



Western Australian Coding Rule

0713/01 McCall's culdoplasty

ACCD Coding Rule **McCall's culdoplasty** (Ref No: Q2661) was retired on 30 June 2013. In ICD-10-AM/ACHI/ACS Eighth Edition (effective 1 July 2013), a new Alphabetic Index entry was created for McCall's culdoplasty.



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0711/10 McCall's culdoplasty

WA Coding Rule 0610/01 *McCall's culdoplasty* is superseded by ACCD Coding Rule **McCall's culdoplasty** (Ref No: Q2661) effective 1 July 2011; (log in to view on the [ACCD CLIP portal](#)).

DECISION

WA Coding Rule 0610/01 *McCall's culdoplasty* is retired.

[Effective 1 Jul 2011, ICD-10-AM/ACHI/ACS 7th Ed.]

RETIRED



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0610/01 McCall's culdoplasty

Q.

Our surgeon usually performs a McCall's culdoplasty at the time of vaginal hysterectomy. The culdoplasty is to prevent prolapse in the future. What is the appropriate procedure code assignment? 35597-01 [1285] has been suggested by our coding auditor.

A.

McCall's culdoplasty has been recognised as a preventative measure during vaginal hysterectomy to prevent future vault prolapse. Some surgeons routinely perform it at time of vaginal hysterectomy.

The procedure is performed vaginally and involves suspension of the vaginal vault into the origins of the uterosacral ligaments with obliteration of the cul-de-sac ("Pouch of Douglas").

Index pathway *Suspension, vaginal vault* does not have an option for vaginal approach. The only alternative is *Colpopexy, unspecified* = 35597-01 [1285] *Sacral colpopexy*

DECISION

A query will be sent to the NCCC. In the meantime, assign the code *Colpopexy, unspecified* 35597-01 [1285]

[Effective 06 Jun 2010, ICD-10-AM/ACHI/ACS 6th Ed.]