# Minuteman 2024 Billing Guidance

## **Physician**

CPT Code <sup>1</sup>	CPT Code Description	RVU (CF 32.74)	2024 Medicare National Average Payment
22612	Arthrodesis, posterior or posterolateral technique, single interspace: lumbar (with lateral transverse technique, when performed)	47.79	\$1,564.85
22840	Posterior non-segmental instrumentation (eg, Harrington rod technique, pedicle fixation across 1 interspace, atlantoaxial transarticular screw fixation, sublaminar wiring at C1, facet screw fixation) (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	22.6	\$740.02
	Allograft, morselized, or placement of osteopromotive material, for spine surgery only (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	N/A	Bundled Code

#### **ASC**

CPT Code <sup>1</sup>	CPT Code Description	PI	2024 Medicare National Average Payment
1 //61/	Arthrodesis, posterior or posterolateral technique, single interspace: lumbar (with lateral transverse technique, when performed)	J8	\$13,531.60
22840	Posterior non-segmental instrumentation (eg, Harrington rod technique, pedicle fixation across 1 interspace, atlantoaxial transarticular screw fixation, sublaminar wiring at C1, facet screw fixation) (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	N1	N/A
1 /114311	Allograft, morselized, or placement of osteopromotive material, for spine surgery only (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	N1	N/A

## Hospital

CPT Code <sup>1</sup>	CPT Code Description	SI	APC	2024 Medicare National Average Payment
22612	Arthrodesis, posterior or posterolateral technique, single interspace: lumbar (with lateral transverse technique, when performed)	J1	5116	\$17,774.76
22840	Posterior non-segmental instrumentation (eg, Harrington rod technique, pedicle fixation across 1 interspace, atlantoaxial transarticular screw fixation, sublaminar wiring at C1, facet screw fixation) (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	N	N/A	N/A
1 /114/11	Allograft, morselized, or placement of osteopromotive material, for spine surgery only (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	N	N/A	N/A

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# **Patient Eligibility**

Inclusion Criteria	Exclusion Criteria*
Diagnosis of LSS	Patients with a PARS fracture and/or significant instability of the lumbar spine
Diagnosis of Degenerative Disc Disease	Significant scoliosis (Cobb angle greater than 25 degrees)
Diagnosis of Spondylolisthesis	Pregnancy

#### **Example Diagnosis**

Primary Diagnosis Codes	Diagnosis Code Description
M53.2X6	Spinal Instabilities
M43.16	Spondylolisthesis Lumbar Region
M48.062	Spinal Stenosis lumbar region with neurogenic claudication
M51.36	Other intervertebral disc degeneration lumbar region

### **Commercial (Private) Payers**

Coverage for Posterolateral Spinal Arthrodesis (Minuteman) varies by payer policy. We encourage providers to contact non-Medicare payers to confirm coverage prior to performing procedure.

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