



Western Australian Coding Rule

0810/03 Sub-tenon's injection of steroid for chronic anterior uveitis

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What is the correct procedure code for sub-tenon's injection of steroid for uveitis?

A.

The sub-tenon space is the area between the Tenon's capsule and the sclera.

Assign *42824-00 [221] Retrobulbar administration of alcohol or other drug* by following ACHI Alphabetic Index pathway: Administration, specified site, orbit.

DECISION

Assign *42824-00 [221] Retrobulbar administration of alcohol or other drug* for sub-tenon's injection.

This advice has a minor modification to correspond with an update in ICD-10-AM/ACHI/ACS Tenth Edition.

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