

RockTape – Billing & Coding 2016

** Please be advised that the laws, rules and regulations regarding reimbursement for these services and products vary from state to state and from profession to profession. Always check your state's laws to verify which codes apply and work best for your scope of practice in your state.

RockTape Kinesiology Tape (elastic therapeutic tape)

Kinesiology tape is a supply. Its application is included in the time spent in direct contact with a patient to provide either re-education of a muscle and movement or facilitate movement by providing support. If the tape is applied specifically with the intent to enable less pain in the region and greater function then application of tape in this manner is typically part of **neuromuscular re-education (97112) or therapeutic exercise (97110) codes.**

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97112 – Neuro-Muscular Re-Education of movement, balance, coordination, kinesthetic sense, posture, and/or proprioception for sitting and or/standing activities

** In March of 2012, the AMA SPT Assistant reported that the updated way to report the code for kinesiology tape applications is NOT through the strapping codes (CPT codes 29200, 29240, 29260, 29280, 29520, 29530, 29540 or 29799) unless the intent of the taping application is to IMMOBILIZE a muscle or joint AND there was no other specific service done on that date other than an evaluation.

RockNRoller, RockBalls, RockBands and RockBandRX

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97140 – Manual therapy techniques (e.g., mobilization/manipulation, manual lymphatic drainage, manual traction), one or more regions, each 15 minutes." You may also document myofascial release using this code.