopausal menorrhagia |
| 627.1 | Postmenopausal bleeding |
| 627.2 | Symptomatic menopausal or female climacteric state |
| 627.4 | Symptomatic states associated with artificial menopause |
| 627.8 | Other specified menopausal and postmenopausal disorders |
| 627.9 | Unspecified menopausal & postmenopausal disorder |
| 731.0 | Osteitis deformans without mention of bone tumor (Paget's disease of bone) |
| 733.00-733.09 | Osteoporosis |
| 733.10-733.19 | Pathological fracture |
| 733.90 | Disorder of bone and cartilage, unspecified |
| 805.8 | Fracture of vertebral column without mention of spiral cord injury, unspecified, closed |
| V58.65 | Long-term (current) use of steroids |
| V58.69 | Long-term (current) use of other medications |

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