ELECTRICITY-DEPENDENT DURABLE MEDICAL EQUIPMENT (DME) AND DEVICES

The HHS emPOWER Map, emPOWER AI, emPOWER REST Service, and emPOWER Emergency Planning De-identified Dataset provide monthly de-identified totals of Medicare claims submitted for reimbursement for these DME and devices:

**Cardiac Devices (4):** Left, right, and bi-ventricular assistive devices and total artificial hearts (LVAD, RVAD, BIVAD, and TAH) are mechanical pumps that support or replace heart function in people with heart failure.

**Ventilator:** Provide 24 hour a day life-maintaining/saving ventilation and oxygen for an individual.

**Suction Pump:** Used by individuals who have difficulty clearing mucosal secretion in their airway and or for gastric secretions.

**Oxygen Concentrator:** Provides life-maintaining or saving oxygen from the air 24 hours a day or as supplemental oxygen for certain respiratory conditions.

**Enteral Feeding Tube:** Provides nutrition to patients who cannot obtain nutrition by mouth, are unable to swallow safely, or need nutritional supplementation.

**Electric Bed:** Features include adjustable heights for the bed, head, and feet, adjustable side rails, and electronic buttons to operate the bed and other nearby electronic devices.

**IV Infusion Pump:** Delivers controlled levels of fluids, medication, or nutrients into a patient’s circulatory system.

**Bi-level Positive Airway Pressure Device (BiPAP):** Provides non-invasive inhalation and exhalation mechanical pressure support ventilation to keep airways open.

**End-Stage Renal Disease (ESRD) At-Home Dialysis:** At-home peritoneal or hemodialysis machines for patients that need frequent dialysis treatments.

**Motorized Wheelchair or Scooter:** Mobility equipment for individuals unable to propel a manual wheelchair.

HEALTH CARE SERVICES

The HHS emPOWER Emergency Planning De-identified Dataset also provides public health authorities with more detailed de-identified data, including Medicare claims data totals for each of the following health care services:

**Outpatient Facility Dialysis**
Outpatient dialysis services for patients with ESRD

**Home Health Care Services**
Home health services including skilled nursing care and physical therapy, etc.

**Oxygen Tank Services**
Oxygen tank service delivery for patients with qualifying conditions

**Home Hospice Care Services**
Hospice services provided in a personal residence to a terminally ill individual

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