



Western Australian Coding Rule

0515/07 Replacement of MEMOKATH urinary stent in ileal conduit

WA Coding Rule 1014/01 *Replacement of MEMOKATH urinary stent in ileal conduit* is superseded by ACCD Coding Rule **Replacement of stent in an ileal conduit** (Ref No: Q2936) effective 1 July 2015; (log in to view on the [ACCD CLIP portal](#)).

DECISION

WA Coding Rule 1014/01 *Replacement of MEMOKATH urinary stent in ileal conduit* is retired.

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What code is assigned for replacement of a MEMOKATH urinary stent in ileal conduit?

Documentation: previous stent dislodged; conuitoscopy; ureteroscopy; replace stent: removed old stent, new one placed.

Patient has a stenosed ileal conduit, with previous insertion of stent into the conduit, to bridge the stenosis and keep the conduit patent.

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An ileal conduit is a form of urostomy. A segment of ileum, replaces the excised bladder. The ileal segment/conduit drains urine from the ureters to the outside of the body, through the abdominal wall (urostomy). The ileal segment/conduit no longer acts as a part of the gastrointestinal tract but rather the urinary tract.

ACHI has specific codes for insertion of ureteral and urethral stents; and replacement of ureteric stents.

ACHI does not have specific codes for removal, insertion or replacement of stents into an ileal conduit.

92122-00 [1902] *Removal of other device from urinary system* is not appropriate for removal of stent from ileal conduit, as codes in block [1902] are for non-invasive, non-operative removal of devices from the urinary tract.

Following index pathway: "Procedure, urinary system NEC," assign 90366-00 [1129] *Other procedures on urinary system*, for replacement of MEMOKATH urinary stent in ileal conduit.

DECISION

This query has been forwarded to the ACCD for guidance. In the interim, assign 90366-00 [1129] *Other procedures on urinary system*, for replacement of MEMOKATH urinary stent in ileal conduit.

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