



Eylea® (aflibercept) (Intravitreal)

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I. Length of Authorization ¹

Coverage will be provided annually and may be renewed, unless otherwise specified.

• Coverage for Retinopathy of Prematurity (ROP) will be provided initially for a total of 2 doses (1 dose per eye) and may be renewed as re-treatment for up to an additional 4 doses (2 doses per eye) (Refer to Section IV for re-treatment criteria)

II. Dosing Limits

- A. Quantity Limit (max daily dose) [NDC unit]:
 - 2 mg injection: 1 vial per eye every 28 days
- B. Max Units (per dose and over time) [HCPCS Unit]:

Diagnosis	MU for Initial Dosing	MU for Maintenance Dosing
Neovascular age-related macular	4 units every 28 days x 3 doses	4 units every 28-56 days
degeneration (AMD)		
Macular edema following retinal vein	4 units every 28 days	4 units every 28 days
occlusion (RVO)		
Diabetic Macular Edema (DME)/	4 units every 28 days x 5 doses	4 units every 28-56 days
Diabetic Retinopathy (DR)		
Retinopathy of Prematurity (ROP)	0.8 units x 1 dose	0.8 units every 10 days x 2 doses

(Max units are based on administration to both eyes)

III. Initial Approval Criteria 1-14

Coverage is provided in the following conditions:

- Patient has tried and failed treatment with Avastin (bevacizumab) or a contraindication exists; AND
- Patient is at least 18 years of age, unless otherwise specified; AND



Universal Criteria ¹

- Patient is free of ocular and/or peri-ocular infections; AND
- Patient does not have active intraocular inflammation; AND
- Therapy will not be used with other ophthalmic VEGF inhibitors (i.e., brolucizumab-dbll, ranibizumab, pegaptanib, bevacizumab, faricimab-svoa, etc.); **AND**
- Patient's best corrected visual acuity (BCVA) is measured at baseline and periodically during treatment (Note: NOT applicable to patients with Retinopathy of Prematurity), AND
- Patient has a definitive diagnosis of one of the following:

Neovascular (Wet) Age-Related Macular Degeneration (AMD) †*

Macular Edema following Retinal Vein Occlusion (RVO) †

Diabetic Macular Edema (DME) †*

Diabetic Retinopathy (DR) †*

Retinopathy of Prematurity (ROP) † Φ

• Patient is a premature infant with a maximum gestational age at birth of 32 weeks OR a birth weight of >800 to 1500 g

*Patients with an insufficient response during initial therapy administered every 4 weeks may continue with dosing every 4 weeks. Patients with an inadequate response to maintenance therapy administered every 8 weeks may increase the dosing frequency up to every 4 weeks. (Refer to Section V)

† FDA Approved Indication(s) ‡ Compendia recommended indication(s); • Orphan Drug

IV. Renewal Criteria 1-14

Coverage can be renewed based upon the following criteria:

- Patient continues to meet the universal and indication-specific relevant criteria as identified in section III; **AND**
- Absence of unacceptable toxicity from the drug. Examples of unacceptable toxicity include: endophthalmitis and retinal detachments, increase in intraocular pressure, arterial thromboembolic events; AND

Retinopathy of Prematurity (ROP)

- Patient still has the presence of active ROP requiring treatment; AND
- At least 10 days have elapsed since receiving initial treatment

All Other Indications



• Patient has had a beneficial response to therapy (e.g., improvement in the baseline best corrected visual acuity (BCVA), etc.) and continued administration is necessary for the maintenance treatment of the condition

