

MiVu™ Mucosal Integrity Testing System Coding Guide

This document provides the representative coding and Medicare payment amounts for the MiVu™ Mucosal Integrity Testing System. Mucosal Integrity Testing is performed under endoscopic guidance such as esophagogastroduodenoscopy (EGD), and may be performed in combination with esophageal biopsy or other interventions. Reporting of medically necessary procedures should be supported by appropriate medical record documentation.

MiVu™ Mucosal Integrity Testing System is used to aid in distinguishing esophageal disorders, specifically gastroesophageal reflux disease (GERD), eosinophilic esophagitis (EoE), and Non-GERD. The system consists of a probe with associated signal conditioning, hardware, and software for measuring and displaying information.

Physician Coding and Medicare Payment

The following CPT® codes may be appropriate to describe procedures associated with Mucosal Integrity Testing. Physician payments referenced below are national Medicare averages.

CPT®* Code	Code Description	In Office Medicare National Average Payment CY2020 ¹	In a Facility Medicare National Average Payment CY2020 ¹
91299	Diagnostic gastroenterology procedure, not otherwise classified	Carrier Priced [‡]	Carrier Priced [‡]
43239	Esophagogastroduodenoscopy, flexible, transoral; with biopsy; single or multiple	\$372	\$130
43499	Unlisted procedure, esophagus	Carrier Priced [‡]	Carrier Priced [‡]

[‡]Carriers/MACs priced code. Carriers/MACs will establish RVUs and payment amounts for these services, generally on an individual case-by-case basis following review of documentation such as an operative report.

Hospital Outpatient Coding and Medicare Payment

The following CPT® codes may be appropriate to describe procedures associated with Mucosal Integrity Testing. Ambulatory Payment Classifications (APCs) are Medicare hospital outpatient payment groupings assigned to each CPT® code. The following table summarizes the 2020 APC assignment and Medicare payments for procedures associated with Mucosal Integrity Testing procedure.

CPT®* Code	Code Description	Medicare Status Indicator	APC Assignment	Medicare National Average Payment CY2020 ²
91299	Diagnostic gastroenterology procedure, not otherwise classified	S	5721	\$140
43239	Esophagogastroduodenoscopy, flexible, transoral; with biopsy; single or multiple	T	5301	\$797
43499	Unlisted procedure, esophagus	T	5301	\$797

Device Reporting

The MiVu™ Mucosal Integrity Balloon Probe is a single-use, disposable supply that meets CMS' criteria as a separately reportable supply item.

Hospital Revenue Code Assignment

Revenue Code	Code Description
0272	Supplies, sterile

Hospital HCPCS Code Assignment

HCPCS Code	Code Description
C1889	Implantable/insertable device, not otherwise classified

Reimbursement Assistance

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¹CMS-1715-F – Physician Fee Schedule final rule CY2020, effective through December 31, 2020.

³CMS-1717-FC – Hospital Outpatient Prospective Payment System final rule CY2020. January 2020 Addendum B.

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