



HCPCS Codes Used for Skilled Nursing Facility Consolidated Billing Enforcement: July 2026 Quarterly Update

Related Change Request (CR) Information	
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Title: July 2026 Quarterly Update to Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) Codes Used for Skilled Nursing Facility (SNF) Consolidated Billing (CB) Enforcement	

Affected Providers

- Skilled nursing facilities (SNFs)
- Other providers billing Medicare Administrative Contractors (MACs) for services

Action Needed

Make sure your billing staff knows about coding updates:

- Angiography, Lymphatic, Venous & Related Procedures Category
- Chemotherapy Category
- Added codes
- Terminated codes

Key Updates

CR 14427 updates the lists of HCPCS codes CMS subjects to the Consolidated Billing (CB) provision of the SNF Prospective Payment System (PPS). We'll use changes to CPT and HCPCS codes and Physician Fee Schedule designations to revise Common Working File edits, allowing MACs to make appropriate payments per SNF CB policy in the [Medicare Claims Processing Manual, Chapter 6](#), section 20.6.

Medicare Part A & Medicare Part B Updates

See:

- Tables 1–2 for coding additions to the Part A file
- Table 3 for coding terminations from the Part A file
- Table 4 for coding additions to the Part B #1 file
- Table 5 for coding terminations from the Part B #1 file

Table 1. Major Category I. E. – Angiography, Lymphatic, Venous & Related Procedures

HCPSC Code	Short Descriptor	Effective Date
C1743	Scafld endovas resrb drg elu	April 1, 2026

Table 2. Major Category III. A. – Chemotherapy

HCPSC Code	Short Descriptor	Effective Date
J9183	Gemcitabine intravesical sys	April 1, 2026
J9278	Inj, carboplatin (avyxa)	April 1, 2026

Table 3. Major Category III. A. – Chemotherapy (Terminated Code)

HCPSC Code	Short Descriptor	Effective Date
C9308	Inj, carboplatin (avyxa)	April 1, 2026

Table 4. Part B File #1 Updates: Additions

HCPSC Code	Short Descriptor	Effective Date
J9176	Injection, elotuzumab	January 1, 2020
J9183	Gemcitabine intravesical sys	April 1, 2026
J9278	Inj, carboplatin (avyxa)	April 1, 2026
C1743	Scafld endovas resrb drg elu	April 1, 2026

Table 5. Part B File #1 Updates: Terminated Code

HCPCS Code	Short Descriptor	Effective Date
C9308	Inj, carboplatin (avyxa)	April 1, 2026

Background

We periodically update the lists of HCPCS codes excluded from the CB provision of the SNF PPS. We may pay non-SNF providers for services excluded from the SNF PPS and CB for patients, even during a SNF stay. We only pay SNFs for claims submitted to MACs or DME MACs for non-excluded services.

Non-Therapy Services

SNF CB only applies when a SNF resident gets services during a covered Part A stay. However, SNF CB applies to physical and occupational therapies and speech-language pathology services whenever you provide them to a SNF resident, regardless of whether Part A covers the stay. To ensure proper payment, our systems must edit for services both included and excluded from SNF CB when provided to SNF patients in all settings.

We provide updated lists [for institutional and professional billing](#).

MACs won't search their files for incorrectly paid claims for HCPCS codes listed in Business Requirements 1–6 of this CR. However, they'll reopen and reprocess claims you bring to their attention.

More Information

We issued CR 14427 to your MAC as the official instruction for this change. For more information, find your [MAC's website](#).

Document History

Date of Change	Description
March 26, 2026	Initial article released.

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