



# Lower Extremity Revascularization

## SCAI Femoral/Popliteal Territory

37263 Revascularization, endovascular, open or percutaneous, femoral and popliteal vascular territory, with transluminal angioplasty, including all maneuvers necessary for accessing and selectively catheterizing the artery and crossing the lesion, including all imaging guidance and radiological supervision and interpretation necessary to perform the angioplasty within the same artery, unilateral; straightforward lesion, initial vessel

37264+ straightforward lesion, each additional vessel (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)

37265 Revascularization, endovascular, open or percutaneous, femoral and popliteal vascular territory, with transluminal angioplasty, including all maneuvers necessary for accessing and selectively catheterizing the artery and crossing the lesion, including all imaging guidance and radiological supervision and interpretation necessary to perform the angioplasty within the same artery, unilateral; complex lesion, initial vessel

37266+ complex lesion, each additional vessel (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)

37267 Revascularization, endovascular, open or percutaneous, femoral and popliteal vascular territory, with transluminal stent placement, including transluminal angioplasty when performed, including all maneuvers necessary for accessing and selectively catheterizing the artery and crossing the lesion, including all imaging guidance and radiological supervision and interpretation necessary to perform the stent placement and angioplasty when performed, within the same artery, unilateral; straightforward lesion, initial vessel

37268+ straightforward lesion, each additional vessel (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)

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37269 Revascularization, endovascular, open or percutaneous, femoral and popliteal vascular territory, with transluminal stent placement, including transluminal angioplasty when performed, including all maneuvers necessary for accessing and selectively catheterizing the artery and crossing the lesion, including all imaging guidance and radiological supervision and interpretation necessary to perform the stent placement and angioplasty when performed, within the same artery, unilateral; complex lesion, initial vessel

37270+ complex lesion, each additional vessel (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)

37271 Revascularization, endovascular, open or percutaneous, femoral and popliteal vascular territory, with transluminal atherectomy, including transluminal angioplasty when performed, including all maneuvers necessary for accessing and selectively catheterizing the artery and crossing the lesion, including all imaging guidance and radiological supervision and interpretation necessary to perform the atherectomy and angioplasty when performed, within the same artery, unilateral; straightforward lesion, initial vessel

37272+ straightforward lesion, each additional vessel (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)

37273 Revascularization, endovascular, open or percutaneous, femoral and popliteal vascular territory, with transluminal atherectomy, including transluminal angioplasty when performed, including all maneuvers necessary for accessing and selectively catheterizing the artery and crossing the lesion, including all imaging guidance and radiological supervision and interpretation necessary to perform the atherectomy and angioplasty when performed, within the same artery, unilateral; complex lesion, initial vessel

37274+ complex lesion, each additional vessel (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)

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37275 Revascularization, endovascular, open or percutaneous, femoral and popliteal vascular territory, with transluminal stent placement, with transluminal atherectomy, including transluminal angioplasty when performed, including all maneuvers necessary for accessing and selectively catheterizing the artery and crossing the lesion, including all imaging guidance and radiological supervision and interpretation necessary to perform the stent placement, atherectomy, and angioplasty when performed, within the same artery, unilateral; straightforward lesion, initial vessel

37276+ straightforward lesion, each additional vessel (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)

37277 Revascularization, endovascular, open or percutaneous, femoral and popliteal vascular territory, with transluminal stent placement, with transluminal atherectomy, including transluminal angioplasty when performed, including all maneuvers necessary for accessing and selectively catheterizing the artery and crossing the lesion, including all imaging guidance and radiological supervision and interpretation necessary to perform the stent placement, atherectomy, and angioplasty when performed, within the same artery, unilateral; complex lesion, initial vessel

37278+ complex lesion, each additional vessel (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)

37279 Intravascular lithotripsy(ies), femoral and popliteal vascular territory, including all imaging guidance and radiological supervision and interpretation necessary to perform the intravascular lithotripsy(ies) within the same artery (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)

+ Denotes Add-on Code

# Lower Extremity Revascularization Femoral/Popliteal Territory

One primary code is used for each territory treated

Common femoral and profunda femoris treated as a single vessel

Superficial femoral and popliteal treated as a single vessel

Additional vessels may be billed with the appropriate add on code

A maximum of one add on code may be reported per leg in the femoral popliteal territory

Report stent code once when more than one stent is placed in the same vessel

Lesions crossing territories treated with a single therapy should be reported with one code

Discrete lesions treated in separate territories may be separately reported with the appropriate primary codes

Interventions on each leg are reported separately. Use modifier 59 to denote separate, distinct procedures

Interventions are reported per vessel, not per lesion. Code to the most extensive service performed

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Lower Extremity Revascularization includes:

- Access and selective catheterization
- Crossing the lesion
- Radiologic supervision and interpretation directly related to intervention
- Embolic protection
- Closure of arteriotomy
- Imaging to document completion
- 36140, 36200, 36245, 36246, 36247, 36248. 76000, 75960, 75962, 75964 through the same access site performed on the treated vessel

**Straightforward = Stenosis**

**Complex = Occlusion**

For bilateral procedures, use modifier 50 on base codes. Report add on codes twice.

Procedure that does not cross the lesion should be billed with the appropriate diagnostic angiography code

Lithotripsy code 37279 can be reported twice per leg

## References

American Medical Association (2025). CPT 2026 Professional Edition.

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