V. Dosage/Administration ¹

Indication	Dose	
	Initiation:	
	Administer 2 mg intravitreally per affected eye once every 4 weeks (approximately every 28 days, monthly) for the first 12 weeks (3 months)	
	Maintenance:	
Neovascular (Wet) AMD	Administer 2 mg intravitreally per affected eye once every 8 weeks (2 months); however, Eylea may be dosed as frequently as 2 mg every 4 weeks (approximately every 25 days, monthly)	
	• Additional efficacy was not demonstrated in most patients when EYLEA was dosed every 4 weeks compared to every 8 weeks. Some patients may need every 4 week (approximately monthly) dosing after the first 12 weeks (3 months).	
	• Patients may also be treated with one dose every 12 weeks after one year of effective therapy	
Macular Edema following RVO	Administer 2 mg intravitreally per affected eye once every 4 weeks (approximately every 25 days, monthly)	
3	Initiation:	
	Administer 2 mg intravitreally per affected eye once every 4 weeks (approximately every 28 days, monthly) for the first 5 injections	
Diabetic Macular Maintenance:		
Edema (DME) & Diabetic Retinopathy (DR)	Administer 2 mg intravitreally per affected eye once every 8 weeks (2 months); however, Eylea may be dosed as frequently as 2 mg every 4 weeks (approximately every 25 days, monthly)	
	• Additional efficacy was not demonstrated in most patients when EYLEA was dosed every 4 weeks compared to every 8 weeks. Some patients may need every 4 week (monthly) dosing after the first 20 weeks (5 months).	
Administer 0.4 mg intravitreally per affected eye.		
Detinonathy of	• Injections may be given bilaterally on the same day.	
Retinopathy of Prematurity (ROP)	• Injections may be repeated in each eye and the treatment interval between doses injected into the same eye should be at least 10 days.	
	• <i>NOTE:</i> Treatment for this indication is ONLY applicable to the single-dose vial kit. Do NOT use the pre-filled syringe for the treatment of ROP.	

VI. Billing Code/Availability Information

HCPCS Code:

• J0178 – Injection, aflibercept, 1 mg; 1 billable unit = 1 mg



NDC:

• Eylea 2 mg/0.05 mL Solution for Injection, single-dose vial kit or single-dose pre-filled syringe: 61755-0005-xx

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Appendix 1 – Covered Diagnosis Codes

ICD-10	ICD-10 Description
E08.311	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with unspecified diabetic retinopathy with macular edema
E08.319	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with unspecified diabetic retinopathy without macular edema
E08.3211	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema, right eye
E08.3212	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema, left eye
E08.3213	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema, bilateral
E08.3219	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema, unspecified eye
E08.3291	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular edema, right eye
E08.3292	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular edema, left eye
E08.3293	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular edema, bilateral
E08.3299	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular edema, unspecified eye
E08.3311	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema, right eye
E08.3312	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema, left eye
E08.3313	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema, bilateral
E08.3319	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema, unspecified eye



