



# Tracked Codes

For Defined Category Appendix Only

## Specialty: Surgery

**Area: ALIM TR-LARGE INT** **Type: APPENDECTOMY-LAPAROSCOPIC**

Code	Def Cat	Description
44970	Laparoscopic - Basic/Appendix/DC and Vasc Exposure	Laparoscopy, surgical, appendectomy
44979	Laparoscopic - Basic/Appendix/DC and Vasc Exposure	Unlisted laparoscopy procedure, appendix

**Area: ALIM TR-LARGE INT** **Type: APPENDECTOMY-OPEN**

Code	Def Cat	Description
44950	Appendix/DC and Vasc Exposure	Appendectomy;
44955	Appendix/DC and Vasc Exposure	Appendectomy; when done for indicated purpose at time of other major procedure (not as separate procedure) (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)
44960	Appendix/DC and Vasc Exposure	Appendectomy; for ruptured appendix with abscess or generalized peritonitis

**Area: ALIM TR-LARGE INT** **Type: OTHER MAJOR LARGE INT**

Code	Def Cat	Description
44900	Appendix/DC and Vasc Exposure	Incision and drainage of appendiceal abscess, open