

July 14, 2009

DRIVE MEDICAL  
ATTN: STEPHANIE TREANT  
99 SEAVIEW BLVD  
PORT WASHINGTON NY 11050

**Re: Assigned Healthcare Common Procedural Coding System (HCPCS) Codes**

**Product:** Trigger Release Folding Walker 5" Wheels

**Xref #:** 8477868

**Model number:** 10226-4

Dear Ms. Treant:

It is our determination that the Medicare HCPCS code to use to bill the four Durable Medical Equipment Medicare Administrative Contractors (DME MACs) for the product listed above is:

**E0143 - WALKER, FOLDING, WHEELED, ADJUSTABLE OR FIXED HEIGHT**

This decision applies to the application that we received on May 18, 2009. If information submitted in that application has changed or were to change, it could impact our decision. Therefore, a new application would need to be submitted for HCPCS coding verification review.

The assignment of the HCPCS code to this product is not an approval or endorsement of the product by Medicare or Noridian Administrative Services, LLC; nor does it imply or guarantee claim reimbursement or coverage. If you have questions about claim coverage or reimbursement, please contact the DME MAC for your jurisdiction.

If you disagree with this decision, you may request a reconsideration within 45 days of the date of this letter. To request a reconsideration, complete the Reconsideration Request form, which can be found on our PDAC Web site at [www.dmepdac.com](http://www.dmepdac.com) under the HCPCS Review tab. If your request for a reconsideration is made after the 45-day time frame, we will treat it as a coding verification review request and require a new application and documentation to support the request.