

DIGESTIVE SYSTEM SURGICAL PROCEDURES

MISCELLANEOUS

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MECKEL'S DIVERTICULUM

# S194	Meckel's diverticulum excision.....	6	356.50	7
# S159	- with small bowel resection.....	6	406.85	7

MESENTERY

# S195	Local excision of lesion.....	6	305.05	7
# S199	Resection of mesentery.....	6	325.40	6

APPENDIX

# S204	Incision and drainage of abscess	6	239.20	7
# S207	Appendectomy with or without perforation.....	6	458.60	7

Payment rules:

1. S204, S313, S314, Z594 and E686 are *not eligible for payment* with S207.

[Commentary:

S207 is to be claimed for an appendectomy regardless of whether the appendix is intact or ruptured.]

SMALL INTESTINE

# S152	Bowel lengthening procedure in a paediatric patient.....	9	1700.00	10
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[Commentary:

Examples of a bowel lengthening procedure include serial transverse enteroplasty (STEP) or longitudinal intestinal lengthening and tailoring (LILT).]

Payment rules:

1. S152 is *not eligible for payment* with any other services described in the Digestive System Surgical Procedures/Intestines (Except Rectum) section of the *Schedule*, for the same patient, same *day*.

2. S152 is limited to one per patient per *day*.

TRANSPLANT

Small bowel transplant

# S201	- donor	6	964.50	8
# S202	- recipient	20	2748.75	30

Multivisceral transplant

# S196	- donor	6	2748.75	8
# S197	- recipient, without evisceration	25	7934.35	35
# E807	- recipient, with evisceration, to S197		2644.75	

Payment rules:

1. S197 must include transplant of the small bowel and liver, *with or without* transplant of the duodenum, stomach, pancreas and large bowel.

2. S196 must include removal of the small bowel and liver, *with or without* removal of the duodenum, stomach, pancreas and large bowel.