

NATIONAL PROSTHETICS PATIENT DATABASE (NPPD)

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NPPD User Manual

Overview

Introduction

This manual covers the functionality of the **National Prosthetics Patient Database** (**NPPD**) **Tools** menu. The **NPPD Tools** Menu, a VISTA based program, is used to routinely view, analyze, and validate the medical center PSAS (Prosthetic Sensory Aids Service) patient transaction data that is eventually transmitted to the NPPD. The menu resides in VISTA at the medical center level.

Targeted Audience

This functionality is used by VISN staff, VISN Prosthetics Representatives, Prosthetics Program Managers and other Prosthetics staff.

NPPD Mission Statement

To provide a clinical review, to increase quality, reduce costs, and improve efficiencies of the Prosthetics Program.

Increase quality

Increase the quality of the services to our veterans by providing a means to:

- Develop consistency in services
- Review prescription and management practices
- Develop training
- Monitor Home Medical Equipment
- Measure Performance Improvements.

Reduce costs

Reduce costs by:

- Comparing costs system-wide
- Identifying common items for consolidated contracting
- Identifying costs for MCCF purposes
- Improving contracting cost benefit.

Improve efficiency

Improve efficiency by:

- Validating the data
- Improving budget management
- Determining where coding errors occur and providing training
- Comparing unique SSNs for multiple site usage and item issue.

Overview, Continued

Mapping HCPCS

Prosthetic HCPCS (Health Care and Finance Common Procedure Coding System) are mapped to the NPPD Groups/Lines, providing a means to analyze, validate, summarize, and report usage and cost at the medical center and national levels.

Processing Data for Ad Hoc Queries and Reports

NPPD data is rolled up at each facility and transmitted to Hines (central office). The data is loaded into the SQL (Structured Query Language) Server. The Prosthetics Clinical Management (PCM) team at Hines utilizes the SQL Server Enterprise Management to run queries against the data, providing a full range of reports for viewing and analysis.

Using the NPPD Tools Menu

Introduction

Menu Options

The **NPPD Tools** Menu contains options that allow you to review, analyze, and validate the Prosthetics data.

- PSAS HCPCS History (PH)
- Add/Edit HCPCS Synonyms (AE Supervisory Option)
- DSS HCPCS History (HH)
- HCPCS Inquiry (INQ)
- Print 2529-3 Worksheets (LPRT)
- Print 2529-3 Single Line (LSL)
- Print PSAS HCPCS List (MAP)
- Print NPPD Worksheets (PRT)
- Quick Edit 2319 Record (QED2)
- Print NPPD Single Line Detail (SL)

Prosthetics Official Menu

```
Purchasing ...
  PU
  DD
         Display/Print ...
         Utilities ...
  UT
  AM
         AMIS ...
  SU
         Suspense ...
  CO
         Correspondence ...
  SC
         Scheduled Meetings and Home/Liaison Visits ...
  PS
         Process Form 2529-3 ...
  EL
         Eligibility Inquiry
  ET
         PSC/Entitlement Records ...
  НО
         Home Oxygen Main Menu ...
         Pros Inventory Main ...
  INV
         NPPD Tools ...
  ND
  OC
         CoreFLS Order Control
  VR
         VERIFY/REPAIR PURCHASE CARD NUMBER
Select Prosthetic Official's Menu Option: ND <Enter> NPPD Tools
```

NPPD Tool Menu

```
PH
         PSAS HCPCS History
         Add/Edit HCPCS Synonyms
  нн
         DSS HCPCS History
  INQ
        HCPCS Inquiry
  LPRT Print 2529-3 Worksheets
  LSL
        Print 2529-3 Single Line
         Print PSAS HCPCS List
  MAP
  PRT
         Print NPPD Worksheets
  QED2 Quick Edit 2319 Record
         Print NPPD Single Line Detail
Select NPPD Tools Option:
```

PSAS HCPCS History (PH)

Purpose

Use the **PSAS HCPCS History (PH)** option to request a report on any HCPCS code (including VA unique codes, such as: VA, BA, DL, and SI). This option is useful for reporting issuance, total cost, and vendors for selected PSAS HCPCS over a date range.

Note: The **Site** prompt will not appear unless you have more that one site in the Prosthetic Site Parameter file. If it does appear, enter your station name.

Screen sample

Below is a sample screen. Text that is in bold is a user entry.

```
PH
         PSAS HCPCS History
  AΕ
         Add/Edit HCPCS Synonyms
       DSS HCPCS History
  HH
  INO
         HCPCS Inquiry
  LPRT Print 2529-3 Worksheets
         Print 2529-3 Single Line
  LSL
  MAP
         Print PSAS HCPCS List
  PRT Print NPPD Worksheets
  QED2 Quick Edit 2319 Record
         Print NPPD Single Line Detail
  ST
Select NPPD Tools Option: PH <ENTER> PSAS HCPCS History
SITE: Hines Development System// <ENTER>
Select PSAS HCPCS (1): VA102
                                AIR CONDITIONER
Select PSAS HCPCS (2): <ENTER>
Beginning Date: T-30//T-365 <ENTER> (JUL 23, 2003)
Ending Date: TODAY//T <ENTER> (JUL 22, 2004)
DEVICE: HOME// <ENTER> (Enter a printer or press the <ENTER>
key to view) Right Margin: 80// <ENTER>
```

PSAS HCPCS History report sample

```
PSAS HCPCS HISTORY: VA102

REQUEST DATA PATIENT NAME SSN VENDOR JUL 23, 2003-JUL 22, 2004

OCT 02, 2003 PROSPATIENT, ONE 0001 XYZO UROLOGICAL DIVISION
ITEM: SHOES QTY: 3 TOTAL COST: 315.00 INITIAL ISSUE
INITIATOR: PROSPROVIDER, ONE
ICD9 Code: 799.0 ASPHYXIA

TOTAL DOLLARS SPENT ON THIS HCPCS: $ 315.00 TOTAL QUANTITY ISSUED: 3
```

Add/Edit HCPCS Synonyms (AE) (Supervisory Option)

Purpose

A supervisor in the system can add or edit a HCPCS synonym using the **Add/Edit HCPCS Synonyms** (**AE**) from the **NPPD Tools** (**ND**) menu as shown below.

Steps

To add a HCPCS synonym, follow these sample steps:

Step	Action
1	Type ND for the NPPD Tools menu from the Prosthetic Official's
	Menu, and press <enter>.</enter>
2	Type AE for the Add/Edit HCPCS Synonyms option, and press
	<enter>.</enter>
3	At the Select NATIONAL PROSTHETICS ITEM FILE HCPCS:
	prompt, type two question marks to display a list of HCPCS, and press
	< Enter> or enter the HCPCS code and press < Enter> (as shown below
	and skip to step #6).
4	Type "^" to stop the list from displaying (if necessary).
5	You can now type the HCPCS at the prompt, and press Enter .
6	Type the synonym at the Select SYNONYM prompt, and press
	<enter>.</enter>
7	A message displays asking if you are adding the name as a new
	SYNONYM for the first time for the Prosthetic HCPCS code. (The
	default is No.)
8	Press <enter></enter> for No or type a "Y" for Yes and press <enter></enter> .
9	The Select SYNONYM prompt displays again for you to select another
	synonym for the <u>same</u> HCPCS. Press <enter></enter> to bypass.

Screen sample

```
PH
         PSAS HCPCS History
   ΑE
         Add/Edit HCPCS Synonyms
         DSS HCPCS History
  HH
   INO
        HCPCS Inquiry
  LPRT Print 2529-3 Worksheets
         Print 2529-3 Single Line
  LSL
         Print PSAS HCPCS List
  PRT
         Print NPPD Worksheets
   QED2
         Quick Edit 2319 Record
         Print NPPD Single Line Detail
Select NPPD Tools Option: AE <Enter>
                                      Add/Edit HCPCS Synonyms
Select NATIONAL PROSTHETICS ITEM FILE HCPCS: A4402 <Enter>
                                                            LUBRICANT PER
Select SYNONYM: LUBE/OZ <Enter>
  Are you adding 'LUBE/OZ' as a new SYNONYM (the 1ST for this PROSTHETIC
HCPCS)?
No// Y <Enter>
  (Yes)
Select SYNONYM: <Enter>
Select NATIONAL PROSTHETICS ITEM FILE HCPCS:
```

DSS HCPCS History (HH)

Purpose

The **DSS HCPCS History** (HH) option only reflects the same data that DSS extracts (excluding VA unique HCPCS). This option is useful for reporting issuance, total cost, and vendors for selected DSS HCPCS over a date range.

Note: The **Site** prompt will not appear unless you have more that one site in the Prosthetic Site Parameter file. If it does appear, enter your station name.

Screen sample

```
PΗ
          PSAS HCPCS History
   ΑE
          Add/Edit HCPCS Synonyms
   нн
         DSS HCPCS History
   INQ
         HCPCS Inquiry
  LPRT
        Print 2529-3 Worksheets
   LSL
         Print 2529-3 Single Line
   MAP
         Print PSAS HCPCS List
   PRT
         Print NPPD Worksheets
   QED2 Quick Edit 2319 Record
         Print NPPD Single Line Detail
Select NPPD Tools Option: HH <ENTER> DSS HCPCS History
SITE: HINES CIOFO// <Enter>
Select HCPCS (1): A4254
                          <Enter> Battery for glucose monitor
Select HCPCS (2): <Enter>
Beginning Date: T-30//T-1200 <ENTER> (May 11, 2001)
Ending Date: TODAY// <ENTER> (AUG 23, 2004)
DEVICE: HOME// (Enter a printer or press the <Enter> key to view)
```

DSS HCPCS History report sample

```
HCPCS HISTORY: A4254
                                                STA nnn PAGE 1
REOUEST DATE PATIENT NAME
                          SSN VENDOR
                                       MAY 11, 2001-AUG 23, 2004
______
OCT 16, 2001 PROSPATIENT, TWO 0002 ABBOTT LABORATORIES
                     QTY: 1 TOTAL COST: 220.00 INITIAL ISSUE
ITEM: SHOE COMPONENTS
INITIATOR: PROSPROVIDER, TWO
OCT 18, 2001 PROSPATIENT, TWO 0002 ABBOTT LABORATORIES
ITEM: SHOE COMPONENTS
                          QTY: 1 TOTAL COST: 55.00 INITIAL ISSUE
INITIATOR:
           PROSPROVIDER, TWO
TOTAL DOLLARS SPENT ON THIS HCPCS: $ 13716.41 TOTAL QUANTITY ISSUED:
```

VA Unique HCPCS

VA unique HCPCS cannot be displayed through the **DSS HCPCS History (HH)** option, but can be in the **PSAS HCPCS History (PH)** option.