ICD-10	ICD-10 Description
E08.3391	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with moderate nonproliferative diabetic
	retinopathy without macular edema, right eye
E08.3392	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with moderate nonproliferative diabetic
	retinopathy without macular edema, left eye
E08.3393	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with moderate nonproliferative diabetic
	retinopathy without macular edema, bilateral
E08.3399	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with moderate nonproliferative diabetic
200.0000	retinopathy without macular edema, unspecified eye
E08.3411	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy
200.0111	with macular edema, right eye
E08.3412	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy
100.0412	with macular edema, left eye
E08.3413	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy
100.0410	with macular edema, bilateral
E08.3419	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy
E00.5419	with macular edema, unspecified eye
E08.3491	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy
E06.5491	
E08.3492	without macular edema, right eye Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy
EU0.3492	
E00 2402	without macular edema, left eye
E08.3493	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular edema, bilateral
E00 2400	, ,
E08.3499	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy
E00 0511	without macular edema, unspecified eye
E08.3511	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with proliferative diabetic retinopathy with
E00 2510	macular edema, right eye
E08.3512	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with proliferative diabetic retinopathy with
E00.0510	macular edema, left eye
E08.3513	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with proliferative diabetic retinopathy with
E00 2510	macular edema, bilateral
E08.3519	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with proliferative diabetic retinopathy with
E00.0501	macular edema, unspecified eye
E08.3591	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with proliferative diabetic retinopathy without
E00.0700	macular edema, right eye
E08.3592	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with proliferative diabetic retinopathy without
E00.0700	macular edema, left eye
E08.3593	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with proliferative diabetic retinopathy without
E00.0700	macular edema, bilateral
E08.3599	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with proliferative diabetic retinopathy without
E00 95V1	macular edema, unspecified eye
E08.37X1	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with diabetic macular edema, resolved following
Eloc SEVIC	treatment, right eye
E08.37X2	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with diabetic macular edema, resolved following
EIOC OF VO	treatment, left eye
E08.37X3	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with diabetic macular edema, resolved following
Hoo SEVIC	treatment, bilateral
E08.37X9	Diabetes mellitus due to underlying condition with diabetic macular edema, resolved following
E00 211	treatment, unspecified eye
E09.311	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with unspecified diabetic retinopathy with macular edema
E09.319	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with unspecified diabetic retinopathy without macular edema
E09.3211	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy
100.0411	with macular edema, right eye
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E09.3212	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy	
	with macular edema, left eye	
E09.3213	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy	
	with macular edema, bilateral	
E09.3219	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy	
200.0210	with macular edema, unspecified eye	
E09.3291	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy	
100.0201	without macular edema, right eye	
E09.3292	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy	
E03.3232	without macular edema, left eye	
E09.3293	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy	
E09.5295	without macular edema, bilateral	
E09.3299	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy	
E09.5299	without macular edema, unspecified eye	
E09.3311	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic	
E09.5511	retinopathy with macular edema, right eye	
E09.3312	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic	
E09.5512		
E09.3313	retinopathy with macular edema, left eye	
E09.5515	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic	
E00 2210	retinopathy with macular edema, bilateral	
E09.3319	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic	
E00 0001	retinopathy with macular edema, unspecified eye	
E09.3391	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic	
F00 0000	retinopathy without macular edema, right eye	
E09.3392	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic	
E00 0000	retinopathy without macular edema, left eye	
E09.3393	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic	
T00 0000	retinopathy without macular edema, bilateral	
E09.3399	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic	
F00.0411	retinopathy without macular edema, unspecified eye	
E09.3411	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy	
F00.0410	with macular edema, right eye	
E09.3412	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy	
F0000440	with macular edema, left eye	
E09.3413	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy	
F0000440	with macular edema, bilateral	
E09.3419	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy	
	with macular edema, unspecified eye	
E09.3491	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy	
700000	without macular edema, right eye	
E09.3492	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy	
F0000400	without macular edema, left eye	
E09.3493	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy	
F0000100	without macular edema, bilateral	
E09.3499	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy	
Floo office	without macular edema, unspecified eye	
E09.3511	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy with	
Boo carri	macular edema, right eye	
E09.3512	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy with	
	macular edema, left eye	
E09.3513	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy with	
	macular edema, bilateral	



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E09.3519	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy with
	macular edema, unspecified eye
E09.3591	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy without
	macular edema, right eye
E09.3592	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy without
	macular edema, left eye
E09.3593	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy without
	macular edema, bilateral
E09.3599	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy without
	macular edema, unspecified eye
E09.37X1	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with diabetic macular edema, resolved following
	treatment, right eye
E09.37X2	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with diabetic macular edema, resolved following
	treatment, left eye
E09.37X3	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with diabetic macular edema, resolved following
	treatment, bilateral
E09.37X9	Drug or chemical induced diabetes mellitus with diabetic macular edema, resolved following
	treatment, unspecified eye
E10.311	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with unspecified diabetic retinopathy with macular edema
E10.319	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with unspecified diabetic retinopathy without macular edema
E10.3211	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema,
210.0211	right eye
E10.3212	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema,
110.0212	left eye
E10.3213	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema,
110.0210	bilateral
E10.3219	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema,
110.0210	unspecified eye
E10.3291	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
	edema, right eye
E10.3292	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
210.0202	edema, left eye
E10.3293	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
210 . 0200	edema, bilateral
E10.3299	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
	edema, unspecified eye
E10.3311	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular
	edema, right eye
E10.3312	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular
	edema, left eye
E10.3313	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular
	edema, bilateral
E10.3319	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular
	edema, unspecified eye
E10.3391	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
	edema, right eye
E10.3392	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
-	edema, left eye
E10.3393	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
	edema, bilateral
E10.3399	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular



