

Part 3: Patient Responsibility for GI Procedures

Facility Fee: First Procedure	Colonoscopy	\$1118.00
Second Procedure:		\$559.00
Third Procedure:		\$559.00
Fourth Procedure:		\$559.00
First Procedure	EGD	\$847.00
With Cellvizio		\$1945.00
Hemwell w/ Colonoscopy		\$2996.00
Hemwell w/ Flex Sig		\$2594.00

- If a second or third colonoscopy code is added to the Hemwell procedure, those codes will be billed to the patient at \$559.00 per code.

Reference:

Anti-Kickback Law: 42 U.S.C. § 1320a-7b(b); 42 C.F.R. § 1001.952

Beneficiary Inducement Law: 42 U.S.C. § 1320a-7a(a)(5); 42 C.F.R. §§ 1003.101, 1003.102(c)(13)

Guidance on OIG Special Advisory Bulletin, Offering Gifts and Other Inducements to Beneficiaries, August 2002

OIG Hospital Discounts Offered to Patients Who Cannot Afford to Pay Their Hospital Bills, February 2004

Text of Letter from Tommy G. Thompson, Secretary of Health and Human Services, to Richard J. Davidson, President, American Hospital Association, February 2004

The Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health Act § 13405(a)