

CLINICIAN CHECKLIST FOR OSTOMY SUPPLIES

Policy References:

- [Local Coverage Determination \(LCD\) \(L33828\)](#)
- [Policy Article \(A52487\)](#)

Documentation References: [Standard Documentation Requirements Policy Article \(A55426\)](#)

The treating clinician must complete the following items:

[Standard Written Order \(SWO\)](#)

Medical records as noted below

Medical Documentation

Documentation supports the beneficiary has a surgically created opening (stoma) to divert urine or fecal contents outside the body and includes:

Location

Construction

Condition of the skin surface surrounding the stoma

Documentation supports that the ostomy supplies are appropriately being used for a colostomy, ileostomy, or urinary ostomy

Adequate, clear documentation that explains the medical necessity of the amount ordered