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E10.3411	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular
	edema, right eye
E10.3412	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular
	edema, left eye
E10.3413	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular
	edema, bilateral
E10.3419	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular
71.00.00	edema, unspecified eye
E10.3491	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
E10.0400	edema, right eye
E10.3492	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
E10.3493	edema, left eye Type 1 diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
E10.5495	edema, bilateral
E10.3499	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
L10.0400	edema, unspecified eye
E10.3511	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema, right eye
E10.3512	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema, left eye
E10.3513	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema, bilateral
E10.3519	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema,
	unspecified eye
E10.3591	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular edema, right
710000	eye
E10.3592	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular edema, left
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E10.3593	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular edema, bilateral
E10.3599	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular edema,
E10.5555	unspecified eye
E10.37X1	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with diabetic macular edema, resolved following treatment, right eye
E10.37X2	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with diabetic macular edema, resolved following treatment, left eye
E10.37X3	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with diabetic macular edema, resolved following treatment, bilateral
E10.37X9	Type 1 diabetes mellitus with diabetic macular edema, resolved following treatment,
	unspecified eye
E11.311	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with unspecified diabetic retinopathy with macular edema
E11.319	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with unspecified diabetic retinopathy without macular edema
E11.3211	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema,
111,0211	right eye
E11.3212	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema,
	left eye
E11.3213	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema,
	bilateral
E11.3219	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema,
	unspecified eye
E11.3291	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
	edema, right eye
E11.3292	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
F11 0000	edema, left eye
E11.3293	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
	edema, bilateral



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E11.3299	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
	edema, unspecified eye
E11.3311	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular
	edema, right eye
E11.3312	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular
	edema, left eye
E11.3313	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular
	edema, bilateral
E11.3319	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular
	edema, unspecified eye
E11.3391	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
	edema, right eye
E11.3392	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
	edema, left eye
E11.3393	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
	edema, bilateral
E11.3399	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
	edema, unspecified eye
E11.3411	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular
711211	edema, right eye
E11.3412	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular
F11 0 110	edema, left eye
E11.3413	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular
E11 0410	edema, bilateral
E11.3419	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular
E11.3491	edema, unspecified eye Type 2 diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
E11.5491	edema, right eye
E11.3492	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
E11.0402	edema, left eye
E11.3493	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
211.0100	edema, bilateral
E11.3499	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
	edema, unspecified eye
E11.3511	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema, right eye
E11.3512	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema, left eye
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E11.3513	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema, bilateral
E11.3519	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema, unspecified eye
E11.3591	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular edema, right
	eye
E11.3592	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular edema, left
	eye
E11.3593	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular edema,
	bilateral
E11.3599	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular edema,
	unspecified eye
E11.37X1	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with diabetic macular edema, resolved following treatment, right eye
E11.37X2	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with diabetic macular edema, resolved following treatment, left eye
E11.37X3	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with diabetic macular edema, resolved following treatment, bilateral
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ICD-10	ICD-10 Description
E11.37X9	Type 2 diabetes mellitus with diabetic macular edema, resolved following treatment,
E11.57A5	unspecified eye
E13.311	Other specified diabetes mellitus with unspecified diabetic retinopathy with macular edema
E15.511	Other specified diabetes memtus with unspecified diabetic retinopatify with macutal edema
E13.319	Other specified diabetes mellitus with unspecified diabetic retinopathy without macular edema
E13.3211	Other specified diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular
	edema, right eye
E13.3212	Other specified diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema, left eye
E13.3213	Other specified diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema, bilateral
E13.3219	Other specified diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular
110.0210	edema, unspecified eye
E13.3291	Other specified diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without
213.3201	macular edema, right eye
E13.3292	Other specified diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without
	macular edema, left eye
E13.3293	Other specified diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without
	macular edema, bilateral
E13.3299	Other specified diabetes mellitus with mild nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without
	macular edema, unspecified eye
E13.3311	Other specified diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with
	macular edema, right eye
E13.3312	Other specified diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with
	macular edema, left eye
E13.3313	Other specified diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with
P10 0010	macular edema, bilateral
E13.3319	Other specified diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with
E10 0001	macular edema, unspecified eye Other specified diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without
E13.3391	
E13.3392	macular edema, right eye Other specified diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without
E15.5592	macular edema, left eye
E13.3393	Other specified diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without
110.0000	macular edema, bilateral
E13.3399	Other specified diabetes mellitus with moderate nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without
110.0000	macular edema, unspecified eye
E13.3411	Other specified diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with
	macular edema, right eye
E13.3412	Other specified diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with
	macular edema, left eye
E13.3413	Other specified diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with
	macular edema, bilateral
E13.3419	Other specified diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy with
	macular edema, unspecified eye
E13.3491	Other specified diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without
	macular edema, right eye
E13.3492	Other specified diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without
	macular edema, left eye
E13.3493	Other specified diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without
	macular edema, bilateral
E13.3499	Other specified diabetes mellitus with severe nonproliferative diabetic retinopathy without
	macular edema, unspecified eye



