



Ostomy Documentation

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Documentation Requirements

All Insurances

- Ostomy Supplies Prescription
- Medical records (see below for criteria)

Medical Record Requirements

- Face-to-face visit with treating practitioner documenting patient has a colostomy, ileostomy, or urostomy.
 - For Medicaid, this visit must take place within 6 months of the order.
- Medical record should document:
 - Type of ostomy.
 - Condition of the skin surrounding the ostomy.
 - Location of the ostomy.
 - Frequency of supplies needed.
- Triton cannot bill insurance for ostomy supplies if the patient is receiving home health care. The home health agency is responsible for providing ostomy supplies during the home health episode.