Oregon Health Plan Prioritized List Changes High-Frequency Chest Wall Oscillation Devices

The Health Evidence Review Commission approved the following changes to the Prioritized List of Health Services on August 11, 2022, based on the coverage guidance report, "High-Frequency Chest Wall Oscillation Devices." These changes take effect on the Prioritized List of Health Services for the Oregon Health Plan on January 1, 2023.

Changes to the Prioritized List of Health Services:

1) Move CPT 94669 from Line 502 to Lines 20, 58, 71, and 197

Delete CPT 94669 (Mechanical chest wall oscillation to facilitate lung function, per session) from Line 502 CONDITIONS FOR WHICH INTERVENTIONS RESULT IN MARGINAL CLINICAL BENEFIT OR LOW COST-EFFECTIVENESS

 Remove the associated entry for "Mechanical chest wall oscillation" from Guideline 172 INTERVENTIONS WITH MARGINAL CLINICAL BENEFIT OR LOW COST-EFFECTIVENESS FOR CERTAIN CONDITIONS

Add CPT 94669 to the following Lines:

- 20 CYSTIC FIBROSIS
- 58 BRONCHIECTASIS
- 71 NEUROLOGICAL DYSFUNCTION IN BREATHING, EATING, SWALLOWING, BOWEL, OR BLADDER CONTROL CAUSED BY CHRONIC CONDITIONS; ATTENTION TO OSTOMIES
- 197 CONGENITAL LUNG ANOMALIES

2) Add HCPCS A7025, A7026, and E0483 to Lines 20, 58, 71, and 197

Add the following HCPCS codes to Lines 20, 58, 71, and 197:

- HCPCS A7025 (High frequency chest wall oscillation system vest, replacement for use with patient owned equipment, each)
- HCPCS A7026 (High frequency chest wall oscillation system hose, replacement for use with patient owned equipment, each)
- HCPCS E0483 (High frequency chest wall oscillation system, includes all accessories and supplies, each)

3) Adopt new guideline based on the Coverage Guidance Box Language

Guideline Note XXX: HIGH-FREQUENCY CHEST WALL OSCILLATION DEVICES *Lines 20, 58, 71, 197*

High-frequency chest wall oscillation devices are included on these lines ONLY when:

- A) The patient has cystic fibrosis, AND
 - 1) There is documentation of frequent exacerbations requiring antibiotics, frequent hospitalization, OR rapidly declining lung function measured by spirometry, despite either:
 - a) receiving chest physiotherapy and positive expiratory pressure therapy, OR

- b) documentation that such therapies are not tolerated, contraindicated, not effective, or not available (e.g., inability of a caregiver to perform chest physiotherapy); OR
- B) The patient has non-cystic fibrosis bronchiectasis AND the three criteria below are all met:
 - 1) The bronchiectasis is confirmed by computed tomography (CT) scan, AND
 - 2) The patient has experienced either:
 - a) daily productive cough for at least 6 continuous months, OR
 - b) frequent (> 2 times a year) exacerbations requiring antibiotic therapy, AND
 - 3) The patient has received mucolytics and less costly airway clearance treatments (e.g., chest physiotherapy, positive expiratory pressure therapy, self-management techniques) OR such therapies are not tolerated, contraindicated, not effective, or not available (e.g., inability of a caregiver to perform chest physiotherapy); OR
- C) The patient has neuromuscular disease resulting in chronic lung disease when there is evidence of chronic lung infection, despite either:
 - 1) receiving chest physiotherapy and positive expiratory pressure therapy, OR
 - 2) documentation that such therapies are not tolerated, contraindicated, not effective, or not available (e.g., inability of a caregiver to perform chest physiotherapy).