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E13.3511	Other specified diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema,
	right eye
E13.3512	Other specified diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema,
E13.3513	left eye Other specified diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema,
E15.5515	bilateral
E13.3519	Other specified diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy with macular edema,
	unspecified eye
E13.3591	Other specified diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
E13.3592	edema, right eye Other specified diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
110.0002	edema, left eye
E13.3593	Other specified diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular
F10.0800	edema, bilateral
E13.3599	Other specified diabetes mellitus with proliferative diabetic retinopathy without macular edema, unspecified eye
E13.37X1	Other specified diabetes mellitus with diabetic macular edema, resolved following treatment,
	right eye
E13.37X2	Other specified diabetes mellitus with diabetic macular edema, resolved following treatment,
E13.37X3	left eye Other specified diabetes mellitus with diabetic macular edema, resolved following treatment,
E15.57A5	bilateral
E13.37X9	Other specified diabetes mellitus with diabetic macular edema, resolved following treatment,
TT0 / 0110	unspecified eye
H34.8110	Central retinal vein occlusion, right eye, with macular edema
H34.8120	Central retinal vein occlusion, left eye, with macular edema
H34.8130	Central retinal vein occlusion, bilateral, with macular edema
H34.8190	Central retinal vein occlusion, unspecified eye, with macular edema
H34.8310	Tributary (branch) retinal vein occlusion, right eye, with macular edema
H34.8320	Tributary (branch) retinal vein occlusion, left eye, with macular edema
H34.8330	Tributary (branch) retinal vein occlusion, bilateral, with macular edema
H34.8390	Tributary (branch) retinal vein occlusion, unspecified eye, with macular edema
H35.1	Retinopathy of prematurity
H35.10	Retinopathy of prematurity, unspecified
H35.101	Retinopathy of prematurity, unspecified, right eye
H35.102	Retinopathy of prematurity, unspecified, left eye
H35.103	Retinopathy of prematurity, unspecified, bilateral
H35.109	Retinopathy of prematurity, unspecified, unspecified eye
H35.111	Retinopathy of prematurity, stage 0, right eye
H35.112	Retinopathy of prematurity, stage 0, left eye
H35.113	Retinopathy of prematurity, stage 0, bilateral
H35.119	Retinopathy of prematurity, stage 0, unspecified eye
H35.121	Retinopathy of prematurity, stage 1, right eye
H35.121	Retinopathy of prematurity, stage 1, left eye
H35.123	Retinopathy of prematurity, stage 1, bilateral
H35.129	Retinopathy of prematurity, stage 1, unspecified eye



