

Title: CAROTID STENT PLACEMENT AND/OR ANGIOPLASTY PRIVILEGE CRITERIA

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POLICY:

- 1. Education: M.D. or D.O.
- 2. Training:
 - A. Interventional Cardiology
 - B. Interventional Radiology
 - C. Interventional Neuroradiology
 - D. Vascular Surgery
 - E. Neurosurgery
- 3. Experience:
 - A. If not trained in Fellowship, experienced endovascular interventionalist with lifetime experience of at least one thousand (1000) endovascular interventions, or completion of an endovascular training program in interventions with verified competence, and
 - B. Manufacturer sponsored formal training program using current FDA approved equipment, and
 - C. 25 diagnostic/cerebral angiographies under supervision of a qualified operator, and
 - D. 10 carotid interventions, half as primary operator under the supervision of a qualified operator
- 4. Proctoring:
 - A. 2 concurrent cases proctored by a qualified operator

References/Standards:

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