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Esophagogastroduodenoscopy

Also known as

1. EGD

Description

Esophagogastroduodenoscopy is the use of an endoscope to examine and treat the upper gastrointestinal tract (the esophagus, stomach, and duodenum).

See also

Similar, related, or easily confused documents.

Endoscopy - A procedure that lets a doctor look inside a body.

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Commercial

Introduction

This section applies to all Commercial brands: Dean Health Plan (DHP), Mayo Medical Plan (MMP), Medica (including MHPS), and Prevea360.

Benefits (all except MMP)

Quote surgical benefits. Include physician, hospital, and anesthesia benefits.

- Clinic POS: Also quote office visit benefits when done in the clinic.
- Similar procedures: There are similar procedures that may NOT be eligible. Before quoting benefits, check the following A-Z sheets:
 - Endoscopic Procedures for Treatment of Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease (GERD)
 - Endoscopic Radiofrequency Ablation for Barrett's Esophagus
 - Gastroscopy

Mayo Medical Plan (MMP)

Quote surgical benefits. Include physician, hospital, and anesthesia benefits.

- Clinic POS: Also quote office visit benefits when done in the clinic.
- **Similar procedures**: There are similar procedures that may NOT be eligible. Before quoting benefits, check the following A-Z sheets:
- Endoscopic Procedures for Treatment of Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease (GERD)
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Government Programs

Introduction

This section applies to all Medicaid and Medicare products.

AccessAbility (SNBC),

Medicaid only groups:

• Refer to Medicaid below.

Minnesota Senior Care Plus (MSC+)

Medicare eligible groups:

- Quote outpatient surgical or inpatient hospital benefits.
- **Similar procedures**: There are similar procedures that may NOT be eligible. Before quoting benefits, check the following A-Z sheets:
- Endoscopic Procedures for Treatment of Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease (GERD)
- Endoscopic Radiofrequency Ablation for Barrett's Esophagus
- Gastroscopy
- Follows Medicare guidelines.
- Medicare is the primary payer.
- If no Medicare eligibility, Medicaid applies. Refer to Medicaid below.

AccessAbility Enhanced (I-SNBC),

DUAL (MSHO)

Quote outpatient surgical or inpatient hospital benefits.

• Similar procedures: There are similar procedures that may NOT be eligible. Before quoting benefits, check the following A-Z sheets:

- Endoscopic Procedures for Treatment of Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease (GERD)
- Endoscopic Radiofrequency Ablation for Barrett's Esophagus
- Gastroscopy
- Medica is the only payer.

Cost (Prime)

Quote outpatient surgery or inpatient hospital benefits.

- **Similar procedures**: There are similar procedures that may NOT be eligible. Before quoting benefits, check the following A-Z sheets:
 - Endoscopic Procedures for Treatment of Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease (GERD)
 - Endoscopic Radiofrequency Ablation for Barrett's Esophagus
 - Gastroscopy
- Follows Medicare guidelines.

Med Advantage

Quote outpatient surgical or inpatient hospital benefits.

- **Similar procedures**: There are similar procedures that may NOT be eligible. Before quoting benefits, check the following A-Z sheets:
- Endoscopic Procedures for Treatment of Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease (GERD)
- Endoscopic Radiofrequency Ablation for Barrett's Esophagus
- Gastroscopy
- Follows Medicare guidelines.
- Medica is the only payer.

Med Supp (Select, Signature)

Quote outpatient surgical or inpatient hospital benefits.

- **Similar procedures**: There are similar procedures that may NOT be eligible. Before quoting benefits, check the following A-Z sheets:
 - Endoscopic Procedures for Treatment of Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease (GERD)
 - Endoscopic Radiofrequency Ablation for Barrett's Esophagus
 - Gastroscopy
- Follows Medicare guidelines.
- Medicare supplement.
- Medicare is the primary payer.

Medicaid

Quote surgical benefits. Quote physician, hospital, and anesthesia benefits.

- **Similar procedures**: There are similar procedures that may NOT be eligible. Before quoting benefits, check the following A-Z sheets:
 - Endoscopic Procedures for Treatment of Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease (GERD)
 - Endoscopic Radiofrequency Ablation for Barrett's Esophagus
 - Gastroscopy

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Individual and Family Business (IFB)

Introduction

This section applies to all Individual and Family Business (IFB) brands: Dean Health Plan (DHP), Medica, Medica (formerly WellFirst), and Prevea360.

Benefits

Quote surgical benefits. Include physician, hospital, and anesthesia benefits.

- Clinic POS: Also quote office visit benefits when done in the clinic.
- **Similar procedures**: There are similar procedures that may NOT be eligible. Before quoting benefits, check the following A-Z sheets:
- Endoscopic Procedures for Treatment of Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease (GERD)
- Endoscopic Radiofrequency Ablation for Barrett's Esophagus
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