ICD-10	ICD-10 Description
H35.131	Retinopathy of prematurity, stage 2, right eye
H35.132	Retinopathy of prematurity, stage 2, left eye
H35.133	Retinopathy of prematurity, stage 2, bilateral
H35.139	Retinopathy of prematurity, stage 2, unspecified eye
H35.141	Retinopathy of prematurity, stage 3, right eye
H35.142	Retinopathy of prematurity, stage 3, left eye
H35.143	Retinopathy of prematurity, stage 3, bilateral
H35.149	Retinopathy of prematurity, stage 3, unspecified eye
H35.151	Retinopathy of prematurity, stage 4, right eye
H35.152	Retinopathy of prematurity, stage 4, left eye
H35.153	Retinopathy of prematurity, stage 4, bilateral
H35.159	Retinopathy of prematurity, stage 4, unspecified eye
H35.161	Retinopathy of prematurity, stage 5, right eye
H35.162	Retinopathy of prematurity, stage 5, left eye
H35.163	Retinopathy of prematurity, stage 5, bilateral
H35.169	Retinopathy of prematurity, stage 5, unspecified eye
H35.3210	Exudative age-related macular degeneration, right eye, stage unspecified
H35.3211	Exudative age-related macular degeneration, right eye, with active choroidal neovascularization
H35.3212	Exudative age-related macular degeneration, right eye, with inactive choroidal neovascularization
H35.3213	Exudative age-related macular degeneration, right eye, with inactive scar
H35.3220	Exudative age-related macular degeneration, left eye, stage unspecified
H35.3221	Exudative age-related macular degeneration, left eye, with active choroidal neovascularization
H35.3222	Exudative age-related macular degeneration, left eye, with inactive choroidal neovascularization
H35.3223	Exudative age-related macular degeneration, left eye, with inactive scar
H35.3230	Exudative age-related macular degeneration, bilateral, stage unspecified
H35.3231	Exudative age-related macular degeneration, bilateral, with active choroidal neovascularization
H35.3232	Exudative age-related macular degeneration, bilateral, with inactive choroidal neovascularization
H35.3233	Exudative age-related macular degeneration, bilateral, with inactive scar
H35.3290	Exudative age-related macular degeneration, unspecified eye, stage unspecified
H35.3291	Exudative age-related macular degeneration, unspecified eye, with active choroidal neovascularization
H35.3292	Exudative age-related macular degeneration, unspecified eye, with inactive choroidal neovascularization
H35.3293	Exudative age-related macular degeneration, unspecified eye, with inactive scar



Appendix 2 – Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS)

Medicare coverage for outpatient (Part B) drugs is outlined in the Medicare Benefit Policy Manual (Pub. 100-2), Chapter 15, §50 Drugs and Biologicals. In addition, National Coverage Determination (NCD), Local Coverage Determinations (LCDs), and Local Coverage Articles (LCAs) may exist and compliance with these policies is required where applicable. They can be found at: https://www.cms.gov/medicare-coverage-database/search.aspx. Additional indications may be covered at the discretion of the health plan.

Medicare Part B Covered Diagnosis Codes (applicable to existing NCD/LCD/LCA):

Jurisdiction(s): 6, K	NCD/LCD/LCA Document (s): A52451	
https://www.cms.gov/medicare-coverage-database/new-search/search-		
$\underline{results.aspx?keyword=a52451\&areaId=all\&docType=NCA\%2CCAL\%2CNCD\%2CMEDCAC\%2CTA\%2CM}$		
<u>CD%2C6%2C3%2C5%2C1%2CF%2CP</u>		

Jurisdiction(s): J, M	NCD/LCD/LCA Document (s): A53387		
https://www.cms.gov/medicare-coverage-database/new-search/search-			

<u>results.aspx?keyword=a53387&areaId=all&docType=NCA%2CCAL%2CNCD%2CMEDCAC%2CTA%2CMCD%2C6%2C3%2C5%2C1%2CF%2CP</u>

Medicare Part B Administrative Contractor (MAC) Jurisdictions			
Jurisdiction	Applicable State/US Territory	Contractor	
E (1)	CA, HI, NV, AS, GU, CNMI	Noridian Healthcare Solutions, LLC	
F (2 & 3)	AK, WA, OR, ID, ND, SD, MT, WY, UT, AZ	Noridian Healthcare Solutions, LLC	
5	KS, NE, IA, MO	Wisconsin Physicians Service Insurance Corp (WPS)	
6	MN, WI, IL	National Government Services, Inc. (NGS)	
H (4 & 7)	LA, AR, MS, TX, OK, CO, NM	Novitas Solutions, Inc.	
8	MI, IN	Wisconsin Physicians Service Insurance Corp (WPS)	
N (9)	FL, PR, VI	First Coast Service Options, Inc.	
J (10)	TN, GA, AL	Palmetto GBA, LLC	
M (11)	NC, SC, WV, VA (excluding below)	Palmetto GBA, LLC	
L (12)	DE, MD, PA, NJ, DC (includes Arlington & Fairfax counties and the city of Alexandria in VA)	Novitas Solutions, Inc.	
K (13 & 14)	NY, CT, MA, RI, VT, ME, NH	National Government Services, Inc. (NGS)	
15	KY, OH	CGS Administrators, LLC	

