**ICD-9-CM Diagnostic**

- 054.11 Herpetic vulvovaginitis
- 054.12 Herpetic ulceration of vulva
- 078.11 Condyloma acuminatum
- 078.19 Other specified viral warts
- 184.4 Malignant neoplasm of vulva, unspecified site
- 198.82 Secondary malignant neoplasm of genital organs
- 221.2 Benign neoplasm of vulva
- 228.01 Hemangioma of skin and subcutaneous tissue
- 233.30 Carcinoma in situ, unspecified female genital organ
- 233.31 Carcinoma in situ, vagina
- 233.32 Carcinoma in situ, vulva
- 233.39 Carcinoma in situ, other female genital organ
- 236.3 Neoplasm of uncertain behavior of other and unspecified female genital organs
- 239.5 Neoplasm of unspecified nature of other genitourinary organs
- 456.6 Vulval varices
- 616.81 Mucositis (ulcerative) of cervix, vagina, and vulva — (Use additional code to identify organism: 041.0, 041.1. Use additional E code to identify adverse effects of therapy: E879.2, E930.7, E933.1)
- 616.89 Other inflammatory disease of cervix, vagina, and vulva — (Use additional code to identify organism: 041.0, 041.1)
- 624.01 Vulvar intraepithelial neoplasia I [VIN I]
- 624.02 Vulvar intraepithelial neoplasia II [VIN II]
- 624.09 Other dystrophy of vulva
- 624.6 Polyp of labia and vulva
- 624.8 Other specified noninflammatory disorder of vulva and perineum
- 625.8 Other specified symptom associated with female genital organs
- 698.1 Pruritus of genital organs
- 701.0 Circumscribed scleroderma
- 701.5 Other abnormal granulation tissue
- 709.9 Unspecified disorder of skin and subcutaneous tissue
- 752.49 Other congenital anomaly of cervix, vagina, and external female genitalia

**Terms To Know**

- **carcinoma in situ.** Malignancy that arises from the cells of the vessel, gland, or organ of origin that remains confined to that site or has not invaded neighboring tissue.
- **condyloma.** Infectious tumor-like growth caused by the human papilloma virus, with a branching connective tissue core and epithelial covering that occurs on the skin and mucous membranes of the perianal region and external genitalia.
- **cryosurgery.** Application of intense cold, usually produced using liquid nitrogen, to locally freeze diseased or unwanted tissue and induce tissue necrosis without causing harm to adjacent tissue.
- **electrocautery.** Division or cutting of tissue using high-frequency electrical current to produce heat, which destroys cells.
- **laser surgery.** Use of concentrated, sharply defined light beams to cut, coagulate, seal, or vaporize tissue.
- **varices.** Enlarged, dilated, or twisted, turning veins.

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**Medicare References:**

- 100-2,15,260; 100-3,140.5; 100-4,12,30; 100-4,12,90.3; 100-4,14,10

**Explanation**

The vulva includes the labia majora, labia minora, mons pubis, bulb of the vestibule, vestibule of the vagina, greater and lesser vestibular glands, and vaginal orifice. The physician destroys one or more lesions of the vulva by examining the lower genital tract, the vulva, After examining the lower genital tract and perianal area with a colposcope, the physician destroys one or more lesions of the vulva by any method including laser surgery, electrosurgery, chemosurgery, or cryosurgery. Use 56501 to report simple, single lesion destruction, or 56515 to report multiple or complicated destruction of extensive vulvar lesions.

**Coding Tips**

For removal or destruction by electrical current (fulguration) of Skene’s glands, see 53270. For destruction of vaginal lesions, see 57061–57065. For lysis of labial adhesions, destruction of vaginal lesions, see fulguration of Skene’s glands, see 53270. For removal or destruction by electric current and perianal area with a colposcope, the physician destroys any lesions of the vulva by any method including laser surgery, electrosurgery, chemosurgery, or cryosurgery, and perianal area with a colposcope, the physician destroys any lesions of the vulva by any method including laser surgery, electrosurgery, chemosurgery, or cryosurgery. Use 56501 to report single, simple lesion destruction, or 56515 to report multiple or complicated destruction of extensive vulvar lesions.

**ICD-9-CM Procedural**

71.3 Other local excision or destruction of vulva and perineum

**Anesthesia**

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