

New Payment Policy: Robotic and Computer Assisted Surgery

Effective June 1, 2021, MVP Health Care® (MVP) will be transitioning the *Robotic and Computer Assisted Surgery* medical policy to a payment policy. Robotic and Computer Assisted Surgery procedures will no longer be reviewed as experimental/investigational, and MVP will not provide additional reimbursement based upon the type of instruments, techniques, or approach used in the surgical procedure.

MVP provides coverage for surgical procedures that are medically necessary and meet the criteria of the policy. The use of specific surgical techniques, instrumentation, and surgical approach is left to the discretion of the surgeon. MVP does not provide additional professional or technical reimbursement for use of robotic or computer assisted instrumentation.

Effective June 1, 2021, the following CPT Codes will be considered global to the primary procedure with no additional reimbursement:

CPT Code	Description
0054T	Computer-assisted musculoskeletal surgical navigational orthopedic procedure, with image-guidance based on fluoroscopic images
0055T	Computer-assisted musculoskeletal surgical navigational orthopedic procedure, with image-guidance based on CT/MRI images
20985	Computer-assisted musculoskeletal surgical navigational orthopedic procedure, with image-guidance based on CT/MRI images
S2900	Surgical techniques requiring use of robotic surgical system

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