



BlueCross BlueShield of MN Joint Surgery Comprehensive Code List

CPT® Code	CPT® Code Description	Requires PA
23000	Removal of subdeltoid calcareous deposits, open	Yes
23020	Capsular contracture release (eg, Sever type procedure)	Yes
23120	Claviclectomy; partial	Yes
23130	Acromioplasty or acromionectomy, partial, with or without coracoacromial ligament release	Yes
23410	Repair of ruptured musculotendinous cuff (eg, rotator cuff) open; acute	Yes
23412	Repair of ruptured musculotendinous cuff (eg, rotator cuff) open; chronic	Yes
23415	Coracoacromial ligament release, with or without acromioplasty	Yes
23420	Reconstruction of complete shoulder (rotator) cuff avulsion, chronic (includes acromioplasty)	Yes
23430	Tenodesis of long tendon of biceps	Yes
23440	Resection or transplantation of long tendon of biceps	Yes
23450	Capsulorrhaphy, anterior; Putti-Platt procedure or Magnuson type operation	Yes
23455	Capsulorrhaphy, anterior; with labral repair (eg, Bankart procedure)	Yes
23460	Capsulorrhaphy, anterior, any type; with bone block	Yes
23462	Capsulorrhaphy, anterior, any type; with coracoid process transfer	Yes
23465	Capsulorrhaphy, glenohumeral joint, posterior, with or without bone block	Yes
23466	Capsulorrhaphy, glenohumeral joint, any type multi-directional instability	Yes
23470	Arthroplasty, glenohumeral joint; hemiarthroplasty	Yes
23472	Arthroplasty, glenohumeral joint; total shoulder (glenoid and proximal humeral replacement (eg, total shoulder))	Yes
23473	Revision of total shoulder arthroplasty, including allograft when performed; humeral or glenoid component	Yes
23474	Revision of total shoulder arthroplasty, including allograft when performed; humeral and glenoid component	Yes
27125	Hemiarthroplasty, hip, partial (eg, femoral stem prosthesis, bipolar arthroplasty)	Yes
27130	Arthroplasty, acetabular and proximal femoral prosthetic replacement (total hip arthroplasty), with or without autograft or allograft	Yes
27132	Conversion of previous hip surgery to total hip arthroplasty, with or without autograft or allograft	Yes
27134	Revision of total hip arthroplasty; both components, with or without autograft or allograft	Yes

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27137	Revision of total hip arthroplasty; acetabular component only, with or without autograft or allograft	Yes
27138	Revision of total hip arthroplasty; femoral component only, with or without allograft	Yes
27332	Arthrotomy, with excision of semilunar cartilage (meniscectomy) knee; medial OR lateral	Yes
27333	Arthrotomy, with excision of semilunar cartilage (meniscectomy) knee; medial AND lateral	Yes
27334	Arthrotomy, with synovectomy, knee; anterior OR posterior	Yes
27335	Arthrotomy, with synovectomy, knee; anterior AND posterior including popliteal area	Yes
27403	Arthrotomy with meniscus repair, knee	Yes
27412	Autologous chondrocyte implantation, knee	Yes
27415	Osteochondral allograft, knee, open	Yes
27416	Osteochondral autograft(s), knee, open (eg, mosaicplasty) (includes harvesting of autograft[s])	Yes
27418	Anterior tibial tubercleplasty (eg, Maquet type procedure)	Yes
27420	Reconstruction of dislocating patella; (eg, Hauser type procedure)	Yes
27422	Reconstruction of dislocating patella; with extensor realignment and/or muscle advancement or release (eg, Campbell, Goldwaite type procedure)	Yes
27424	Reconstruction of dislocating patella; with patellectomy	Yes
27425	Lateral retinacular release, open	Yes
27427	Ligamentous reconstruction (augmentation), knee; extra-articular	Yes
27428	Ligamentous reconstruction (augmentation), knee; intra-articular (open)	Yes
27429	Ligamentous reconstruction (augmentation), knee; intra-articular (open) and extra-articular	Yes
27430	Quadricepsplasty (eg, Bennett or Thompson type)	Yes
27438	Arthroplasty, patella; with prosthesis	Yes
27440	Arthroplasty, knee, tibial plateau;	Yes
27441	Arthroplasty, knee, tibial plateau; with debridement and partial synovectomy	Yes
27442	Arthroplasty, femoral condyles or tibial plateau(s), knee;	Yes
27443	Arthroplasty, femoral condyles or tibial plateau(s), knee; with debridement and partial synovectomy	Yes
27446	Arthroplasty, knee, condyle and plateau; medial OR lateral compartment	Yes
27447	Arthroplasty, knee, condyle and plateau; medial AND lateral compartments with or without patella resurfacing (total knee arthroplasty)	Yes
27486	Revision of total knee arthroplasty, with or without allograft; 1 component	Yes
27487	Revision of total knee arthroplasty, with or without allograft; femoral and entire tibial component	Yes
29805	Arthroscopy, shoulder, diagnostic, with or without synovial biopsy (separate procedure)	Yes
29806	Arthroscopy, shoulder, surgical; capsulorrhaphy	Yes
29807	Arthroscopy, shoulder, surgical; repair of SLAP lesion	Yes
29819	Arthroscopy, shoulder, surgical; with removal of loose body or foreign body	Yes

