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New Permanent J-code J2782

# Billing and Coding Guide

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**This Billing and Coding Guide is for general informational purposes only. The codes listed reflect a sample of potentially relevant codes but the provider is responsible for selecting the appropriate diagnosis, procedure, and billing codes that truthfully reflect the diagnosis and level of service provided to the patient in each instance of administration of IZERVAY.**

**The information in this guide is subject to change without notice and should be verified by the provider for each patient prior to treatment. Contact the patient's health plan directly for the most accurate information.**

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# Codes for billing and reimbursement

The codes below are common codes that may be used when filing a claim for IZERVAY. For the most accurate codes, please contact your patient's health plan.

## Current Procedural Terminology (CPT®) codes for imaging<sup>1,2</sup>

CPT code	Description
92134	Optical coherence tomography
92235	Fluorescein angiography (FA)
92250	Fundus photography (Fundus autofluorescence)
92240	Indocyanine green angiography (ICG)
92242	FA and ICG

## CPT code for injections<sup>3</sup>

CPT code	Site modifier	Description
67028	Apply the appropriate site modifier (LT, RT, or 50) to the end of CPT code 67028	Intravitreal injection

LT, left eye; RT, right eye; 50, both eyes.

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**References:** 1. Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services. Physician fee schedule search. Accessed May 18, 2023. <https://www.cms.gov/medicare/physician-fee-schedule/search?Y=0&T=0&HT=1&CT=0&H1=92134&H2=92235&H3=92250&H4=92240&H5=92242&M=1>  
2. Asbell RL. Chart documentation for ophthalmic diagnostic tests. *Retina Today*. 2014;29-30. 3. Medicare.gov. Intravitreal injection of a pharmacologic agent (separate procedure). Accessed May 18, 2023. <https://www.medicare.gov/procedure-price-lookup/cost/67028>

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## Evaluation and management (E/M) codes<sup>1</sup>

CPT code	Description
99203	New Patient Level 3 E/M
99213	Established Patient Level 3 E/M
99204	New Patient Level 4 E/M
99214	Established Patient Level 4 E/M

Other E/M codes may apply or be more appropriate for a given visit. Please refer to the E/M coding and documentation guidelines in the CPT book provided by the American Medical Association.

## Office visit modifier<sup>2</sup>

Modifier	Description
25	Significant, separately identifiable evaluation and management service by the same physician or other qualified healthcare professional on the same day of the procedure or other services.

Office visit modifiers help with prompt and correct payment based on evaluation and management services provided. These modifiers do not apply to services like tests or surgeries.

**References:** 1. American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists. 2021 Evaluation and management summary. Accessed May 18, 2023. <https://www.dph.ncdhhs.gov/lhd/docs/2021-EM-CodingSummary.pdf> 2. American Academy of Ophthalmology. Effectively use exam modifiers. Accessed May 18, 2023. <https://www.aao.org/young-ophthalmologists/yo-info/article/effectively-use-exam-modifiers>

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## ICD-10 codes for GA<sup>1</sup>

Right eye

Left eye

Bilateral

**Dry (nonexudative)  
AMD, advanced  
atrophic without  
subfoveal involvement**

H35.31**13**

H35.31**23**

H35.31**33**

**Dry (nonexudative)  
AMD, advanced  
atrophic with  
subfoveal involvement**

H35.31**14**

H35.31**24**

H35.31**34**

### Key:

**Blue** numerals  
(6th position)  
indicate laterality.

H35.31**11**

**Red** numerals  
(7th position)  
indicate staging.

## National Drug Code (NDC)<sup>2</sup>

Tradename

Package strength

10-digit format

11-digit format

IZERVAY™  
(avacincaptad  
pegol intravitreal  
solution)

20 mg/mL  
solution in a  
single-dose  
glass vial

82829-002-01

82829-0002-01

Check with the patient's health plan to determine sequence requirements regarding the use of a 10-digit or 11-digit NDC as it may vary.

**References:** 1. American Academy of Ophthalmology. How to use the ICD-10 codes for age-related macular degeneration. Accessed May 18, 2023. <https://www.aao.org/eyenet/article/how-to-use-the-icd-10-codes-for-amd> 2. IZERVAY™ (avacincaptad pegol intravitreal solution) Prescribing Information. IVERIC bio, Inc., Parsippany, NJ 07054.

