

**FOUND ON  
EMA EHR  
(COMPLEX  
CLOSURE)**

# HEMIGARD<sup>®</sup> ASRD

## REIMBURSEMENT

### REGULATORY

The ASRD is FDA registered as a **suture retention device** 21 CFR § 878.4930).

### VALUE SIGNIFICANCE

Compared to sutures without the ASRD, standard dermal sutures supported by the ASRD resulted in: a **significant reduction of dehiscence on excisional wounds (89% reduction)**, amputations (81% reduction), ORIFs (79% reduction), and a 25% increased wound perfusion, as well as a reduction in skin tearing, need for undermining, dermal sutures, flaps, grafts and second intent healing. Publications available at [suturegard.com/Publications](http://suturegard.com/Publications)

### REIMBURSEMENT CODE

Complex repair (**CPT<sup>®</sup> codes 13100 to 13160**) includes the repair of wounds that, in addition to the requirements for intermediate repair, require at least one of the following: exposure of bone, cartilage, tendon, or named neurovascular structure; debridement of wound edges (e.g., traumatic lacerations or avulsions); extensive undermining (defined as distance equal to or greater than the maximum width of the defect, measured perpendicular to the closure line along at least one entire edge of the defect); involvement of free margins of helical rim, vermilion border, or nostril rim; **placement of retention sutures**. Necessary preparation includes creation of a limited defect for repairs or the debridement of complicated lacerations or avulsions. Complex repair does not include excision of benign (11400-11446) or malignant (11600-11646) lesions, excisional preparation of a wound bed (15002-15005), or debridement of an open fracture or open dislocation.



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CPT® code	Description	Non-Facility (e.g. Physician Office)	Facility (ASC, hospital where CPT codes are used)
13160	Secondary closure of surgical wound, extensive or complicated	N/A	\$815.32
13101	Complex repair to the trunk of 2.5cm to 5.0cm	\$411.81	\$250.90
13102	Complex repair to the trunk; each additional 5.0cm or less	\$120.78	\$73.36
13121	Complex repair to the scalp, arms and/or legs of 2.5cm to 5.0cm	\$439.85	\$259.55
13122	Complex repair to the scalp, arms and/or legs; each additional 5.0cm or less	\$130.81	\$83.40
13132	Complex repair to forehead, cheeks, chin, mouth, neck, axillae, hands and/or feet of 2.5cm to 5.0cm	\$486.91	\$305.57
13133	Complex repair to forehead, cheeks, chin, mouth, neck, axillae, hands and/or feet; each additional 5.0cm or less	\$172.34	\$126.31
13152	Complex repair to eyelids, nose, ears and/or lips of 2.5cm to 5.0cm	\$512.86	\$338.80
13153	Complex repair to eyelids, nose, ears and/or lips; each additional 5.0cm or less	\$189.99	\$138.43