HCPCS Inquiry (INQ)

Purpose

Use the **HCPCS Inquiry (INQ)** option for a brief view of information on a selected HCPCS. You can display information on one HCPCS Code at a time.

Screen sample

```
PSAS HCPCS History
   ΑE
          Add/Edit HCPCS Synonyms
   _{\mathrm{HH}}
          DSS HCPCS History
         HCPCS Inquiry
   INQ
   LPRT Print 2529-3 Worksheets
   LSL
          Print 2529-3 Single Line
          Print PSAS HCPCS List
   MAP
         Print NPPD Worksheets
   PRT
   QED2 Quick Edit 2319 Record
          Print NPPD Single Line Detail
Select NPPD Tools Option: INQ <Enter>
                                        HCPCS Inquiry
Select NATIONAL PROSTHETICS ITEM FILE HCPCS: A4254 <Enter>
                                                               BATTERY FOR
GLUCOSE MONITOR
DEVICE: ;132;999 <Enter> TELNET <Enter>
```

Output sample

NATIONAL PROSTHETICS ITEM FILE LIST	1
HCPCS: A4254	SHORT NAME: BATTERY FOR GLUCOSE MONITOR
STATUS: ACTIVE	NPPD NEW CODE: 910 A
SYNONYM: BATTERY	
SYNONYM: BATTERY for GM	
SYNONYM: BATT for GM	
DESCRIPTION: REPLACEMENT BATTERY, ANY T	TYPE, FOR USE WITH MEDICALLY NECESSARY
НО	
DESCRIPTION: GLUCOSE MONITOR OWNED BY E	PATIENT, EACH
ITEM: BATTERY FOR GLUCOSE MONITO/COMMER	RCIAL
Select NATIONAL PROSTHETICS ITEM FILE H	HCPCS:

Wide screen viewing and printing

You can change the size of the column output on your terminal (depending on your terminal type) by typing the following at the **Device** prompt: ;132;999

Field descriptions

See the next page for a description of each field on the sample output shown above.

HCPCS Inquiry (INQ), Continued

Definition of fields

Below are the HCPCS field names and a description for each.

Field	Description
Short Name	Name used most often in reports and for selection.
CPT (if available)	The Current Procedural Terminology Code assigned to the HCPCS.
Status	Active or Inactive. An active HCPCS is selectable when entering a HCPCS for a new transaction.
NPPD Repair Code	Used in mapping the HCPCS. This appears under Repair Activities on the NPPD worksheets.
NPPD New Code	Used in mapping the HCPCS. This appears under New Activities on the NPPD worksheets.
Inventory or Calculation Flag (if shown)	Determines whether or not a HCPCS is used as a Main Component to display the entire cost of a purchase, when multiple items within the purchase make up a whole (e.g., when purchasing a limb or surgical implants). Depending on the HCPCS code selected whether there will be an Inventory flag or a Calculation flag that displays in the output.
Pre-determined Lab Time	Used to track lab employee time and salary for dispensing stock. (Note : This field is available but does not currently display in the output; may be used for future development.)
Synonym	Another name for the HCPCS.
Description	A longer name/description of the HCPCS.
Item	An Item or Appliance kept in the Pros Master Item file.
Item	An Item or Appliance kept in the Pros Master Item file.

Print 2529-3 Worksheets (LPRT)

Purpose

The **Print 2529-3 Worksheets (LPRT)** option from the **NPPD Tools Menu** provides the following worksheets:

- Detail Lab reports
- Brief Lab reports

You can enter a date range for the report to be displayed or printed.

The Detail report displays an "L" in the *Line* column. For example, a scooter has the Line code of "100 A1" and it displays "100 A1L." The "L" signifies that the item is a Lab item.

This report will display a number of the items issued either in the VA or the Commercial column.

The *Cost* column includes labor hours and material used. If there is an asterisk in this column, then the order is still open and not complete. Cost may <u>not</u> be associated with it until it has been completed.

2529-3 Worksheets -Detail sample

```
PSAS HCPCS History
  ΑE
         Add/Edit HCPCS Synonyms
  ΗН
        DSS HCPCS History
  INO
        HCPCS Inquiry
  LPRT Print 2529-3 Worksheets
        Print 2529-3 Single Line
  LSL
        Print PSAS HCPCS List
  MAP
        Print NPPD Worksheets
  QED2 Quick Edit 2319 Record
  SL
        Print NPPD Single Line Detail
Select NPPD Tools Option: LPRT <Enter> Print 2529-3 Worksheets
SITE: Hines Development System// <Enter>
                                                          499
Enter Date to Start NPPD Calculations From: T-30 <Enter> (APR 08,
2001)
Enter End Date: T <Enter> (MAY 08, 2001)
      2529-3 Form Type Only
      This Represents Prosthetic Lab Transactions
     Select one of the following:
                    DETAIL
          D
                    BRIEF
Type of Report: DETAIL// D < Enter>
                                     DETAIL
DEVICE: HOME// ;132;999 <Enter>
```

Printing width

You can change the printing width for a 132 right margin by entering: ;132;999.

Print 2529-3 Worksheets (LPRT), Continued

Station Summary

Below is a sample of the Station Summary for the Lab Detail Report.

2529-3 Worksheet (Station Summary) sample

REPORT OF 2529-3 NEW 2529-3 LAB DETAIL JAN 24, 1998 - MAY 0 STATION: M	8, 2001 ilwaukee V	YAMC	CIES			
DIATION DOPMART (232					Ave Com	Elg Ref \$
	233 	458	691		\$118	\$7,415
	SC/OP		SC/IP			
	38		4			
	SPEC LEG	A&A	PHC	ELG REF	NEW	
	50	9	71	409	332	
	Total Dis	ability: 5	513 Uniqu	ie SSN: 4	444	

Station Summary

Below is a sample of the Lab Detail Report.

2529-3 Worksheet (Detail) sample

REPORT OF 2529-3 NEW 2529-3 LAB DETAIL JAN 10, 1998 - APR 2 STATION: M	4, 200	1		IVITIES					
Line Item NSC/IP	VA	Com	Total	Cost	Ave Com	SC/OP	NSC/OP	SC/IP	
2529-3 WHEELCHAIRS A	ND ACC	ESSOR	RIES						
R10L WHEELCHAIR	178		178	5,104		50	77	10	41
	178	0	178	5,104		50	77	10	41
2529-3 ARTIFICIAL LE	GS								
R20 AL LEG A/K	1		1	22				1	
R20 BL LEG B/K, PTB	9		9	109		4	3		2
R20 CL LEG B/K, STD			0	0					

Print 2529-3 Worksheets (LPRT), Continued

Brief Worksheet

Below is the sample worksheet for a BRIEF 2529-3 Worksheet.

Brief 2529-3 Worksheet Sample

```
PSAS HCPCS History
  ΑE
         Add/Edit HCPCS Synonyms
  HH
         DSS HCPCS History
         HCPCS Inquiry
  INO
  LPRT Print 2529-3 Worksheets
  LSL
         Print 2529-3 Single Line
         Print PSAS HCPCS List
  MAP
  PRT
         Print NPPD Worksheets
  QED2 Quick Edit 2319 Record
         Print NPPD Single Line Detail
Select NPPD Tools Option: LPRT <Enter> Print 2529-3 Worksheets
SITE: Hines Development System// <Enter>
Enter Date to Start NPPD Calculations From: 01/01/04 <Enter> (JAN 01, 2004)
Enter End Date: T <Enter> (JUL 20, 2004)
     2529-3 Form Type Only
     This Represents Prosthetic Lab Transactions
    Select one of the following:
         D
                   DETAIL
         в
                   BRIEF
Type of Report: DETAIL// BRIEF <Enter>
DEVICE: HOME// ;132;999 <Enter> TELNET
```

Sample Brief output

Printing width for Detail and Brief Worksheets

It is recommended to send the **2529-3 Worksheets (LPRT)** to a device that will display and print a 132 right margin. This will not only ensure that you get the entire report, it will also expand the length of some of the data (e.g., Item and HCPCS Description on the Detail Worksheet) to make it more legible.

Print 2529-3 Single Line (LSL)

Purpose

The **Print 2529-3 Single Line (LSL)** option provides detail information on a single NPPD Line from a specific NPPD Group within a specified date range.

Screen Sample

```
PSAS HCPCS History
         Add/Edit HCPCS Synonyms
  _{\mathrm{HH}}
         DSS HCPCS History
  INQ
        HCPCS Inquiry
       Print 2529-3 Worksheets
  LPRT
  LSL
        Print 2529-3 Single Line
         Print PSAS HCPCS List
        Print NPPD Worksheets
  PRT
  QED2 Quick Edit 2319 Record
  SL
         Print NPPD Single Line Detail
Select NPPD Tools Option: LSL <Enter> Print 2529-3 Single Line
SITE: Hines Development System// <Enter>
Enter Date to Start NPPD Calculations From: T-1200 <Enter> (JAN 24,
1998)
Enter End Date: T <Enter> (MAY 08, 2001)
     1.
         2529-3 WHEELCHAIRS AND ACCESSORIES
          2529-3 ARTIFICIAL LEGS
     2.
         2529-3 ARTIFICIAL ARMS AND TERMINAL DEVICES
     4.
         2529-3 BRACES AND ORTHOTICS
     5.
          2529-3 SHOES/ORTHOTICS
     6.
          2529-3 NEUROSENSORY AIDS
     7.
          2529-3 RESTORATIONS
          2529-3 OXYGEN AND RESPIRATORY
          2529-3 MEDICAL EQUIPMENT
     10. 2529-3 ALL OTHER SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT
     11. 2529-3 HOME DIALYSIS PROGRAM
     12. 2529-3 ADAPTIVE EQUIPMENT
     13. 2529-3 HISA
     14. 2529-3 SURGICAL IMPLANTS
     15. 2529-3 MISC
     16. 2529-3 REPAIR
     17. 2529-3 BIOLOGICAL IMPLANTS
Select 2529-3 NPPD Group : (1-16): 15 <Enter>
     1. 999 AL AL/OTH ITEMS
          999 XL HCPCS NOT GRP
     2.
          999 ZL NO HCPCS
Select 2529-3 NPPD Line : (1-3): 1 <Enter>
DEVICE: HOME// <Enter>
                         TELNET
                                   <Enter>
```

Print 2529-3 Single Line (LSL), Continued

2529-3 Single Line Sample

Below is a 2529-3 Single Line (LSL) sample output.

