

April 1, 2013 Georgia Workers' Compensation Medical Fee Schedule

Section IV: General Reimbursement Guidelines

Materials Supplied by the Health Care Provider – Supplies, DME, Orthotics, Prosthetics and Rental Equipment

Medical supplies provided by the physician or other medical provider (e.g., sterile trays) over and above those usually included with the office visit (e.g., Band-Aids and cotton swabs) or other services rendered may be listed separately using CPT code 99070. Medical supplies and durable medical equipment are reimbursed at cost times 1.5 plus \$4.00 for handling charges. Charges greater than \$50 must be accompanied by a copy of the wholesale vendor invoice(s) showing the actual cost of the item. Certain procedures include supplies; therefore, CPT code 99070 would not be reported. Custom-made orthotics/prosthetics and rental equipment are exempt from the supplies and equipment reimbursement formula; however, usual, customary, and reasonable charges will apply.

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