

## **HTG251 - Percutaneous atherectomy of femoropopliteal arterial lesions with plaque excision devices**

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### **Procedure:**

#### **OPCS-4 code(s):**

Percutaneous atherectomy with plaque excision blade catheter for femoro-popliteal arterial lesions

**L71.7 Percutaneous transluminal atherectomy**  
**Y53.- Approach to organ under image control**  
**Z38.- Terminal branch of aorta**

Percutaneous atherectomy with plaque excision blade catheter for femoro-popliteal arterial lesions with balloon angioplasty

**L71.7 Percutaneous transluminal atherectomy**  
**L63.1 Percutaneous transluminal angioplasty of femoral artery**  
**Y53.- Approach to organ under image control**  
**Z38.- Terminal branch of aorta**

Percutaneous atherectomy with plaque excision blade catheter for femoro-popliteal arterial lesions and insertion of stent

**L71.7 Percutaneous transluminal atherectomy**  
**L63.5 Percutaneous transluminal insertion of stent into femoral artery**  
**L76.- Endovascular placement of stent**

Or

**L89.- Other endovascular placement of stent**

Or

**O20 Endovascular placement of stent graft**

And

**Y53.- Approach to organ under image control**

**Z38.- Terminal branch of aorta.**

**Diagnosis or health condition:**

**ICD-10 code(s):**

**I70.2 Atherosclerosis of arteries of extremities**

**I70.8 Atherosclerosis of other arteries**

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## Clinical coding recommendations for NICE guidance

For each published interventional procedure guidance, we work with NHS England to provide relevant clinical coding information.

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NICE and NHS England Terminology and Classifications Delivery Service work collaboratively to ensure the most appropriate OPCS-4 and ICD-10 codes are provided.

NHS England is the national release centre for the UK edition of ICD-10 and OPCS-4. Further Classifications information, see [here](#).