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**To:** 'Joey Suarez'

**Subject:** Request to Change Product Name in DMECS from VIPER to VENUM - Xref 18095114

Dear Mr. Suarez:

We approved your request to update the Durable Medical Equipment Coding System (DMECS) for your line of spinal products named VIPER at the time the coding verification applications were submitted to the Pricing, Data Analysis and Coding (PDAC) contractor. With the product name change, there will be no changes made to the previously assigned Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) codes. Below is a summary of the name changes that will be made to DMECS in the next update:

**VIPER LP LITE** – Product Name will be changed to VENUM LP LITE. The model numbers are VIPLPLITE2X, VIPLPLITE3X, VIPLPLITELG, VIPLPLITEMD, VIPLPLITESM, and VIPLPLITEXL.

**VIPER LP MAX** – Product Name will be changed to VENUM LP MAX. The model numbers are VIPLPMAX2X, VIPLPMAX3X, VIPLPMAXLG, VIPLPMAXMD, VIPLPMAXSM, and VIPLPMAXXL.

**VIPER LP PRO** – Product Name will be changed to VENUM LP PRO. The model numbers are VIPLPPRO2X, VIPLPPRO3X, VIPLPPROLG, VIPLPPROMD, VIPLPPROSM, and VIPLPPROXL.

**VIPER LP X** – Product Name will be changed to VENUM LP X. The model numbers are VIPLPX2X, VIPLPX3X, VIPLPXLG, VIPLPXMD, VIPLPXSM, and VIPLPXXL.

**VIPER LSO LITE** – Product Name will be changed to VENUM LSO LITE. The model numbers are VIPLSLITE2X, VIPLSLITE3X, VIPLSLITELG, VIPLSLITEMD, VIPLSLITESM, and VIPLSLITEXL.

**VIPER LSO MAX** – Product Name will be changed to VENUM LSO MAX. The model numbers are VIPLSMAX2X, VIPLSMAX3X, VIPLSMAXLG, VIPLSMAXMD, VIPLSMAXSM, and VIPLSMAXXL.

**VIPER LSO PRO** – Product Name will be changed to VENUM LSO PRO. The model numbers are VIPLSPRO2X, VIPLSPRO3X, VIPLSPROLG, VIPLSPROMD, VIPLSPROSM, and VIPLSPROXL.

**VIPER LSO X** – Product Name will be changed to VENUM LSO X. The model numbers are VIPLSX2X, VIPLSX3X, VIPLSXLG, VIPLSXMD, VIPLSXSM, and VIPLSXXL.

These changes will be available within ten (10) working days in DMECS, which is located on the PDAC web site, [www.dmeprd.com](http://www.dmeprd.com). Please take the time to verify that these changes are correctly reflected in DMECS.

If you have any questions, you may contact the Pricing, Data Analysis and Coding Contact Center at (877) 735-1326 between 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. CT.

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