999 AL AL/OTH IT	AL/OTH ITEMS				MAY 08,	2001	Page: 20			
NAME	SSN	HCPCS QTY	TYPE	COST	DATE	ITEM	HCPCS DES	WHO		
PROSPATIENT, THREE	0003	E0191 2	I C	22.45	06/29	WAFFLE-FOOT	PROTECTOR HE	KML		
PROSPATIENT, FOUR	0004	L8440 1	s c	22.56	07/01	SHRINKER-ST	SHRINKER BEL	JRC		
PROSPATIENT, FIVE	0005	L8440 1	R C	22.56	07/14	SHRINKER-ST	SHRINKER BEL	JRC		
PROSPATIENT, SIX	0006	L8420 6	I V	*50.41	07/16	SOCK-STUMP-	SOCK, PROSTH	SLS		
PROSPATIENT, SEVEN	0007	L8420 6	R C	47.78	07/16	SOCK-STUMP-	SOCK, PROSTH	JRC		
PROSPATIENT, EIGHT	8000	L8420 1	R C	12.66	07/20	SOCK-STUMP-	SOCK, PROSTH	JRC		
PROSPATIENT, NINE	0009	L8420 12	ΙC	95.24	07/23	SOCK-CAST-H	SOCK, PROSTH	JRC		
PROSPATIENT, TEN	0010	L8420 6	ΙC	40.16	07/23	SOCK-STUMP-	SOCK, PROSTH	JRC		
PROSPATIENT1,ONE	0011	L8420 6	ΙC	40.16	07/23	SOCK-STUMP-	SOCK, PROSTH	JRC		
PROSPATIENT1, TWO	0012	L8400 3	ΙC	66.44	07/23	SHEATH-SILO	SHEATH, BELO	JRC		
PROSPATIENT1, THREE	0013	L8400 6	R C	14.66	07/26	SHEATH-NYLO	SHEATH, BELO	JRC		
PROSPATIENT1, FOUR	0014	L8420 12	R C	95.24	07/26	SOCK-CAST-H	SOCK, PROSTH	JRC		
PROSPATIENT1,FIVE	0015	L8420 6	R C	59.18	07/26	SOCK-STUMP-	SOCK, PROSTH	JRC		
PROSPATIENT1,SIX	0016	L8420 1	ΙC	14.83	07/26	SOCK-STUMP-	SOCK, PROSTH	JRC		

Print PSAS HCPCS List (MAP)

Purpose

Use the **Print PSAS HCPCS List (MAP)** option to print the entire list of HCPCS from the Prosthetic HCPCS file #661.1. This includes VA Unique and standard HCPCS codes. Press the **<Enter>** key to continue to display the list or type the up carat (^) to quit the display and exit display-mode which returns you to the NP**PD Menu**.

Sample screen

```
PSAS HCPCS History
          Add/Edit HCPCS Synonyms
   ΑE
          DSS HCPCS History
   НН
   INQ
          HCPCS Inquiry
  LPRT
         Print 2529-3 Worksheets
          Print 2529-3 Single Line
  LSL
          Print PSAS HCPCS List
  MAP
  PRT
          Print NPPD Worksheets
   QED2
          Quick Edit 2319 Record
  SL
          Print NPPD Single Line Detail
Select NPPD Tools Option: MAP <Enter> Print PSAS HCPCS List
DEVICE: <Enter> TELNET
                          Right Margin: 80// <Enter>
```

Prosthetics HCPCS List report

PROSTHE	FIC HCPCS LIST	Αī	AUG 5,2004 10:17				
HCPCS	ITEM NAME	NPPD NEW CODE	REPAIR				
V5273	ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICE	600 F	R60 D				
V5274	ASSISTIVE LEARNING DEVICE	600 F	R60 D				
V5275	EAR IMPRESSION, EACH	600 E					
V5298	HEARING AID NOC	600 B	R60 C				
V5299	HEARING SERVICE	600 E	R90				
V5336	REPAIR COMMUNICATION DEVICE		R90				
VA102	AIR CONDITIONER	900 K	R80 C				
VA103	LIFT, SCOOTER	100 G	R10 B	*			
VA104	LIFT, PORCH	900 K	R80 C				
VA105	LIFT, WHEELCHAIR (VAN)	100 H	R10 C				
VA106	RAMP, PORTABLE	900 K	R80 C				
VA107	LIFELINE MEDIC ALERT	900 K	R80 C				
VA108	STAIR LIFT/GLIDE	900 K	R80 C				
VA109	CARRIER, WHEELCHAIR	100 G	R10 B				

*Main Component

For calculation purposes, the Main Component column contains a number of items that make up the whole.

Example

When a purchase order for a limb is created, each component of the limb (foot, knee, material, sockets, etc.) is explained in the order. However, a main component HCPCS code defines it as a "below-knee prosthesis." The calculated cost of the entire purchase is displayed next to the main component in reports.

Quick Edit 2319 Record (QED2)

Purpose

Use the **Quick Edit 2319 Record** (**QED2**) option to correct coding errors for either the PSAS HCPCS or the type of transaction. You can select a record to edit by entering either the record number or the patient name.

The record number (#) can be found using the following options:

- Print NPPD Worksheets (Detail) (PRT)
- Print NPPD Single Line Detail (SL)

Example

Below is a sample screen.

Quick Edit 2319 Record sample

```
PH
          PSAS HCPCS History
   ΑE
          Add/Edit HCPCS Synonyms
   ΗН
          DSS HCPCS History
          HCPCS Inquiry
   INO
   LPRT Print 2529-3 Worksheets
          Print 2529-3 Single Line
   LSL
   MAP
          Print PSAS HCPCS List
   PRT
         Print NPPD Worksheets
   QED2 Quick Edit 2319 Record
          Print NPPD Single Line Detail
Select NPPD Tools Option: QED2 <ENTER> Quick Edit 2319 Record
Select NUMBER, or Patient: NAME, PATIENT (or enter a record number (#) found on either the
"Print NPPD Worksheets" (Detail) report or the "Print NPPD Single Line Detail" report.)
         ...OK? Yes// <Enter> (Yes)
TYPE OF TRANSACTION: INITIAL ISSUE// ?? <Enter>
     This set of codes will tell what kind of transaction this request
     is. The possibilities all fall under the VAF 10-7306a listings
     except for the repair.
     Choose from:
               INITIAL ISSUE
       R
                REPLACE
       S
                SPARE
       Х
                REPAIR
TYPE OF TRANSACTION: INITIAL ISSUE// R <Enter>
PSAS HCPCS: L3001// L5100 <Enter> MOLDED SOCKET SHIN SACH FOOT
OLD CPT MODIFER: LT <Enter>
NEW CPT MODIFIER: <Enter>
Would You like to Edit another Entry (Y/N)? NO <Enter>
```

Print NPPD Single Line Detail (SL)

Purpose

Like the Detail Report under **Print NPPD Worksheets** (**PRT**) option, the **Print NPPD Single Line Detail** (**SL**) option prints the same data, but it is sorted by the NPPD Line.

See Appendix A – NPPD Groups and Lines for a listing of the mapped NPPD Groups and Lines.

Note: The **Site** prompt will not appear unless you have more that one site in the Prosthetic Site Parameter file. If it does appear, enter your station name.

Example

```
PSAS HCPCS History
   ΑE
          Add/Edit HCPCS Synonyms
   НН
          DSS HCPCS History
          HCPCS Inquiry
   INO
   LPRT Print 2529-3 Worksheets
   LSL
          Print 2529-3 Single Line
   MAP
          Print PSAS HCPCS List
         Print NPPD Worksheets
   QED2 Quick Edit 2319 Record
   \mathtt{SL}
          Print NPPD Single Line Detail
Select NPPD Tools Option: SL <Enter> Print NPPD Single Line Detail
SITE: HINES ICS VAMC// <Enter>
Enter Date to Start NPPD Calculations From: T-1500 <Enter> (OCT 01, 1999)
Enter End Date: T <Enter>
                            (AUG 24, 2004)
     1. WHEELCHAIRS AND ACCESSORIES
         ARTIFICIAL LEGS
     3. ARTIFICIAL ARMS AND TERMINAL DEVICES
     4. BRACES AND ORTHOTICS
5. SHOES/ORTHOTICS
     6. NEUROSENSORY AIDS
     7. RESTORATIONS
     8. OXYGEN AND RESPIRA
9. MEDICAL EQUIPMENT
         OXYGEN AND RESPIRATORY
     10. ALL OTHER SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT
     11. HOME DIALYSIS PROGRAM
12. ADAPTIVE EQUIPMENT
     13. HISA
     14. SURGICAL IMPLANTS
     15. MISC
16. REPAIR
     17. BIOLOGICAL IMPLANTS
Select NPPD Group: (1-16): 1 <Enter>
        100 A
     1.
                  MOTORIZED
          100 A1 SCOOTERS
     2.
         100 B MANUAL CUSTOM
     3.
     4. 100 C
                  STANDARD
          100 D
     5.
                  ACCESSORIES
     6.
          100 E
                  CUSHION
     7.
        100 F
                  CUSHION CUSTOM
Select NPPD Line : (1-7): 3 <Enter>
DEVICE: HOME// <Enter> TELNET
                                <Enter>
```

Print NPPD Single Line Detail (SL), Continued

Example

Below is a screen sample.

