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Canes / Crutches Insurance Coverage Criteria

Prescription of Ordered Item

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Medical Record Documenting

- 1. Patient has a mobility limitation that significantly impairs to perform ADLs
- 2. Patient can safely use ordered item
- 3. Mobility limitation can be resolved with use of the ordered item

Special Notes:

 Forearm Crutches (Canadian crutches)- Must document in medical record why patient cannot use standard crutches

Coverage criteria is taken from the CMS Medicare Local Coverage Determination policies. These guidelines are subject to change without notice. Last Updated 8.16.19.