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## Notification of changes to Bupa schedule of procedures

This bulletin aims to keep you up-to-date with any changes to procedure codes published in the Bupa Schedule of Procedures.

To ensure you are always viewing the latest version of the Schedule, please refer to the new online code search tool found at [www.bupa.co.uk/codes](http://www.bupa.co.uk/codes).

The new changes in the Schedule effective this month are shown below.

To help you ensure that you are using the current version, the Schedule is live and up-to-date if viewed via [www.bupa.co.uk/codes](http://www.bupa.co.uk/codes).

If you have any questions, please call Bupa Provider Services on **0345 755 33 33**. Lines are open 8am to 6pm, Monday to Friday and 8am to 1pm on Saturday. Calls may be recorded and may be monitored.

Thank you

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## Notice of changes to the Schedule

### 1) Description changes

No changes this month.

### 2) Surgeon's category:

No changes this month.

### 3) Anaesthetist's category:

No changes this month.

### 4) Hospital category:

No changes this month.

### 5) Footnote changes:

H5120	Radiofrequency ablation of haemorrhoids	Addition of X footnote	17/02/2020
H3582	Laparoscopic Ventral Mesh Rectopexy (LVMR)	Addition of X footnote	20/02/2020
W7180	Harvesting and injection of bone marrow aspirate concentrate (BMAC)	Addition of X footnote	01/02/2020
XR161	Percutaneous image guided fine needle aspiration(s) (FNA) – bilateral	Addition of (ii) footnote	01/05/2019

**6) Follow-up consultation fee charge allowed on same day as procedure charge:**

XR161	Percutaneous image guided fine needle aspiration(s) (FNA) – bilateral	Addition of (ii) footnote	01/05/2019
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**7) IV sedation or IV regional anaesthesia charge allowed alongside procedure charge:**

No changes this month.

**8) Ophthalmic local anaesthesia charge allowed alongside procedure charge:**

No changes this month.

**9) IC level 2 or 3 changes and LOS changes**

No changes this month.

**10) Essential notes to the Schedule**

No changes this month.

**11) Sub-chapter change (to align with CCSD Schedule):**

No changes this month.

**12) New codes:**

K5735	Convergent procedure and catheter ablation for persistent atrial fibrillation	Procedure	01/09/2019
G2591	Revision of anti-reflux operations with laparoscopic insertion of magnetic band (as sole procedure)	Procedure	01/05/2019
H3335	Endoscopic vacuum therapy for colorectal anastomotic leakage	Procedure	01/09/2019
B2993	Reconstruction of breast using stacked deep inferior epigastric perforator flap (DIEP) (including delayed reconstruction) - bilateral (2 flaps per breast)	Procedure	01/05/2019
K7510	Coronary intravascular lithotripsy +/- angioplasty +/- insertion of stent	Procedure	01/09/2019
H3582	Laparoscopic Ventral Mesh Rectopexy (LVMR)	Procedure	20/02/2020
G1422	Endoscopic circumferential ablation of dysplasia in Barrett's oesophagus	Procedure	01/01/2020
H6050	Endoscopic ablation for a pilonidal sinus	Procedure	01/09/2019
W7180	Harvesting and injection of bone marrow aspirate concentrate (BMAC)	Procedure	01/02/2020
B2922	Partial reconstruction of breast using pedicled perforator flap (eg. Lateral Intercostal Artery Perforator (LICAP) or Thoraco-Dorsal Artery Perforator (TDAP) including delayed reconstruction)	Procedure	01/12/2019

**13) Error Corrections**

No changes this month.

**14) Code inactivations (as per CCSD Schedule changes):**

No changes this month.

**15) CCSD coding principles ('unbundling')**

G7250	G7250 to unbundle with: H3365 - Laparoscopic anterior resection - low (i.e. colorectal anastomosis at or below the peritoneal reflection)	01/01/2020
B2993	B2993 to unbundle with: B2752 Subcutaneous mastectomy B3012 Mastectomy and immediate reconstruction of breast using expandable prosthesis B3013 Mastectomy and immediate reconstruction of breast using fixed prosthesis B3120 Augmentation mammoplasty - unilateral B3121 Augmentation mammoplasty - bilateral B3132 Bilateral mastopexy (following reconstruction) B3140 Therapeutic mammoplasty for breast cancer B2992 Reconstruction of breast using deep inferior epigastric perforator flap (DIEP) with vascularised lymph node transfer (including delayed reconstruction) - bilateral	01/05/2019
B2996	B2996 to unbundle with: B2992 Reconstruction of breast using deep inferior epigastric perforator flap (DIEP) with vascularised lymph node transfer (including delayed reconstruction) - bilateral B2996 Reconstruction of breast using deep inferior epigastric perforator flap (DIEP) (including delayed reconstruction) - bilateral (single flap per breast) B3012 Mastectomy and immediate reconstruction of breast using expandable prosthesis B3013 Mastectomy and immediate reconstruction of breast using fixed prosthesis B3120 Augmentation mammoplasty - unilateral B3121 Augmentation mammoplasty - bilateral B3132 Bilateral mastopexy (following reconstruction) B3140 Therapeutic mammoplasty for breast cancer	01/08/2019
B2989	B2989 to unbundle with: S1700 - Distant flap - delay/division/inset S1740 - Large myocutaneous (muscular/cutaneous) flap (9cm <sup>2</sup> or more) (including closure of secondary defect) S1750 - Large muscle flap (9cm <sup>2</sup> or more) (including skin graft and closure of secondary defect) S1900 - Distant pedicle flap - elevation including transfer (including closure/grafting to secondary defect) S2000 - Large island skin flap (9cm <sup>2</sup> or more) (e.g. radial forearm) (including closure of secondary defect) S2002 - Small island flap (less than 9cm <sup>2</sup> ) S2220 - Neurovascular island flap	01/08/2019