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Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) code<sup>1</sup>

HCPCS code	Descriptor	Site of care	Billing units*
<b>J2782</b>	Injection, avacincaptad pegol intravitreal solution, 0.1 mg	All sites of care	<b>20</b>

**When using the permanent J-code, bill 20 units for a 2-mg dose of IZERVAY.\* Be sure to check with each payer for specific coding requirements.**

\*One billing unit of J2782 equals 0.1 mg of avacincaptad pegol. As a result, billing for 20 units equals a 2-mg dose of IZERVAY.<sup>1</sup>

JZ modifier: Effective July 1, 2023, providers and suppliers are required to report the JZ modifier on all claims that bill for drugs from single-dose containers that are separately payable under Medicare Part B when there are no discarded amounts.<sup>2</sup>

Important reminders when billing for IZERVAY

**Ensure the following information is included in the claim submission:**

- Drug name/generic name
- Strength
- Unit administered
- Route of administration
- NDC
- Appropriate codes (ICD-10, CPT, HCPCS)

**Some health plans may also request the following:**

- Prescribing information
- FDA approval letter
- Any relevant documentation to support medical necessity (EHR documentation, letter of medical necessity, etc)
- Drug purchase invoice

**References:** 1. Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services. CMS HCPCS Application Summaries and Coding Recommendations: Fourth Quarter, 2023 HCPCS Coding Cycle. Accessed February 16, 2024. <https://www.cms.gov/files/document/2023-hcpcs-application-summary-quarter-4-2023-drugs-and-biologicals-updated-02/16/2024.pdf> 2. Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services. Medicare program: discarded drugs and biologicals–JW modifier and JZ modifier policy frequently asked questions. Accessed May 18, 2023. <https://www.cms.gov/medicare/medicare-fee-for-service-payment/hospitaloutpatientpps/downloads/jw-modifier-faqs.pdf>

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# Sample CMS-1500 form

The sample claim form below is just an example of how services provided in a physician's office may be billed on the CMS-1500 form.

## Box 19:

Product name, generic, strength, dose administered, route of administration, NDC

## Box 21A:

Diagnosis code (ICD-10-CM)

## Box 23:

Prior authorization number, if available

## Box 24A:

In the red shaded area at the top of the box, insert the N4 qualifier followed by the 11-digit NDC number and unit quantity. List the date of service in the white space. Hyphens may or may not be required by payer.

## Box 24D:

Enter the appropriate HCPCS code, J2782, for IZERVAY on its own line, which should correlate to the NDC in Box 24A. The HCPCS code must be accompanied by the JZ modifier.<sup>1</sup> Include the following on separate lines:

- CPT code to report the administration procedure, 67028, along with the correct site modifier
- CPT code to report imaging, if appropriate
- CPT E/M code, if appropriate

## Box 24E:

Enter the diagnosis code reference letter as shown in Box 21 to relate the date of service and the procedures performed to the diagnosis code.

**HEALTH INSURANCE CLAIM FORM**  
APPROVED BY NATIONAL UNIFORM CLAIM COMMITTEE (NUCC) 02/12

1. MEDICARE (Medicare#)  MEDICAID (Medicaid)  TRICARE (TRICARE)  CHAMPVA (Member ID#)  GROUP HEALTH PLAN (ID#)  FECA BLK/LNNG (ID#)  OTHER (ID#)

2. PATIENT'S NAME (Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial) 3. PATIENT'S BIRTH DATE (MM DD YY) SEX (M  F ) 4. INSURED'S NAME (Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial)

5. PATIENT'S ADDRESS (No., Street) 6. PATIENT RELATIONSHIP TO INSURED (Self  Spouse  Child  Other ) 7. INSURED'S ADDRESS (No., Street)

8. RESERVED FOR NUCC USE

9. OTHER INSURED'S NAME (Last Name, First Name, Middle Initial) 10. IS PATIENT'S CONDITION RELATED TO: (a. EMPLOYMENT? (Current or Previous) YES  NO  b. AUTO ACCIDENT? YES  NO  c. OTHER ACCIDENT? YES  NO ) 11. INSURED'S POLICY GROUP OR FECA NUMBER (a. INSURED'S DATE OF BIRTH (MM DD YY) SEX (M  F ) b. OTHER CLAIM ID (Designated by NUCC) c. INSURANCE PLAN NAME OR PROGRAM NAME d. IS THERE ANOTHER HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN? YES  NO  # yes, complete items 9, 9a, and 9d.

12. PATIENT'S OR AUTHORIZED PERSON'S SIGNATURE (I authorize the release of any medical or other information necessary to process this claim. I also request payment of government benefits either to myself or to the party who accepts assignment below.) 13. INSURED'S OR AUTHORIZED PERSON'S SIGNATURE (I authorize payment of medical benefits to the undersigned physician or supplier for services described below.)

