

WheelChair Allowables Medicare/Medicaid and Insurance Guideline Information

MEDICARE:

Medicare rents the wheelchair for 13 months and then the unit becomes patient owned. Medicare will consider replacement of chair every five years if cost for parts exceeds certain predetermined amount. Repairs needed while the wheelchair is renting, will be done at THC expense unless deemed patient neglect.

K0001 WHC; Standard	\$48.75
K0002 WHC; Standard Hemi (low seat for heights under 5’3”).....	\$76.62
K0003 WHC; Lightweight (unable to propel std but can lightwgt.)	\$79.96
K0006 WHC; Heavy Duty (must weigh at least 251 lbs).....	\$123.18
K0007 WHC; Extra Heavy Duty (must weigh at least 301 lbs).....	\$187.43
K0195 Elevating Leg Rests	\$19.07
E1226 Reclining Wheelchair Package.....	\$50.12
E0966 Headrest Extension.....	\$7.36
E0971 Anti-tip Device	\$4.56

MEDICAID:

Medicaid rents the wheelchair for 10 months. A prior approval is required. Repairs needed while the wheelchair is renting, will be done at THC expense unless deemed patient neglect.

K0001 WHC; Standard	\$46.43
K0002 WHC; Standard Hemi (low seat for heights under 5’3”).....	\$72.87
K0003 WHC; Lightweight (unable to propel std but can lghtwt)	\$76.15
K0006 WHC; Heavy Duty (must weigh at least 251 lbs).....	\$117.31
K0007 WHC; Extra Heavy Duty (must weigh at least 301 lbs).....	\$178.50
E1226 Reclining Back.....	\$47.56

PRIVATE INSURANCE:

We do provide insurance verification before setup. Insurance verification is never a guarantee of payment to THC. Many private insurance companies exclude coverage for compression garments. Every individual has different coverage depending on his/her insurance plan. We do our best to inform you about what we are able to find out. However, it is your responsibility to know and understand your policy provisions. Garments billed to insurance bill above the cash ticketed price based on insurance allowables. If you request billing to insurance you are financially responsible to THC for the dollar figure billed to insurance in the event that the item is not covered.

In order to bill your insurance we must first have a prescription and your insurance information.