

Prostheses Changes

November 2006

Billing	Product Name	Further Description	Size	Explanation of Change
Corin Australia Pty Ltd				
Orthopaedic				
CR065	Ball Heads 12 - 14 Taper (Alumina)	Alumina Ball Head	>32mm	Removed 28mm from description
Endovision Pty Ltd				
Urogenital				
ED002	Memokath Ureteric Stent	Model 051CW, Thermoexpandable, Nickel - Titanium	Lengths 30mm - 100mm	Group Changed from 3a to 2d Nov 2006
St. Jude Medical Australia Pty Ltd				
Cardio-thoracic				
SJ036	St Jude Medical Coated Aortic Valved Graft	Coated Aortic Valved Graft	21mm - 33mm	Group 3a added in Nov 2006, Removed Max Benefit, now no gap
SJ037	St Jude Medical Aortic Expanded Cuff Heart Valve; St Jude Medical Aortic Hemodynamic Plus Cuff Heart Valve; St Jude Medical Mitral Hemodynamic Plus Cuff Heart Valve; St Jude Medical Mechanical Heart Valve Masters Series	Aortic Expanded Cuff, Aortic Hemodynamic Plus Cuff, Mitral Hemodynamic Cuff, Aortic & Mitral Rotatable Cuff	Aortic Expanded 19 -31mm, Aortic Hemodynamic 17 - 27mm, Mitral Hemodynamic 17 -27mm, Rotatable 17 - 33mm	Group changed to 1c in Nov 2006, Removed Max Benefit, now no gap
SJ039	St Jude Medical Regent Prosthetic Heart Valves	Standard Cuff - Model 17AGN-751 - 29AGN-751, Flex Cuff - Model 17AGFN-756 - 29AGFN-756	Standard cuff - 17-29mm, Flex cuff - 17-29mm	Group changed to 1c in Nov 2006, Removed Max Benefit, now no gap
SJ069	St Jude Medical Biocor Porcine Prosthetic Heart	St Jude Medical Biocor Porcine Prosthetic Heart Valve is manufactured from selected porcine aortic valve cusps that have been cross-linked with a glutaraldehyde solution	Aortic Valves - Tissue Annulus Diameter - 21-29mm, Implant Height - 11-15c; Mitral Valves - Tissue Annulus Diameter - 25-35mm, Implant Height - 8-10mm	Group changed to 3b in Nov 2006, Removed Max Benefit, now no gap
SJ091	Premere PFO Closure System	Percutaneous, transcatheter, self-expanding, dual anchor, occlusion device	Left Atrial Anchor diameter 20mm and 25mm	Group Changed to Occluders from Catheters in Nov 2006
Tornier Pty Ltd				
Orthopaedic				
TO008	HLS Noetos Total Knee Replacement - Femur	Femur Cemented	1 - 6 CoCr	Changed Group from 3f to 1c, Min Benefit changed to \$4000 in Nov 2006