

2019 Active Venting Reimbursement Guide

CPT® Codes and 2019 Medicare National Average Reimbursement Rates for Outpatient and Physician

CPT® Code ¹	Description	APC ²	2019 Medicare National Average Hospital Outpatient Payment ²	2019 Medicare National Average Physician ³
43229	Esophagoscopy, flexible, transoral; with ablation of tumor(s), polyp(s), or other lesion(s) (includes pre- and post-dilation and guide wire passage, when performed)	5303	\$2,824.69	\$207.95
43270	Esophagogastroduodenoscopy, flexible, transoral; with ablation of tumor(s), polyp(s), or other lesion(s) (includes pre- and post-dilation and guide wire passage, when performed)	5302	\$1,483.35	\$236.78

References:

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² *Medicare Outpatient Prospective Payment System Final Rule. Effective through December 31, 2019.*

³ *Medicare Physician Fee Schedule Final Rule. Effective through December 31, 2019X.*

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The truFreeze System is indicated for use as a cryosurgical tool in the fields of dermatology, gynecology, and general surgery, to ablate benign (e.g. Barrett's Esophagus with high grade dysplasia and/or low grade dysplasia) and malignant lesions.

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