Sample report output

NAME	SSN	HCPCS	QTY	TYI	PΕ	COST	DATE	ITEM	HCPCS DES	WHC
PROSPATIENT1, SEVEN	0017	K0005	1	I (3	*232.75	07/19	WHEELCHAIR	ULTRALIGHTWE	
PROSPATIENT1, SEVEN	0017	K0004	1	I	2	1000	12/15	WHEELCHAIR	HIGH STRENGT	
PROSPATIENT, THREE	0003	K0003	1	I	2	100	08/21	WHEELCHAIR-	LIGHTWEIGHT	AF
PROSPATIENT, THREE	0003	K0003	2	I (2	200	08/23	WHEELCHAIR	LIGHTWEIGHT	AI
PROSPATIENT, THREE	0003	K0003	1	I (2	100	08/23	WHEELCHAIR	LIGHTWEIGHT	AI
PROSPATIENT1, SEVEN	0017	K0005	1	I	2	220	09/21	WHEELCHAIR	ULTRALIGHTWE	
PROSPATIENT, THREE	0003	K0005	1	I	2	*1.00	06/12	WHEELCHAIR	ULTRALIGHTWE	
PROSPATIENT1, EIGHT	0018	K0005	4	I	2	880	12/23	WHEELCHAIR	ULTRALIGHTWE	
PROSPATIENT1, EIGHT	0018	K0005	2	I	7	420	12/23	WHEELCHAIR	ULTRALIGHTWE	
PROSPATIENT1, EIGHT	0018	K0005	1	I	2	210	12/23	WHEELCHAIR	ULTRALIGHTWE	
PROSPATIENT1, EIGHT	0018	K0005	1	R (2	1300	01/06	WHEELCHAIR	ULTRALIGHTWE	
PROSPATIENT1, EIGHT	0018	K0005	1	I	2	1300.00	01/08	WHEELCHAIR	ULTRALIGHTWE	
PROSPATIENT1, EIGHT	0018	K0005	1	I	2	300.00	01/14	WHEELCHAIR	ULTRALIGHTWE	
PROSPATIENT1, EIGHT	0018	K0005	2	I	2	600	01/14	WHEELCHAIR	ULTRALIGHTWE	

Asterisk (*)

When the "*" is displayed as in the Cost column, this means that that item is "still open/not closed" and that the cost is an estimated approximate cost. When the transaction is closed, then a final cost displays.

Cross Reference

See "Print NPPD Worksheets" (next page) for a description of the data that appears in this report.

Print NPPD Worksheets (PRT)

Patch RMPR*3*51 – Enhancements (December 2000)

Patch RMPR*3*51 (December, 2000) ¹The **Print NPPD Worksheets (PRT)** option was enhanced in Patch RMPR*3*51 (December 2000). The purpose of changing this function is that issues from stock will accommodate 50 percent valuation, and the NPPD Reports needed to reflect this inventory calculation.

<u>Note</u>: If a site does not enter USED equipment information into the Prosthetic Inventory package, the NPPD Reports will report ZERO dollars in the USED equipment category. The BRIEF BOTH SUMMARY Report will display the NEW dollars only since USED inventory was not included.

Purpose

The **Print NPPD Worksheets (PRT)** option provides Brief and Detail NPPD worksheets. They are divided into the following two basic parts with a station summary of each:

- New Activities
- Repair Activities.

The above are further broken down by each mapped NPPD Group with a summary of each. Examples of NPPD Groups are:

- Wheelchairs and Accessories
- Artificial Legs, etc.

Within each NPPD Group, there is an NPPD Line with a summary. Examples of NPPD Lines are:

- Scooters
- Manual Custom, etc.

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¹ Patch RMPR*3*51 – Inventory Report Description/Reason for NPPD Report changes.

Access the Print NPPD Worksheets (PRT) Option

Overview

You can access the **Print NPPD Worksheets (PRT)** option from the **NPPD Tools Menu**.

NPPD Tools Menu Screen

```
Select Prosthetic Official's Menu Option: ND NPPD Tools
         PSAS HCPCS History
         Add/Edit HCPCS Synonyms
  ΑE
         DSS HCPCS History
         HCPCS Inquiry
  LPRT
         Print 2529-3 Worksheets
  LSL
         Print 2529-3 Single Line
         Print PSAS HCPCS List
  MAP
  PRT
         Print NPPD Worksheets
   OED2
          Ouick Edit 2319 Record
          Print NPPD Single Line Detail
```

Filter Criteria Tip/Hints!!!!!

When the **Print NPPD Worksheets** menu option is presented, you will view NPPD New and Repair Worksheets with the following:

- Six (6) choices (See 1-6 reports below.)
- Three (3) filter criteria (See Sort options below.)
- Two (2) output options 1) Brief Summary and 2) Detail and Summary

Select NPPD Tools Option: PRT <Enter> Print NPPD Worksheets

Print NPPD Worksheets Screen

```
SITE: Hines Development System// <Enter> 499 <Enter> Enter Date to Start NPPD Calculations From: T-90 <Enter> (AUG 31, 2000)
Enter End Date: T <Enter> (NOV 29, 2000)

Sort Options
```

Filter Criteria

2 or 5 = USED INVENTORY ONLY (NEW REPORT)

3 or 6 = NEW AND USED COST, BOTH DOLLAR AMOUNTS TOTALED (NEW REPORT)

Type of Report: DETAIL & NEW SUMMARY// <Enter to accept the default report>

Select one of the following:

Output Options

```
BRIEF NEW SUMMARY
BRIEF USED SUMMARY
BRIEF BOTH SUMMARY
DETAIL & NEW SUMMARY
DETAIL & USED SUMMARY
DETAIL & BOTH SUMMARY
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Print NPPD Worksheets (PRT)

Detail worksheet

The **Print NPPD Worksheets (PRT)** option provides a Detail worksheet. The Detail worksheet adds an itemized listing for each NPPD Line within the NPPD Group, so every transaction for the date range selected is displayed. See Appendix A – NPPD Groups and Lines for a listing of NPPD Groups and their NPPD Lines.

Note: The **Site** prompt will not appear unless you have more than one site in the Prosthetic Site Parameter file. If it does appear, enter your station name.

Print Prompt

DEVICE: HOME / / <Enter> (Enter a printer, 132 column)

Note: Send this report to a device that will print a 132-column output. This will not only ensure that you get the entire report, it will also expand the length of some of the data (e.g., Item and HCPCS DES in the Detail Worksheet) to make it more legible.

Detail Report Example

Below is an example of a **Detail and New Summary (4)** report showing each transaction within an NPPD Line.

100 A MOTORIZED)	OCT 01, 1999 - DEC 3				Page: 1						
NAME	SSN	HCPCS QTY	TYPE	COST	DATE	ITEM	HCPCS	DES			WHO	#
PROSPATIENT1, NINE	0019	K0014 1	I C	8163.06	10/01	WHEELCHAIR-ELECTRIC	OTHER	POWER	WHLCHR	BASE	STA	172313
PROSPATIENT2, TEN	0020	K0014 1	R C	1840.61	10/08	WHEELCHAIR-ELECTRIC	OTHER	POWER	WHLCHR	BASE	STA	173406
PROSPATIENT1, NINE	0019	K0014 1	R C	1989.7	10/28	WHEELCHAIR-ELECTRIC	OTHER	POWER	WHLCHR	BASE	STA	173451
PROSPATIENT2,ONE	0021	K0014 1	ΙV	0	10/28	VAS-WHEELCHAIR, OTHER	OTHER	POWER	WHLCHR	BASE	ABC	175555
PROSPATIENT2,TWO	0022	K0010 1	R V	0	11/01	VAS-ELECTRIC SCOOTERS	STND V	VT FRAN	ME POWER	R WHLCHR	STA	172313
PROSPATIENT2, THREE	0023	K0014 1	I C	2274.44	11/24	WHEELCHAIR-ELECTRIC	OTHER	POWER	WHLCHR	BASE	STA	172313
PROSPATIENT2,FOUR	0024	K0014 1	I C	6967.52	12/06	WHEELCHAIR-ELECTRIC	OTHER	POWER	WHLCHR	BASE	ABC	172313
PROSPATIENT2,FIVE	0025	K0014 1	R C	*2478.54	12/16	WHEELCHAIR-ELECTRIC	OTHER	POWER	WHLCHR	BASE	ABC	172313
PROSPATIENT2,SIX	0026	K0011 1	R C	4605.38	12/21	WHEELCHAIR-ELECTRIC	STND V	VT PWR	WHLCHR	W CONTROL	CFS	172313
PROSPATIENT2, SEVEN	0027	K0011 1	I C	*6158.30	12/28	WHEELCHAIR-ELECTRIC	STND V	VT PWR	WHLCHR	W CONTROL	CFS	172313

Definition of fields

Below are the HCPCS field names/column headers and a description of each field from a Detail Report.

Field/Column Heading	Description
Name	Patient's last name.
SSN	Last four digits of the patient's SSN.
HCPCS	HCPCS code.
Qty	Number issued.
Туре	A first-time issue, a repair of a previous issue, a spare, or a replacement of a stock item: Initial = I Spare = S Replace = R Repair = X

Type

Below is more detail for the **Type** column/field.

Type Column	New Activities	Repair Activities
First Initial =	I (Initial) R (Replacement) S (Spare)	X (Repair)
Second Initial =	C (Commercial) V (VA)	C (Commercial) V (VA)

Field definitions (continued)

Below are field names/column headers and a description for each from a Detail Report.

Field/Column Heading	Description
Cost	Cost of the issue.
*Cost	*Transaction is still open and cost is subject to change when it closes out.
Date	The date the data entry was done.
Item	An Item or Appliance kept in the Pros Master Item file.
HCPCS Des	The HCPCS description for the item.
Who	The initials of person that created the transaction.
#	The record number. (Note: This number can be used instead of the patient to look up a specific transaction.)

Brief New Summary (1) Option

The **Brief New Summary** (1) option produces the same ¹Summary Report as what used to be known as the Brief Report (shown below). This report summarizes the total cumulative data for all the NPPD lines and the dollars being spent for a specific site and date range.

Note: USED inventory costs are not included on this report; only NEW inventory item costs as stated on the second line of the report.

Brief New Summary Screen

(The second line of this report is filter criteria. You will see this line if you select either Option #1 or Option #4.)

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1 BRIEF NEW SUMMARY
2 BRIEF USED SUMMARY
3 BRIEF BOTH SUMMARY
4 DETAIL & NEW SUMMARY
5 DETAIL & USED SUMMARY
6 DETAIL & BOTH SUMMARY
```

Type of Report: DETAIL & NEW SUMMARY// 1 BRIEF NEW SUMMARY DEVICE: HOME// TELNET

REPORT OF NEW PROSTHETICS ACTIVITIES

NEW ITEM COSTS, USED INVENTORY (VA) COST AS ZERO

AUG 31, 2000 - NOV 29, 2000

STATION: Hines Development System

NEW ITEM COSTS, USE OCT 01, 1999 - DEC			(VA)	COST AS Z	ERO										
STATION: HINES IS	C VAMO	2													
Line Item	VA	Com	Total	Cost	Ave Con	n SC/OP	NSC/OF	SC/IE	NSC/IP	SP L	EG A&A	PHC	ELG REF	NEW	\$ELG REF
WHEELCHAIRS AND ACC	ESSORI	ES													
L00 A MOTORIZED	2	8	10	34,478	4,310	3	3	1	3			1	2	5	2274.44
100 A1SCOOTERS	1	17	18	32,571	1,916	8	10			1		2	6	16	10766.53
100 B MANUAL CUSTOM	7	37	44	26,676	721	5	17	3	19	2		9	6	36	1604.29
LOO C MANUAL A/O	6	24	30	4,750	198	1	7	1	21	1	1	2	3	27	119.46
100 D ACCESSORIES		86	86	1,011	12	11	29	7	29	4	4	14	7	44	83.86
100 E CUSHION		44	44	782	18	6	23	2	13	2	1	11	9	35	98.86
100 F CUSHION CUSTO	M	87	87	16,451	189	19	36	8	23	2	5	17	10	45	1904.45
	16	303	319	116,718		53	125	22	108	12	11	56	43	208	16851.89

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¹ The Brief Report is renamed to the Summary Report with Patch RMPR*3*51, May 2001.