14. DATE OF CURRENT ILLNESS, INJURY, OR PREGNANCY (LMP) (MM DD YY) QUAL. 15. OTHER DATE (MM DD YY) 16. DATES PATIENT UNABLE TO WORK IN CURRENT OCCUPATION (FROM MM DD YY TO MM DD YY)

17. NAME OF REFERRING PROVIDER OR OTHER SOURCE (17a. NAME 17b. NPI) 18. HOSPITALIZATION DATES RELATED TO CURRENT SERVICES (FROM MM DD YY TO MM DD YY)

19. ADDITIONAL CLAIM INFORMATION (Designated by NUCC) 20. OUTSIDE LAB? YES  NO  \$ CHARGES

21. DIAGNOSIS OR NATURE OF ILLNESS OR INJURY (Relate A-L to service line below (24E)) ICD 10d. 22. RESUBMISSION CODE ORIGINAL REF. NO. 23. PRIOR AUTHORIZATION NUMBER

LINE	24. A. DATE(S) OF SERVICE		B. PLACE OF SERVICE	C. PLACE OF SERVICE EMG	D. PROCEDURES, SERVICES, OR SUPPLIES (Specify Unusual Circumstances) (PT/HCPCS) MODIFIER	E. DIAGNOSIS POINTER	F. \$ CHARGES	G. DAYS OF UNITS	H. PRICE PER UNIT	I. ID. QUAL.	J. RENDERING PROVIDER ID. #
	From	To									
1	01	22	01	22	23	J2782 JZ		20			NPI
2	01	22	01	22	23	67028 LT					NPI
3											NPI
4											NPI
5											NPI
6											NPI

25. FEDERAL TAX I.D. NUMBER (SSN) EIN  26. PATIENT'S ACCOUNT NO. 27. ACCEPT ASSIGNMENT? (For gov. clients, see back) YES  NO  28. TOTAL CHARGE \$ 29. AMOUNT PAID \$ 30. Paid for NUCC Use

31. SIGNATURE OF PHYSICIAN OR SUPPLIER INCLUDING DEGREE(S) OR CREDENTIALS (I certify that the statements on the reverse apply to this bill and are made a part thereof.) 32. SERVICE FACILITY LOCATION INFORMATION 33. BILLING PROVIDER INFO & PH # ( )

SIGNED DATE a. NPI b. NPI c. NPI

NUCC Instruction Manual available at: www.nucc.org PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE APPROVED OMB-0938-1197 FORM 1500 (02-12)

## Box 24G:

When using the permanent J-code, bill 20 units for each IZERVAY injection. 20 billing units of J2782 equals a 2-mg dose of IZERVAY. As a result, 20 units equals 1 single-dose 20-mg vial. Be sure to check with each payer for their specific coding requirements.

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# Sample CMS-1450 form

The sample claim form below is just an example of how services provided in a hospital outpatient department may be billed on the CMS-1450 form.

## Box 42:

Enter the appropriate revenue code corresponding with the HCPCS code in Box 44. Then enter the appropriate revenue code corresponding with the CPT code in Box 44 (eg, 500 for general outpatient services, or 510 for general clinic services).<sup>1</sup>

## Box 43:

Enter a detailed drug description for the payer. The N4 indicator is listed first, the 11-digit NDC number is listed second, a code describing the unit of measurement qualifier is listed third, and the unit quantity is listed at the end.

## Box 44:

Enter the appropriate HCPCS code for IZERVAY—J2782. It is your responsibility to confirm the appropriate code with the health plan and submit claims accordingly. The HCPCS code must be accompanied by the JZ modifier.<sup>2</sup> To report the injection procedure, enter the appropriate CPT code, 67028, along with the appropriate site modifier.

