Fabric Wrapping of Abdominal Aneurysms

Coverage Statement: Fabric wrap for abdominal aneurysms is not a covered benefit. Medicare statement: This procedure has not been shown to prevent eventual rupture.

Guidelines/Notes:

1. In extremely rare instances, external wall reinforcement may be indicated when the current accepted treatment (excision of the aneurysm and reconstruction with synthetic materials) is not a viable alternative, but external wall reinforcement is not fabric wrapping. See the NCD for Fabric Wrapping of Abdominal Aneurysms (20.23). (Accessed June 18, 2020)

II. REFERENCES

None

III. REVISION HISTORY

See above