New Activities

Below is an example of **Station Summary of New Activities**:

STATION SUMMARY	(NEW) VA	Com	Total	Cost	Arre Com	Elg Ref \$
	V11				7100 00111	
	1,457	4,655	6,112	\$429,089	\$92	\$82,576
	SC/OP	NSC/OP	SC/IP	NSC/IP		
	646	2756	148	1032		
	SPEC LEG	A&A	PHC	ELG REF	NEW	
	387	68	485	1692	3273	
	Total Di	sability:	4,582	Unique SSN	: 2926	

Unique SSN

The Unique SSN is a total for the selected date range and includes both New and Repair items.

Repair Activities

Below is a screen example of Repair Activities.

	T OF REPAIR PRO 1, 1999 - DEC 3			CTIVIT	IES											
STA	TION: HINES ISC	VAMC	!													
Line	Item	VA	Com	Total	Cost	Ave Com	SC/OP	NSC/OP	SC/IP	NSC/IP	SP LEG	A&A	PHC	ELG RE	F NEW	\$ELG REF
	CHAIRS AND ACCE															
R10	WHEELCHAIR	455	541	996	31,099	57	226	322	45	178	3	18	74	17		887.93
		455			21 000			200	45	170	3	18	74	17		007.03
		455	541	996	31,099	57	226	322	45	178	3	18	/4	1 /	0	887.93
ARTIF	ICIAL LEGS															
	LEG A/K	6	28	34	11,590	414	30	4					1			
R20 B	LEG B/K, PTB	25	45	70	24,877	553	47	19	1	1			1	2		6937.53
R20 C	LEG B/K, STD			0	0											
R20 D	LEG ALL OTHER	7	4	11	2,153	538	4	3	1	3			1			
				115	20.600		01									
		38	77	115	38,620		81	26	2	4	0	0	3	2	0	6937.53
ΔΡΥΤΕ	ICIAL ARMS AND	тгрмт	NAT. P	FVTCES												
R30	ART ARM, TOTAL			-D V I CEO												
1000	ACT ACT, TOTAL															

Station Summary of Repair Activities Below is an example of **Station Summary of Repair Activities**:

STATION SUMMARY	(REPAIR) VA	Com	Total	Cost	Ave Com	Elg Ref \$
	587	13420	14007	\$138,073	\$10 	\$13,541
	SC/OP	NSC/OP	SC/IP	NSC/IP		
	552	1760	60	263		
	SPEC LEG	A&A	PHC	ELG REF	NEW	
	72	32	183	225	0	
	Total Dis	ability: 2	635			

Brief Used Summary (2) Option

The **Brief Used Summary (2)** option produces the NPPD Report showing only USED equipment dollars. No NEW inventory dollars are included on this report.

Note: Do not use this report for budgeting purposes as USED equipment has a 50 percent value in NPPD.

Brief Used Summary Report sample

1 I	BRIEF NEW S	SUMMARY						
2 1	BRIEF USED	SUMMARY						
3	BRIEF BOTH	SUMMARY						
4 1	DETAIL & NE	EW SUMMARY						
5 I	DETAIL & US	SED SUMMAR	Y					
6 I	DETAIL & BO	OTH SUMMAR	Y					
Type of Report: DETA: DEVICE: HOME// TELM		JMMARY// 2	BRIEF US	ED SUMMARY				
STATION SUMMARY (NEW USED INVENTORY ONLY	ACTIVITIES	5)						
	VA	Com	Total	Cost	Ave Com	Elg E	Ref	\$
	1	0	1	\$200				
	SC/OP	NSC/OP	SC/IP	NSC/IP				-
	1	0	0	0				
	SPEC LEG	A&A	PHC	ELG REF	NEW			
	0	0	0	0	1			
	Total Disa	ability: 1	Uni	que SSN: 4				

Brief Both Summary (3) Option

The **Brief Both Summary** (3) option provides an NPPD Report of both USED and NEW inventory dollars added together.

The purpose of this report is for your review of data validation. This report should not be used for budgeting purposes because USED equipment has a 50 percent value in NPPD, and this report adds the USED inventory dollars to the NEW inventory dollars.

Screen sample

Below is a sample **Brief Both Summary (3)** report.

ine Item	VA	Com	Total	Cost	Ave Com	SC/OP	NSC/OP	SC/IP	NSC/IP	SP LEG	A&A	PHC	ELG REF	NEW	\$ELG REF
HEELCHAIRS AND ACCE	SSORI	ES													
.00 A MOTORIZED		8	8	43,305	5,413	3	3		2	1	1		1	5	4622.57
.00 Alscooters		7	7	13,497	1,928	1	5		1			1	4	7	7930.93
.00 B MANUAL CUSTOM	1	19	20	10,310	543	5	10		5	1		2	7	16	3081.22
.00 C STANDARD		6	6	797	133	1	5			1		3	1	5	115.25
.00 D ACCESSORIES		35	35	483	14	9	14		7	2	1	4	7	12	153.36
.00 E CUSHION		16	16	273	17	3	6	2	4	2			4	12	50.56
.00 F CUSHION CUSTON	1	23	24	4,860	211	6	12	2	3	1	2	5	4	13	663.59
.00 G W/C CARRIERS		1	1	1,176	1,176		1			1				1	
	2	115	117	74.701		28	56	4	22	9	4	15	28	71	16617.48

Detail and New Summary (4) **Option**

The **Detail and New Summary** (4) option provides the same report format as the Detail Report. (This option is the default setting.)

This report contains the following:

- NEW Inventory dollars are included in this report.
- USED Inventory is reported at ZERO dollars.

Screen sample

```
Select NPPD Tools Option: Print NPPD Worksheets <Enter>
                  Enter Date to Start NPPD Calculations From: T-5 <Enter> (DEC 08, 2000)
                  Enter End Date: T <Enter> (DEC 13, 2000)
                        Sort Options
                        2 or 5 = USED INVENTORY ONLY (NEW REPORT)
                        1 or 4 = NEW ITEM COSTS, USED INVENTORY (VA) COST AS ZERO,
                                 (PREVIOUS BRIEF/DETAILED NPPD REPORT)
                        3 or 6 = NEW AND USED COST, BOTH DOLLAR AMOUNTS TOTALED (NEW REPORT)
                       Select one of the following:
                            1
                                      BRIEF NEW SUMMARY
                                      BRIEF USED SUMMARY
                            2
                                      BRIEF BOTH SUMMARY
                            3
                                      DETAIL & NEW SUMMARY
                                      DETAIL & USED SUMMARY
                                      DETAIL & BOTH SUMMARY
                  Type of Report: DETAIL & NEW SUMMARY// <Enter>
(The second
                  DEVICE:
                           <Enter> HOME// <Enter>
line of this
                  REPORT OF NEW PROSTHETICS ACTIVITIES
                  NEW ITEM COSTS, USED INVENTORY (VA) COST AS ZERO
                  DEC 08, 2000 - DEC 13, 2000
report is filter
                            STATION: ATLANTA VAMC
criteria. You
will see this
line if you
select either
Option #1 or
Option #4.)
```

Sample report

Below is a sample **Detail and New Summary (4)** report:

100 A MOTORIZE	D 		NOV 0	1, 2000 -	NOV 30	, 2000	Page: 1			
NAME	SSN	HCPCS QT	Y TYPE	COST	DATE	ITEM		HCPCS DES	WHO	
PROSPATIENT, ONE		K0014 1	I C				-ELECTRIC			
PROSPATIENT2, EIGHT	0028	K0014 1	ΙC	4622.57	11/07	WHEELCHAIR-	-ELECTRIC	OTHER POWER WHLCHR BASE	DMM	205631
PROSPATIENT2, NINE	0029	K0014 1	ΙC	4853.18	11/14	WHEELCHAIR-	-ELECTRIC	OTHER POWER WHLCHR BASE	DMM	206272
PROSPATIENT1, FOUR	0014	K0014 1	I C	7029.03	11/14	WHEELCHAIR-	-ELECTRIC	OTHER POWER WHLCHR BASE		206282
PROSPATIENT3, TEN	0030	K0011 1	R C	*4668.32	11/14	WHEELCHAIR-	-ELECTRIC	STND WT PWR WHLCHR W CONTROL	RP	206288
PROSPATIENT, TEN	0010	K0014 1	R C	*7212.86	11/20	WHEELCHAIR-	-ELECTRIC	OTHER POWER WHLCHR BASE	RP	206712
PROSPATIENT, FIVE	0005	K0014 1	R C	*6442.52	11/24	WHEELCHAIR-	-ELECTRIC	OTHER POWER WHLCHR BASE	SLS	207683
PROSPATIENT3,ONE	0031	K0011 1				WHEELCHAIR-		STND WT PWR WHLCHR W CONTROL	SLS	207735
 100 Al SCOOTERS			NOV 0			, 2000				
NAME										
DDOGDAMIENMA MY	0020			1040 00	11/07			LOWED ODERATED VEHICLE		205622
PROSPATIENTS, TWO	0032	E1230 I	T C	1949.00	11/07	CART-SCOOTS	LK.	POWER OPERATED VEHICLE	DMM	205623
PROSPATIENT3, THREE	0033	E1230 1	I C	1667.24	11/08	CART-SCOOTS	SK	POWER OPERATED VEHICLE	DMM	205795
PROSPATIENT3, FOUR	0034	E1230 1	T C	^2716.91	TT/08	CART-SCOOT	SK	POWER OPERATED VEHICLE	RP	205880
PROSPATIENT3, FIVE	0035	E1230 1	I C	1616.02	11/14	CART-SCOOTI	ER	POWER OPERATED VEHICLE	RP	206331
PROSPATIENT3,SIX	0036	E1230 1	I C	*1949.51	11/15	CART-SCOOTI	ER.	POWER OPERATED VEHICLE	SLS	206478
PROSPATIENT3, SEVEN	0037	E1230 1	I C	*1649.00	11/20	CART-SCOOTE	ER .	POWER OPERATED VEHICLE	DMM	206743
PROSPATIENT3,EIGHT	0038	E1230 1	ΙC	*1949.00	11/22	CART-SCOOTI	ER	POWER OPERATED VEHICLE	RP	206986
100 B MANUAL C	 USTOM		NOV 0	1, 2000 -	NOV 30	, 2000	Page: 3			
								HCPCS DES	WHO	#
PROSPATIENT3, NINE			I C	898.84			-QUICKIE 2			205235
PROSPATIENT, TEN		K0005 1	R C	1168.29			OUTCKIE 2	III.TRAI.IGHTWEIGHT WHEELCHAIR	SLS	205270
PROSPATIENT4, TEN		K0003 1	ΙC			WHEELCHAIR-	OUICKIE 2	LIGHTWEIGHT WHEELCHAIR	RP	
PROSPATIENT4,ONE		K0005 1	ΙC	424.85				ULTRALIGHTWEIGHT WHEELCHAIR		205467
PROSPATIENT, SIX		K0004 1	T C	366.01			-INV-9XT-18X16			205478
PROSPATIENT4,TWO		K0001 1	R C	1004.57		WHEELCHAIR-		HIGH STRENGTH LTWT WHLCHR	~-~	205518
		K0004 1	T C	366.01			-INV-9XT-18X16		RP	205510
PROSPATIENTI,FIVE PROSPATIENT3,EIGHT			I C	366.01			-INV-9XT-18X16 -INV-9XT-18X16		RP	205724
PROSPATIENT3, EIGHT			I C	366.01			-INV-9XT-18X16 -INV-9XT-18X16			205724
PROSPATIENT4.THREE				*476.46		WHEELCHAIR-		HIGH STRENGTH LTWT WHLCHR		205902
PROSPATIENT1.SEVEN			I C	419.76			-MANUAL INV-9XT-18x16		RP.	205980
PROSPATIENTI, SEVEN PROSPATIENTI, THREE			IC	419.76			INV-9XT-18X16			206226
PROSPATIENTI, THREE						WHEELCHAIR WHEELCHAIR-		ULTRALIGHTWEIGHT WHEELCHAIR	RP RP	206229
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PROSPATIENT3, FIVE PROSPATIENT3, TEN		K0003 1	T C	366.01				HIGH STRENGTH LTWT WHLCHR	RP	206481

Detail and Used Summary (5) Option

The **Detail and Used Summary (5)** option provides NPPD Reports that can be used for the purpose of "Cost Avoidance" Reports.

This report shows USED dollars. It also shows saved dollars to the VA hospitals because of issuing USED inventory items. It does *not* show NEW transactions.

Sample report

Below is a sample **Detail and Used Summary (5)** Report.

NOV 01, 2	NOV - 0000 STATION		000 ukee VAMC								
					1, 2000	- NOV 30	, 2000	Page: 1			
NAME		SSN	HCPCS QT	Y TYPE			ITEM		HCPCS DES	WHO	#
PROSPATIE								HAIR,OTHER	HIGH STRENGTH LTWT WHLCHR	SLS	207671
100 F	CUSHION	SPEC		NOV 0	1, 2000	- NOV 30	, 2000	Page: 2			
NAME			HCPCS QT						HCPCS DES	WHO	#
PROSPATIE							VAS-CUSHIO	ns	GEL PRESSRE PAD/CUSHION NONP		206694
400 F	BRACES,	KNEE		NOV 0		- NOV 30	, 2000				
NAME		SSN	HCPCS QT	Y TYPE					HCPCS DES	WHO	#
PROSPATIE	ENT1,FIVE	0015	L1825 1	I V	2.76	11/15	VAS-BRACE-	ALL OTHER	KO ELASTIC KNEE CAP	RP	206468
 500 C	SHOE MOI	DED, E	A	NOV 0	1, 2000	- NOV 30	, 2000	Page: 4			
NAME		SSN	HCPCS QT	Y TYPE	COST	DATE	ITEM		HCPCS DES	WHO	#
	,								9 SHOE MOLDED PLASTAZOTE CUST 9 SHOE MOLDED PLASTAZOTE CUST		205819 205908

Detail and Both Summary (6) Option

The **Detail and Both Summary (6)** option provides an NPPD report that shows both NEW and USED dollars added together.

Below is a sample Detail and Both Summary (6) report

						, 2000 Page: 1			
NAME	SSN	HCPCS QTY	TYPE	COST	DATE	ITEM	HCPCS DES	WHO	#
PROSPATIENT5.TEN	0050	K0014 1	ΙC	2665.93	11/06	WHEELCHAIR-ELECTRIC	OTHER POWER WHLCHR BASE	RP	205457
PROSPATIENT4, FIVE	0045	K0014 1	ΙC	4622.57	11/07	WHEELCHAIR-ELECTRIC	OTHER POWER WHLCHR BASE	DMM	205631
PROSPATIENT4.FOUR	0044	K0014 1	ΙC	4853.18	11/14	WHEELCHAIR-ELECTRIC	OTHER POWER WHLCHR BASE	DMM	206272
PROSPATIENT4, SEVEN	0047	K0014 1	ΙC	7029.03	11/14	WHEELCHAIR-ELECTRIC	OTHER POWER WHLCHR BASE	DMM	206282
PROSPATIENT4, EIGHT	0048	K0011 1	R C	*4668.32	11/14	WHEELCHAIR-ELECTRIC	STND WT PWR WHLCHR W CONTROL	RP	206288
PROSPATIENT3.TEN	0030	K0014 1	R C	*7212.86	11/20	WHEELCHAIR-ELECTRIC	OTHER POWER WHLCHR BASE	RP	206712
PROSPATIENT4, NINE	0049	K0014 1	R C	*6442.52	11/24	WHEELCHAIR-ELECTRIC	OTHER POWER WHLCHR BASE	SLS	207683
PROSPATIENT4,SIX	0046	K0011 1	I C	5810.38	11/27	WHEELCHAIR-ELECTRIC	OTHER POWER WHLCHR BASE OTHER POWER WHLCHR BASE OTHER POWER WHLCHR BASE OTHER POWER WHLCHR BASE ISTND WT PWR WHLCHR W CONTROL OTHER POWER WHLCHR BASE OTHER POWER WHLCHR BASE ISTND WT PWR WHLCHR BASE STND WT PWR WHLCHR W CONTROL	SLS	207735
100 A1 SCOOTERS			NOV 0	1, 2000 -	NOV 30	, 2000 Page: 2			
NAME	SSN	HCPCS QTY	TYPE	COST	DATE	ITEM	HCPCS DES	WHO	#
PROSPATIENT2, NINE	0029	E1230 1	I C	1667.24	11/08	CART-SCOOTER	POWER OPERATED VEHICLE	DMM	205795
PROSPATIENT3, TEN	0030	E1230 1	I C	*2716.91	11/08	CART-SCOOTER	POWER OPERATED VEHICLE	RP	205880
PROSPATIENT4, NINE	0049	E1230 1	I C	1616.02	11/14	CART-SCOOTER	POWER OPERATED VEHICLE	RP	206331
PROSPATIENT5,ONE	0051	E1230 1	I C	*1949.51	11/15	CART-SCOOTER	POWER OPERATED VEHICLE	SLS	206478
PROSPATIENT5, TWO	0052	E1230 1	I C	*1649.00	11/20	CART-SCOOTER	POWER OPERATED VEHICLE	DMM	206743
PROSPATIENT5, THREE	0053	E1230 1	ΙC	*1949.00	11/22	CART-SCOOTER	POWER OPERATED VEHICLE	RP	206986
100 B MANUAL CO	USTOM		NOV 0	1, 2000 -	NOV 30	, 2000 Page: 3			
NAME	SSN	HCPCS QTY	TYPE	COST	DATE	ITEM	HCPCS DES	WHO	#
PROSPATIENT5, FOUR	0054	K0005 1	I C	898.84	11/01	WHEELCHAIR-QUICKIE 2	ULTRALIGHTWEIGHT WHEELCHAIR ULTRALIGHTWEIGHT WHEELCHAIR LIGHTWEIGHT WHEELCHAIR ULTRALIGHTWEIGHT WHEELCHAIR		
PROSPATIENT5, FIVE	0055	K0005 1	R C	1168.29	11/01	WHEELCHAIR-QUICKIE 2	ULTRALIGHTWEIGHT WHEELCHAIR	SLS	205270
ROSPATIENT4,ONE	0041	K0003 1	I C	1118.84	11/06	WHEELCHAIR-QUICKIE 2	LIGHTWEIGHT WHEELCHAIR	RP	205445
ROSPATIENT, SIX	0006	K0005 1	I C	424.85	11/06	WHEELCHAIR INV-9XT-18x16	ULTRALIGHTWEIGHT WHEELCHAIR	RP	205467
ROSPATIENT3, EIGHT	0038	K0004 1	I C	366.01	11/06	WHEELCHAIR-INV-9XT-18X16	HIGH STRENGTH LTWT WHLCHR	SLS	205478
ROSPATIENT4.THREE	0043	K0004 1	R C	1004.57	11/06	WHEELCHAIR-MANUAL	HIGH STRENGTH LTWT WHLCHR	DMM	205518
ROSPATIENT, TEN	0010	K0004 1	I C	366.01	11/06	WHEELCHAIR-INV-9XT-18X16	HIGH STRENGTH LTWT WHLCHR	RP	205547
							HIGH STRENGTH LTWT WHLCHR		205724
PROSPATIENT5, SEVEN	0057	K0004 1	I C	366.01	11/08	WHEELCHAIR-INV-9XT-18X16	HIGH STRENGTH LTWT WHLCHR	DMM	205902
PROSPATIENT1, EIGHT	0018	K0004 1	I C	*476.46	11/09	WHEELCHAIR-MANUAL	HIGH STRENGTH LTWT WHLCHR HIGH STRENGTH LTWT WHLCHR HIGH STRENGTH LTWT WHLCHR HIGH STRENGTH LTWT WHLCHR	DMM	205980
PROSPATIENT5, EIGHT	0058	K0004 1	I C	419.76	11/14	WHEELCHAIR INV-9XT-18x16	HIGH STRENGTH LTWT WHLCHR	RP	206226
PROSPATIENT5, NINE	0059	K0004 1	I C	417.96	11/14	WHEELCHAIR INV-9XT-18x16	HIGH STRENGTH LTWT WHLCHR	RP	206229
PROSPATIENTO, IEN	0000	K0003 I	R C	"1337.13	TT/T#	MUPERCUATK-MMMOND	ODIKADIGHIMEIGHI MUEEDCHAIK	RP	200203
PROSPATIENT5,TWO	0052	K0004 1	ΙC	366.01	11/15	WHEELCHAIR-INV-9XT-18X16	HIGH STRENGTH LTWT WHLCHR	RP	206481
100 B MANUAL CU				1, 2000 -	NOV 30	, 2000 Page: 4			
		HCPCS QTY		OST D	ATE IT	EM	HCPCS DES	WHO	#
PROSPATIENT3, TEN	0030	K0004 1	I C	497.23	11/16 W	HEELCHAIR-MANUAL-ADULT-EA	HIGH STRENGTH LTWT WHLCHR HIGH STRENGTH LTWT WHLCHR HIGH STRENGTH LTWT WHLCHR HIGH STRENGTH LTWT WHLCHR	SLS	206550
ROSPATIENT2, NINE	0029	K0004 1	I C	451.67	11/16 W	HEELCHAIR-MANUAL-ADULT-EA	HIGH STRENGTH LTWT WHLCHR	SLS	206567
PROSPATIENT6,ONE	0061	K0004 1	I C	366.01	11/20 W	HEELCHAIR-INV-9XT-18X16	HIGH STRENGTH LTWT WHLCHR	DMM	206711
ROSPATIENTO, TWO	0062	KUUU4 1	T V	366.UI	11/24 V	AS-WHEELCHAIR, OTHER	HIGH STRENGTH LTWT WHLCHR	SLS	207671
							9 HIGH STRENGTH LIWT WHICHR		207710
							HIGH STRENGTH LTWT WHLCHR		207843
100 C STANDARD			NOV 0	1, 2000 -	NOV 30	, 2000 Page: 5			
NAME	SSN	HCPCS QTY	TYPE	COST	DATE I	TEM	HCPCS DES	WHO	#
	0043	K0001 1	I C	115.25	11/13	WHEELCHAIR-INVACARE-1000E	STANDARD WHEELCHAIR	SLS	206167
PROSPATIENT4.THREE		77.0001 1	T C	115 25	11/15	WHEELCHAIR-INVACARE-1000F	STANDARD WHEELCHAIR	RP	206388
PROSPATIENT4, THREE	0038	KUUUL .							
PROSPATIENT4, THREE PROSPATIENT3, EIGHT	0038	K0001 1	IC	115.25	11/21	WHEELCHAIR-INVACARE-1000E	STANDARD WHEELCHAIR	DMM	206886
PROSPATIENT4, THREE PROSPATIENT3, EIGHT PROSPATIENT2, TWO PROSPATIENT: FIVE	0038 0022 0005	K0001 1 K0001 1	I C	115.25	11/21 11/27	WHEELCHAIR-INVACARE-1000E WHEELCHAIR-MANUAL-ADULT-EA	STANDARD WHEELCHAIR	DMM SIS	206886
PROSPATIENT4, THREE PROSPATIENT3, EIGHT PROSPATIENT2, TWO PROSPATIENT, FIVE PROSPATIENT6, THREE PROSPATIENT6, FOUR	0038 0022 0005 0063	K0001 1 K0001 1 K0001 1 K0001 1	I C R C I C	115.25 220.60 115.25	11/21 11/27 11/27	WHEELCHAIR-INVACARE-1000E WHEELCHAIR-MANUAL-ADULT-EA WHEELCHAIR-INVACARE-1000E	STANDARD WHEELCHAIR STANDARD WHEELCHAIR STANDARD WHEELCHAIR	DMM SLS DMM	206886 207737 207745

