

Cardiology Supplemental Application

Please help us appropriately classify your medical practice by checking all tiers that apply. For example, if the descriptions provided for Tiers I & II both apply to your practice, please check both “Tier I” & “Tier II.”

Tier I – This tier includes cardiologists who are non-hospital based (office-based only) & whose practices may be described as non-procedural. Examples of specific procedures included in this tier are:

- ACLS
- Echocardiogram
- Echocardiography interpretation including transesophageal & stress echocardiography
- Extracorporeal balloon counterpulsation (ECBC)
- Holter, event monitor, & rhythm device interpretation
- Holter scanning
- Interrogation & reprogramming of an implanted Loop recorder
- Stress echocardiogram
- Tilt table testing
- Treadmill Testing
- Ultrasound vascular imaging
- Use of thrombolytic agents

Tier II – This tier includes cardiologists who are either hospital-based or office-based & whose practices are procedural, but non-interventional. Examples of specific procedures included in this tier are:

- Angiographic injections (left/right atrium, left/right ventricle, aorta, pulmonary artery, coronary artery, bypass, grafts, renal arteries, iliac & peripheral arteries)
- Cardioversion
- Electrical cardioversion
- Infusaport
- Insertion & management of arterial, central venous & pulmonary artery catheters
- Interpretation of cardiac MRI, CT or PET
- Interrogation & reprogramming of heart rhythm devices
- Intra-aortic balloon pump insertion & placement
- Invasive or non-invasive vascular imaging
- Left or right heart catheterization
- Loop recorder implants
- Pacemaker insertions, temporary
- Pericardiocentesis
- Peripheral perfusion infusions
- Post-op open heart surgery management in hospital
- TEE
- Temporary transvenous pacemaker placement
- Vascular access procedures for hemodialysis & chemotherapy

Tier III – This tier includes cardiologists who are either hospital-based or office-based & whose practices are interventional – peripheral, coronary, valvular or electrophysiology. Examples of specific procedures included in this tier are:

- Angioplasty
- Balloon pulmonary valvuloplasty
- Cardiac surgical procedures using extracorporeal circulation
- Carotid artery angioplasty/stenting
- Catheter based deployment/implantation of atrial/ventricular septal closure device
- Catheter based deployment/implantation of atrial appendage occluder device
- Electrophysiology with diagnostic testing & catheter-based ablation (interventional electrophysiology) within the heart & pericardium
- Implantation of coronary sinus LV lead for pacing
- Implantation, testing & replacement of cardiac rhythm devices (defibrillators & pacers)
- Intra-operative coronary angioplasty
- Invasive vascular procedures on the peripheral arteries or veins, including operations on the aorta & major veins involving venotomy, thrombectomy & catheter-based reconstructive procedures
- Laser procedures (Argon, CO₂, YAG)
- Lead extraction
- Lead placement
- Other catheter-based ablation technologies (cryoablation, laser ablation & ultrasound ablation)
- Pacemaker insertions, permanent
- Percutaneous angioplasty/stenting (PCI)
- Peripheral perfusion procedures
- Permanent pacing
- Radiofrequency ablation
- Surgery for peripheral venous diseases including excision & grafting of stasis ulcers
- Transatrial septal puncture with left atrial pressure recordings
- Vena cava interruptions/clipping
- Venoplasty

I hereby declare and warrant that all answers and statements herein given are true and complete to the best of my knowledge and that no material fact or circumstance concerning the subject matter of this survey has been omitted or withheld. I understand that these answers and statements are material and as such will be relied upon in the determination by the company to grant my liability insurance.

Name:

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