

Billing for Wound Debridement and Strapping

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Strapping/Casting-295XX

If strapping is done on a different site and your documentation supports it, then you may bill the strapping with a 59 Modifier:

- ⇒ **1st Modifier-Modifier 59**
- ⇒ **2nd Modifier-Site Modifier (RT/LT/50-Bilateral)**

However, strapping is considered inclusive with wound debridement codes by most payors and as a result will be denied

Be prepared to appeal the denial if your documentation warrants the above.