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Appendix A – NPPD Groups and Lines

New Activities

NPPD Group	NPPD Line
WHEELCHAIRS AND ACCESSORIES	100 A MOTORIZED 100 A1 SCOOTERS 100 B MANUAL CUSTOM 100 C STANDARD 100 D W/C ACCESSORIES 100 E CUSHION 100 F CUSHION CUSTOM 100 G CARRIERS 100 H NSC VAN MODS 100 I SCOOTER ACCESSORIES
ARTIFICIAL LEGS	200 A LEG IPOP 200 B LEG TEM 200 C LEG PART FOOT 200 E LEG SYMES 200 F LEG B/K 200 G LEG A/O 200 H LEG A/K 200 I LEG COMPONENT
ARTIFICIAL ARMS / TERMINAL DEV	300 A ARM B/E 300 B ARM A/E 300 C COSMETIC GLOVES 300 D ARM A/O 300 E TERMINAL DEVICE 300 F EXT. POWERED AR
ORTHOSIS/ORTHOTICS	400 A ORTHOSIS ANKLE 400 B ORTHOSIS LEG A/K 400 C ORTHOSIS, SPINAL 400 D ORTHOSIS, AL/OTH 400 E COMP HOSE/BURN GARMENT 400 F ORTHOSIS, KNEE *400 G CORSET/BELT 400 H ORTHOSIS, WHO 400X ORTHOTICS UNKNOWN *Not active
SHOES/ORTHOTICS	500 A FOOT ORTHOSIS/INSERTS/ARCH SUPPORTS 500 B SHOE NON CUSTOM 500 C SHOE CUSTOM *500 D SHOE ORTH OTH *500 E INSERTS, SHOE *500 F SHOES A/O *Not active
SENSORI-NEURO AIDS	600 1 EYEGLASSES 600 A NO LONGER USED 600 B HEARING AIDS 600 C AID FOR BLIND 600 D CONT LENS 600 E EAR INSERT/MOLD 600 F ASST LISTENING DEVICES 600 G SPEECH DEVICES
RESTORATIONS	700 A EYE 700 B FACIAL 700 C BODY, OTHER

NPPD Group	NPPD Line
OXYGEN AND RESPIRATORY	800 A OXYGEN EQP 800 B OXYGEN CONCEN 800 C MOVED TO REPAIR 800 D OXYGEN, SUPPLIES 800 E MOVED TO REPAIR 800 F VENTILATOR, A/O 800 G RESPIRATORY EQUIPMENT 800 H RESPIRATORY SUPPLIES
MEDICAL EQUIPMENT	900 A WALKING AIDS 900 B PATIENT LIFT 900 C BED HOSP STD 900 D BED HOSP SPEC 900 E MATTRESS STAN 900 F MATTRESS SPEC 900 G BED, ACCESSORIES 900 H ENVIRON CONTROL 900 I HOME SAFETY EQUIP 900 J NO LONGER USED 900 K MED EQP AL/OTH 900 L NO LONGER USED 900 M COMPUTER EQUIPMENT 900 N TELEHEALTH 900 O EXERCISE EQUIPMENT 900 P HEALING/RESTORATIVE EQUIPMENT
ALL OTHER SUPPLIES AND EQUIP	910 A MED SUP AL/OTH 910 B BATTERIES
HOME DIALYSIS PROGRAM	920 A HOME DIAL EQP 920 B HOME DIAL SUP
ADAPTIVE EQUIPMENT	*930 A MOD VANS *930 B ADAPT EQP ALL/OTHER * Not active
HISA	940 A SC 940 B NSC
CLOTHING ALLOWANCE	*950 A APPROVED *950 B DISAPPROVED *Not active

NPPD Group		NPPD Line
SURGICAL IMPLANTS	960 A H	L&N ALL OTHER
	960 A1 H	I&N INTRAOCULAR LENS
	960 A2 H	I&N HEAD
	960 A3 H	I&N NECK
	960 A4 H	I&N EYES A/O
	960 B A	BDOMEN ALL OTHER
	960 B1 A	BDOMEN STENT
	960 B2 A	BDOMEN MESH
	960 B3 A	BDOMEN CATHETER
	960 C U	E ALL OTHER
	960 C1 U	TE ARM
	960 C2 U	E SHOULDER
	960 C3 U	TE HAND
	960 D L	E ALL OTHER
	960 D1 L	E HIP
	960 D2 L	E KNEE
	960 D3 L	E FOOT
		HORACIC ALL OTHER
	960 E1 T	HOR PACEMAKER/LEADS
		HOR ICD/LEADS
	960 E3 T	HOR STENTS
	960 E4 T	HOR VALVE
	960 E5 T	HORACIC A/O
	960 F D	ENTAL IMPLANTS
	960 G A	LL SCRWS, PLTS, ANCRS, ETC.
	960 X S	I UNKNOWNS (ALL)
MISC	999 A A	L/OTH ITEMS
	999 X H	ICPCS NOT GRP
	999 Z N	IO HCPCS