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29820	Arthroscopy, shoulder, surgical; synovectomy, partial	Yes
29821	Arthroscopy, shoulder, surgical; synovectomy, complete	Yes
29822	Arthroscopy, shoulder, surgical; debridement, limited, 1 or 2 discrete structures (eg, humeral bone, humeral articular cartilage, glenoid bone, glenoid articular cartilage, biceps tendon, biceps anchor complex, labrum, articular capsule, articular side of the rotator cuff, bursal side of the rotator cuff, subacromial bursa, foreign body[ies])	Yes
29823	Arthroscopy, shoulder, surgical; debridement, extensive, 3 or more discrete structures (eg, humeral bone, humeral articular cartilage, glenoid bone, glenoid articular cartilage, biceps tendon, biceps anchor complex, labrum, articular capsule, articular side of the rotator cuff, bursal side of the rotator cuff, subacromial bursa, foreign body[ies])	Yes
29824	Arthroscopy, shoulder, surgical; distal claviclectomy including distal articular surface (Mumford procedure)	Yes
29825	Arthroscopy, shoulder, surgical; with lysis and resection of adhesions, with or without manipulation	Yes
29826	Arthroscopy, shoulder, surgical; decompression of subacromial space with partial acromioplasty, with coracoacromial ligament (ie, arch) release, when performed (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	Yes
29827	Arthroscopy, shoulder, surgical; with rotator cuff repair	Yes
29828	Arthroscopy, shoulder, surgical; biceps tenodesis	Yes
29860	Arthroscopy, hip, diagnostic with or without synovial biopsy (separate procedure)	Yes
29861	Arthroscopy, hip, surgical; with removal of loose body or foreign body	Yes
29862	Arthroscopy, hip, surgical; with debridement/shaving of articular cartilage (chondroplasty), abrasion arthroplasty, and/or resection of labrum	Yes
29863	Arthroscopy, hip, surgical; with synovectomy	Yes
29866	Arthroscopy, knee, surgical; osteochondral autograft(s) (eg, mosaicplasty) (includes harvesting of the autograft[s])	Yes
29867	Arthroscopy, knee, surgical; osteochondral allograft (eg, mosaicplasty)	Yes
29868	Arthroscopy, knee, surgical; meniscal transplantation (includes arthrotomy for meniscal insertion), medial or lateral	Yes
29870	Arthroscopy, knee, diagnostic, with or without synovial biopsy (separate procedure)	Yes
29871	Arthroscopy, knee, surgical; for infection, lavage and drainage	Yes
29873	Arthroscopy, knee, surgical; with lateral release	Yes
29874	Arthroscopy, knee, surgical; for removal of loose body or foreign body (eg, osteochondritis dissecans fragmentation, chondral fragmentation)	Yes
29875	Arthroscopy, knee, surgical; synovectomy, limited (eg, plica or shelf resection) (separate procedure)	Yes
29876	Arthroscopy, knee, surgical; synovectomy, major, 2 or more compartments (eg, medial or lateral)	Yes
29877	Arthroscopy, knee, surgical; debridement/shaving of articular cartilage (chondroplasty)	Yes
29879	Arthroscopy, knee, surgical; abrasion arthroplasty (includes chondroplasty where necessary) or multiple drilling or microfracture	Yes
29880	Arthroscopy, knee, surgical; with meniscectomy (medial AND lateral, including any meniscal shaving) including debridement/shaving of articular cartilage (chondroplasty), same or separate compartment(s), when performed	Yes
29881	Arthroscopy, knee, surgical; with meniscectomy (medial OR lateral, including any meniscal shaving) including debridement/shaving of articular cartilage (chondroplasty), same or separate compartment(s), when performed	Yes
29882	Arthroscopy, knee, surgical; with meniscus repair (medial OR lateral)	Yes

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29883	Arthroscopy, knee, surgical; with meniscus repair (medial AND lateral)	Yes
29884	Arthroscopy, knee, surgical; with lysis of adhesions, with or without manipulation (separate procedure)	Yes
29885	Arthroscopy, knee, surgical; drilling for osteochondritis dissecans with bone grafting, with or without internal fixation (including debridement of base of lesion)	Yes
29886	Arthroscopy, knee, surgical; drilling for intact osteochondritis dissecans lesion	Yes
29887	Arthroscopy, knee, surgical; drilling for intact osteochondritis dissecans lesion with internal fixation	Yes
29888	Arthroscopically aided anterior cruciate ligament repair/augmentation or reconstruction	Yes
29889	Arthroscopically aided posterior cruciate ligament repair/augmentation or reconstruction	Yes
29914	Arthroscopy, hip, surgical; with femoroplasty (ie, treatment of cam lesion)	Yes
29915	Arthroscopy, hip, surgical; with acetabuloplasty (ie, treatment of pincer lesion)	Yes
29916	Arthroscopy, hip, surgical; with labral repair	Yes
S2118	Metal-on-metal total hip resurfacing, including acetabular and femoral components	Yes

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