



## 2017 Coding Update for Neulasta®: Announcing a New CPT Code for Administration of the Neulasta® Onpro® Kit

	 <b>Neulasta® Onpro® Kit for Administration via the On-body Injector</b>	 <b>Neulasta® Prefilled Syringe for Manual Injection</b>
<b>CPT Code<sup>1,2</sup></b>	<b>NEW</b> 96377, application of on-body injector (includes cannula insertion) for timed subcutaneous injection	96372, therapeutic, prophylactic, or diagnostic injection (specify substance or drug); subcutaneous or intramuscular
<b>HCPCS Code<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>J2505, injection, pegfilgrastim, 6 mg</b>	
<b>NDC Number<sup>4</sup></b>	<b>55513-0192-01</b>	<b>55513-0190-01</b>

**Effective January 1, 2017, a new drug administration CPT code (96377) will be available for use with the Neulasta® Onpro® Kit**

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CPT = Current Procedural Terminology; HCPCS = Healthcare Procedure Coding System.

# 2017 Pricing Considerations for the New CPT Code 96377

## Medicare Physician Fee Schedule

For 2017

**96377 will be contractor-priced in the clinic setting<sup>5,\*</sup>**

For 2018

**96377 is expected to have a standardized Medicare payment rate**

**In order to set 2017 pricing for 96377, Amgen believes that commercial payers and Medicare Administrative Contractors should use a direct crosswalk to the payment rate for the subcutaneous CPT code 96372**

- The physician and clinical staff services for Neulasta<sup>®</sup> administration with the On-body Injector are in line with typical services for subcutaneous administration procedures<sup>6</sup>
- 96372 is being used to report administration of Neulasta<sup>®</sup> prefilled syringe via manual injection<sup>2</sup>

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\* CMS is addressing CY 2017 payment for the code in the hospital outpatient setting nationally through rulemaking.

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