

Reimbursement Policy Provider Newsletter Article

Policy Update

Multiple and Bilateral Surgery: Professional and Facility Reimbursement

(Policy 06-010, effective 05/01/20)

Currently, Amerigroup Community Care allows reimbursement to professional providers and facilities for multiple and bilateral surgery. Reimbursement is based on multiple and bilateral procedure rules in accordance with contracts and/or state guidelines for applicable surgical procedures **performed at the same session by the same provider.**

Effective May 1, 2020, reimbursement will be based on multiple and bilateral procedure rules in accordance with contracts and/or state guidelines for applicable surgical procedures performed **on the same day by the same provider to the same patient.**

Please visit <https://providers.amerigroup.com/MD> > Quick Tools > Reimbursement Policies > Coding to view the *Multiple and Bilateral Surgery: Professional and Facility Reimbursement* policy for additional information regarding percentages and reimbursement criteria.