	<p>S2500 - Local flap - less than 9cm<sup>2</sup></p> <p>S2502 - Local flap - 9cm<sup>2</sup> or more (excluding graft/flap to secondary defect)</p> <p>S2503 - Local flap - 9cm<sup>2</sup> or more (including graft/flap to secondary defect)</p> <p>S3500 - Split autograft of skin, trunk and limbs - up to 25cm<sup>2</sup></p> <p>S3530 - Split autograft of skin, trunk and limbs - over 25cm<sup>2</sup> and up to 5% of body surface area</p> <p>S3532 - Split autograft of skin, trunk and limbs - each additional 5% of body surface area</p> <p>S3622 - Full thickness graft, trunk and limbs - up to 9cm<sup>2</sup> in area</p> <p>S3623 - Full thickness graft, trunk and limbs - each additional 25cm<sup>2</sup> in area</p> <p>T7602 - Microvascular free tissue transfer (when added to other codes) (including closure of secondary defect)</p> <p>T7603 - Microvascular free tissue transfer (as sole procedure including closure of secondary defect)</p> <p>T7620 - Free functioning muscle transfer (as sole procedure) (including closure of secondary defect)</p> <p>W3180 - Free composite (i.e. including bone) vascularised grafts</p> <p>B2919 - Mastectomy and immediate reconstruction of breast using fixed prosthesis and acellular dermal matrix (ADM) - bilateral</p> <p>B2992 - Reconstruction of breast using deep inferior epigastric perforator flap (DIEP) with vascularised lymph node transfer (including delayed reconstruction) - bilateral</p> <p>B2993 - Reconstruction of breast using stacked deep inferior epigastric perforator flap (DIEP) (including delayed reconstruction) - bilateral (2 flaps per breast)</p> <p>B2996 - Reconstruction of breast using deep inferior epigastric perforator flap (DIEP) (including delayed reconstruction) - bilateral (single flap per breast)</p> <p>B3110 - Reduction mammoplasty - bilateral (greater than 500g each breast)</p> <p>B3121 - Augmentation mammoplasty - bilateral</p> <p>B2785 - Mastectomy for gynaecomastia - bilateral</p> <p>B2914 - Mastectomy followed by immediate Deep Inferior Epigastric Flap (DIEP) reconstruction - bilateral</p> <p>B2700 - Subcutaneous mastectomy with immediate implant</p> <p>B2752 - Subcutaneous mastectomy</p> <p>B2784 - Mastectomy for gynaecomastia - unilateral</p>	
B2986	<p>B2986 to unbundle with:</p> <p>B2752 Subcutaneous mastectomy</p> <p>B2783 Prophylactic mastectomy - bilateral</p> <p>B2784 Mastectomy for gynaecomastia - unilateral</p> <p>B2785 Mastectomy for gynaecomastia - bilateral</p> <p>B2914 Mastectomy followed by immediate Deep Inferior Epigastric Flap (DIEP) reconstruction - bilateral</p> <p>B2919 Mastectomy and immediate reconstruction of breast using fixed prosthesis and acellular dermal matrix</p>	01/08/2019

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T2790	T2790 to unbundle with: T1900 - Simple excision of inguinal hernial sac (herniotomy) - unilateral T1910 - Simple excision of inguinal hernial sac (herniotomy) - bilateral T2002 - Laparoscopic repair of inguinal hernia - unilateral T2010 - Primary repair of inguinal hernia - bilateral T2012 - Laparoscopic repair of inguinal hernia - bilateral T2080 - Primary repair of strangulated inguinal hernia T2100 - Repair of recurrent inguinal hernia T2102 - Laparoscopic repair of recurrent inguinal hernia - unilateral T2110 - Repair of recurrent inguinal hernia - bilateral T2112 - Laparoscopic repair of recurrent inguinal hernia - bilateral T2200 - Primary repair of femoral hernia T2280 - Primary repair of strangulated femoral hernia T2300 - Repair of recurrent femoral hernia T2400 - Repair of umbilical hernia (irrespective of ag	

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