Repair Activities

NPPD Group		NPPD Line
WHEELCHAIRS AND ACCESSARIES	R10	NO LONGER USED
	R10 A	WHEELCHAIR
	R10 B	CARRIERS
	R10 C	NSC VAN MODS
ARTIFICIAL LEGS	R20 A	LEG A/K
	R20 B	NO LONGER USED
	R20 C	LEG B/K
	R20 D	LEG ALL OTHER
ARTIFICIAL ARMS AND TERMINAL DEVICES	R30	ART ARM,TOTAL
ORTHOSIS	R40	ORTHOSIS TOTAL
SHOES/ORTHOTICS	R50 A	ORTH SHOE ALL
	R50 B	SHOE MOD
	R50 C	A/O ITEM SERV
SENSORI-NEURO AIDS	R60 A	AID FOR BLIND
	R60 B	EYEGLASS RPR
	R60 C	HEARING AID
	R60 D	ASST LISTENING DEVICE
	R60 E	SPEECH DEVICES
HOME DIALYSIS EQUIPMENT	R70	HOME DIAL EQP
MEDICAL EQUIPMENT	R80 A	PATIENT LIFTS
	R80 B	REPAIR TO ECU
	R80 C	MED EQUIP A/O
	R80 D	HME DELIVERY/PICKUP
	R80 E R80 F	TELEHEALTH COMPUTERS
	Kou r	COMPUTERS
ALL OTHER	R90	ALL OTHER
	R90 A	NO LONGER USED
	R90 B	TRAINING
OXYGEN & RESPIRATORY	R91 A	CONCENTRATOR
	R91 B	VENTILATOR
	R91 C	EQUIPMENT A/O
	R91 D	SERVICE VISIT
	R91 E	COMPRESSED 02
	R91 F R91 G	LIQUID 02 (LBS.)
		LIQUID DEL SYS
	R91 H	RESPIRATORY EQUIP
ADAPTIVE EQUIPMENT (*Not active)	*R92 A	MOD VAN
	*R92 B	ADAPT EQUIPMENT
MISC	R99 A	SHIPPING
	R99 B	NONRESPONSE
	R99 X	HCPCS NOT GRP
	R99 Z	NO HCPCS
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Using Surgical Implants

Surgical HCPCS codes

Surgical HCPCS codes for NPPD are broken up by body sections (see below). Associate the surgical implant with the correct body section to determine which HCPCS to use. You can use the UNKNOWN HCPCS codes listed below for each NPPD line, only if a specific surgical implant HCPCS is unavailable.

You can use the UNKNOWN code for SI more than once on the same order.

Surgical Implants

Below are the surgical implant Lines and the appropriate unknown HCPCS code if needed.

NPPD Line	Description	Unknown HCPCS Codes
960 A	HEAD & NECK	UNKNOWN CODE IS SI199
960 B	ABDOMEN	UNKNOWN CODE IS SI299
960 C	UPPER EXTREMITY	UNKNOWN CODE IS SI399
960 D	LOWER EXTREMITY	UNKNOWN CODE IS SI499
960 E	THORACIC	UNKNOWN CODE IS SI599

Appendix B - NPPD Levels

Hierarchy

5 Levels of NPPD Hierarchy

There are 5 Levels of NPPD Hierarchy:

Looking at item STANDARD WHEELCHAR as an example:

Technical Note

This item has an identical item description on every VistA System and with each NPPD record.

<u>Common Description</u>: STANDARD WHEELCHAIR/FIXED FULL LENGTH ARMS/FIXED OR SWING AWAY DETACHABLE.

¹Appendix C – Question and Answer

NPPD Satellite Broadcast (Spring, 2000)

Introduction Below are the questions and answers given on the Prosthetics Satellite Broadcast

from Spring of 2000.

Q1 Why is there a separate NPPD line for Shipping Charges?

A1 Shipping is calculated separately on each purchase order and is calculated so as to not affect the actual cost of the product.

Q2 Why is choosing the Transaction Type I, R or X important?

A2 This is very important because the way NPPD works is similar in design to the old AMIS in that generally speaking if the item is purchased out of the FCP 910 account or repair/service account it is mapped in NPPD to the REPAIR section. In order for that to appear there the transaction type - X must be used. If not the average cost for a product in the NEW table will be skewed. This applies as well to rental of equipment and to the liquid and gas used in the oxygen program. All of these transactions should be made using the transaction type - X.

Q3 What transaction type do I use, because I rent my home oxygen equipment? A3 See above.

Q4 What is the proper way to purchase a limb? What is the calculation flag? How does it work? What items does it work with?

A4 It is important to remember that artificial limbs and Surgical Implants are the only purchase transactions that work in this manner. Remember every L Code used in the make up of a NEW or Implant limb should be used.

For example:

First, identify the Master Item File description of the base limb, for example PROSTHESIS, BELOW KNEE. This will be used throughout the purchase process as your "ITEM". The first PSAS HCPCS requested should be the basic L code used for the limb being purchased for example, L5300. The second master item file ITEM would again be the same PROSTHESIS BELOW KNEE however, the PSAS HCPCS code will be the next code listed on your FL ADP 10-90 or limb quotation form or limb prescription. This procedure should be used for each subsequent item listed on the 10-90. Your percentage discount can be inserted at

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¹ Appendix D added with Patch RMPR*3*57, May, 2001.

the end of this process by simply typing in the percentage of discount at the appropriate discount prompt. The computer will automatically calculate this for you. If you did the process correctly you should see one line entry on page #4 of the patients 2319. Looking at that same line entry you should see compressed all of the L codes you listed.

Q5 What is the patient ID# column on the NPPD report?

A5 The patient ID# is a number used to identify the patient without the need for the patient name or Social Security number when a correction needs to be completed. This is also a mechanism used to assist in patient privacy as this information is accessed by many individuals and the patient ID # limits access to this data.

Q6 What HCPCS do I use when repairing a wheelchair, the code for the wheelchair or the code for the part being repaired or replaced?

A6 When repairing an appliance such as a limb, brace, wheelchair, bed, patient lifter, etc. the easiest and most efficient way of recording this repair is to first select the Master Item File number for the item itself. Use the HCPCS code for the item as though you were buying a new wheelchair. You can describe the repairs in any manner you wish on the purchase document i.e.; parts and labor charges. When you get to the PSAS HCPCS prompt use the code for the new wheelchair as well. When you get the prompt asking for the ITEM TYPE use the "X" identifying this as a REPAIR. If done in this manner you repairs will be posted to the correct repair mapping table in NPPD.

In the case of limbs, braces and wheelchair components you may also use the specific HCPCS code for the item being replaced as long as you use the ITEM TYPE of "X".

Q7 How often should I review my facility's NPPD Report for errors?

A7 It is imperative that this report be printed at a minimum monthly to insure accuracy of our data. Commonly accepted HCPCS codes can be used for billing purposes to private insurance companies. If the data is accurate billing will be more readily acceptable to these firms.

Q8 What do the asterisks mean that are located next to a cost on our NPPD worksheets?

A8 The asterisk means that although a cost is present the transaction is not yet closed and the cost is subject to change.

Q9 Why are the HCPCs recommended by the Prosthetic Data Validation Committee correct at times and are also the wrong ones during the same year and sometimes quarters? How often do the HCPCs change?

A9 HCPCS codes are the domain the HCFA (Health Care Finance Association) they update their codes on an annual basis every January. The PDV committee meets on a quarterly basis beginning every January to review these changes. Every year HCFA deletes, changes and adds new codes. Many products provided by the VA are not reimbursable by Medicare consequently many items we in Prosthetics issue do not have identifiable codes. For this reason the PDV Committee established VA unique codes for these products. We also utilize codes that HCFA has determined that they will no longer accept for reimbursement but are products the VA through the Prosthetic Service still provides.

Appendix D - Glossary

Term	Description
2319 Record	VA Form 10-2319: Each time a patient receives medical equipment, supplies or services from Prosthetics Service, the item purchased is recorded on this form (Record of Appliance/Repair). This is an overall list of all appliances/repairs purchased for a veteran.
999 X	HCPCS NOT GROUPED. Entry coding error. When entering an "I" for initial issue, "R" for replacement issue, "S" for spare issue or "X" for repair codes must choose the proper type of issue so that it maps correctly in NPPD. If a piece of equipment (i.e., such as a wheelchair battery that has a HCPCS code of A4631) that has only a new NPPD line item code of 100 D is coded as a repair, then it will be mapped incorrectly in NPPD. It will also show up as an error in this category of 999 X.
999 Z	NO HCPCS. When an item does not have an assigned HCPCS code, and it does not fall under the category of durable medical equipment, then it should be coded as UNKNOWN, so that it will be mapped in NPPD under 999 Z.
Ad Hoc	Specific purpose. Example: MS Access ad hoc query done to obtain specific information.
Calculation Flag	Determines whether or not a HCPCS is used as a Main Component to display the entire cost of a purchase, when multiple items within the purchase make up a whole (e.g., when purchasing a limb).
CD	Compact disk.
Cost	Cost of the item issued. *Cost – Transaction is still open and cost is subject to change when it closes out.
СРТ	The Current Procedural Terminology Code assigned to the HCPCS.
CPT Modifier	Authorized modifier(s) consistent with the HCFA standard that can be used with this HCPCS.
DSS	Decision Support System.
E1399	Generic code for durable medical equipment that does not have a specific HCFA or VA unique code. No HCPCS code was established for a particular piece of equipment. They should not be entering medical equipment or supplies other than DME under this code if a code is not available.

Term	Description
HCPCS	Healthcare Financing Administration Common Procedure Coding System. A code that represents an item or service.
Item	An Item or Appliance kept in the Pros Master Item file.
MCCF	Medical Care Cost Funds.
NPPD	National Prosthetics Patient Database.
NPPD New Code	Used in mapping the HCPCS. If used, appears under New Activities on the NPPD worksheets.
NPPD Repair Code	Used in mapping the HCPCS. Appears under Repair Activities on the NPPD worksheets.
Pre-determined Lab Time	Used to track lab employee time and salary for dispensing stock.
PSAS	Prosthetics Sensory Aids Service.
PSAS Item	An item that can be issued to a patient. There may be multiple PSAS items associated with one HCPCS: 1 - Sling, arm extra large 2 - Sling, arm medium 3 - Sling, arm small
Qty	Number issued.
Status	Active or Inactive when referring to a HCPCS PSAS. An Active HCPCS is selectable when entering a HCPCS for a new transaction.
Type of Transaction	A first time issue, a repair of a previous issue, a spare, or a replacement of a stock item: • Initial = I • Repair = X • Spare = S • Replace = R

Term	Description
Unknown	A VA unique HCPCS code to be used when the item is not a piece of durable medical equipment and there is no HCFA code available. Total number of UNKNOWN codes should decrease as the Data Validation Group develops new VA unique codes, HCFA establishes a HCPCS code, and when prosthetic personnel correctly choose the proper code instead of utilizing UNKNOWN to get by the system.
VISTA Number	The number (IEN to file 660) on the local Station's VISTA system.
Who	Prosthetics staff person that issued the item.