

Durable Medical Equipment (DME) Rental to Purchase

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Effective Date: August 1, 2024

Current State: N/A

Future State: Effective August 1, 2024, Sentara Health Plans will deploy an edit to review DME rental costs. Sentara Health Plans adheres to the Department of Medical Assistance Services Appendix B to determine the allowable cost for rental and purchase allowances for DME items. Sentara Health Plans will provide reimbursement for rentals only up to the established purchase price. A description of the equipment and limitations for rental are found in the Appendix B at the following link: dmas.virginia.gov/for-providers/long-term-care/services/durable-medical-equipment/.

Applicable Plan(s): Medicaid

Applicable Policy: Policy Number: 4006

Business Owner: Cost of Care