



## **New York State Fee for Service Medicaid Program – Intermittent Urinary Catheter Updates: Description Changes, New Hydrophilic HCPCS Coding**

### **Intermittent Urinary Catheter Description Changes:**

Effective January 1, 2026, the descriptions of intermittent urinary catheterization HCPCS codes A4351 and A4352 have been updated to remove the word 'hydrophilic' as detailed below.

<b>HCPCS Code</b>	<b>Description</b>
A4351	Intermittent urinary catheter; straight tip, with or without coating (Teflon, silicone, or silicone elastomer etc.), each
A4352	Intermittent urinary catheter; coude (curved) tip, with or without coating (Teflon, silicone, or silicone elastomer etc.), each

### **New Hydrophilic Intermittent Urinary Catheter HCPCS Codes:**

Effective January 1, 2026, the following HCPCS codes for hydrophilic coated intermittent urinary catheters have been added. The catheters will be authorized via the dispensing validation system (DVS).

<b>HCPCS Code</b>	<b>Description</b>
A4295	Intermittent urinary catheter; straight tip, hydrophilic coating, each
A4296	Intermittent urinary catheter; coude (curved) tip, hydrophilic coating, each
A4297	Intermittent urinary catheter; hydrophilic coating, with insertion supplies

The codes listed above will follow the current criteria for intermittent urinary catheterization found on page 11 of the [Medical Supplies Procedure Codes & Coverage Guidelines](#) manual.

Questions related to this update should be directed to the Bureau of Medical Review at 1-800-342-3005 or by email at [OHIPMEDPA@health.ny.gov](mailto:OHIPMEDPA@health.ny.gov).