



AGENT™

Drug-Coated Balloon

HCPCS C-Code Use in the Outpatient Hospital Setting

Effective January 1, 2025, there is a new HCPCS C-code to describe the AGENT™ drug-coated balloon.

C9610: Catheter transluminal drug delivery with or without angioplasty, coronary, non-laser; (insertable)

C9610 is reported by the facility for procedures done in the outpatient setting.

C9610 also qualifies for the new technology transitional pass-through (TPT) payment.

If you have questions or would like additional information, please email: IC.Reimbursement@bsci.com

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