

July 1, 2013 Errata to the  
2013 PRIORITIZATION OF HEALTH SERVICES REPORT

This guideline note was erroneously omitted from chapter two of the 2013 Prioritization of Health Services report to the Governor and Legislature.

**Complicated Hernias**

*Line 172*

This guideline was edited to clarify which hernias are considered complicated. Ventral hernias do not have incarceration or other complications and were excluded from being high risk. Chronic incarceration was further clarified.

Complicated hernias (excluding ventral hernias) are included on this line if they are incarcerated (defined as non-reducible by physical manipulation) or have symptoms of obstruction and/or strangulation. Chronic incarceration that does not place the patient at risk for impending strangulation (e.g. such as a large ventral hernia with loss of domain), is included on Line 530 UNCOMPLICATED HERNIA AND VENTRAL HERNIA (OTHER THAN INGUINAL HERNIA IN CHILDREN AGE 18 AND UNDER OR DIAPHRAGMATIC HERNIA).