## Box 46:

Enter the units of service

## Box 63:

Treatment authorization codes

1		2		3a. JCN CNTL #		4. PPS OF BILL	
				b. MED REC #			
				5. FED. TAX NO.		6. STATEMENT COVERS PERIOD FROM	
						THROUGH	
8. PATIENT NAME				9. PATIENT ADDRESS			
10. BIRTHDATE				11. SEX		12. DATE	
ADMISSION		13. HR.		14. TYPE		15. SRC	
16. DHR		17. STAT		18.		19.	
20.		21.		CONDITION CODES		22.	
23.		24.		25.		26.	
27.		28.		29. ACCT #		30. STATE	
31. OCCURRENCE DATE		32. OCCURRENCE DATE		33. OCCURRENCE DATE		34. OCCURRENCE DATE	
35. CODE		36. CODE		37. CODE		38. CODE	
OCCURRENCE SPAN FROM		OCCURRENCE SPAN THROUGH		OCCURRENCE SPAN FROM		OCCURRENCE SPAN THROUGH	
39. VALUE CODES		40. VALUE CODES		41. VALUE CODES		42. VALUE CODES	
AMOUNT		AMOUNT		AMOUNT		AMOUNT	
43. REV. CD		43. DESCRIPTION		44. HCPCS / RATE / HIPPS CODE		45. SERV. DATE	
250		N482829 0002 01 MLO.1		J2782 JZ		20	
500		Outpatient clinic		67028LT			
46. SERV. UNITS		47. TOTAL CHARGES		48. NON-COVERED CHARGES		49.	
20							
PAGE				OF			
CREATION DATE				TOTALS			
50. PAYER NAME		51. HEALTH PLAN ID		52. REL. INFO		53. ADJ. SERV.	
						54. PRIOR PAYMENTS	
						55. EST. AMOUNT DUE	
						56. NP1	
						57. OTHER PRV. ID.	
58. INSURED'S NAME		59. PREL.		60. INSURED'S UNIQUE ID		61. GROUP NAME	
						62. INSURANCE GROUP NO.	
63. TREATMENT AUTHORIZATION CODES		64. DOCUMENT CONTROL NUMBER		65. EMPLOYER NAME			
66. H35.3123		67. ICD-10-CM					
68. ADMIT. DT		69. PATIENT REASON FOR		70. PPS CODE		71. PPS CODE	
72. DATE		73. DATE		74. DATE		75. DATE	
76. ATTENDING		77. OPERATING		78. OTHER		79. OTHER	
LAST		LAST		LAST		LAST	
FIRST		FIRST		FIRST		FIRST	
QUAL		QUAL		QUAL		QUAL	
79. OTHER		79. OTHER		79. OTHER		79. OTHER	
LAST		LAST		LAST		LAST	
FIRST		FIRST		FIRST		FIRST	
QUAL		QUAL		QUAL		QUAL	
80. REMARKS		81. ICD-10-CM					
IZERVAY, avacincaptad pegol		a					
intravitreal solution, 2 mg, 1 unit,		b					
intravitreal injection, 82829-002-01		c					
		d					
UB-04 CMS-1450		APPROVED OMB NO. 0938-0997		NUBC <sup>SM</sup>			

## Box 67:

Diagnosis code (ICD-10-CM)

## Box 80:

Product name, generic, strength, dose administered, route of administration

**References:** 1. Noridian Healthcare Solutions. Revenue codes. Accessed May 18, 2023. <https://med.noridianmedicare.com/web/jea/topics/claim-submission/revenue-codes> 2. Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services. Medicare program: discarded drugs and biologicals—JW modifier and JZ modifier policy frequently asked questions. Accessed May 18, 2023. <https://www.cms.gov/medicare/medicare-fee-for-service-payment/hospitaloutpatientpps/downloads/jw-modifier-faqs.pdf>

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## INDICATION

**IZERVAY™ (avacincaptad pegol intravitreal solution) is indicated for the treatment of geographic atrophy (GA) secondary to age-related macular degeneration (AMD).**

## IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

### CONTRAINDICATIONS

- IZERVAY is contraindicated in patients with ocular or periocular infections and in patients with active intraocular inflammation.

### WARNINGS AND PRECAUTIONS

- Endophthalmitis and Retinal Detachments
  - Intravitreal injections, including those with IZERVAY, may be associated with endophthalmitis and retinal detachments. Proper aseptic injection technique must always be used when administering IZERVAY in order to minimize the risk of endophthalmitis. Patients should be instructed to report any symptoms suggestive of endophthalmitis or retinal detachment without delay and should be managed appropriately.
- Neovascular AMD
  - In clinical trials, use of IZERVAY was associated with increased rates of neovascular (wet) AMD or choroidal neovascularization (7% when administered monthly and 4% in the sham group) by Month 12. Patients receiving IZERVAY should be monitored for signs of neovascular AMD.
- Increase in Intraocular Pressure
  - Transient increases in intraocular pressure (IOP) may occur after any intravitreal injection, including with IZERVAY. Perfusion of the optic nerve head should be monitored following the injection and managed appropriately.

### ADVERSE REACTIONS

- Most common adverse reactions (incidence  $\geq 5\%$ ) reported in patients receiving IZERVAY were conjunctival hemorrhage, increased IOP, blurred vision, and neovascular age-related macular degeneration.

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The logo for IZERVAY features the brand name in a bold, purple, sans-serif font. Above the letters 'I' and 'Z' is a curved line with a color gradient from orange to purple. Below the brand name, the text "(avacincaptad pegol intravitreal solution) 2 mg" is written in a smaller, black, sans-serif font.**izervay™**  
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