HTG288 – Endovascular stent insertion for intracranial atherosclerotic disease

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Procedure:

OPCS-4 code(s):

> **L31.4 Percutaneous transluminal insertion of stent into carotid artery**

Or

> **L35.3 Percutaneous transluminal insertion of stent into cerebral artery**
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> *Note*: A code from category **L76 Endovascular placement of stent**, **L89 Other endovascular placement of stent** or **O20 Endovascular placement of stent graft** should be added to specify the type and number of stents used. Please note that the **.8** and **.9** codes from extended category **L89.-** must not be used.
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> **Y53.4 Approach to organ under fluorosocopic control**

Plus (if necessary)

> **Z95.5 External carotid artery**

Or

> **Z95.6 Common carotid artery**

Or

> **Z95.7 Internal carotid artery**

Or

> **Z35.- Cerebral artery**

Or

> **O28.- Other cerebral artery**

Diagnosis or health condition:

ICD-10 code(s):

> **I67.2 Cerebral atherosclerosis**

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.