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TO: FEE FOR SERVICE RADIOLOGISTS, GENERAL SURGEONS**RE: REMOVAL OF SUBCUTANEOUS PORT (i.e. PORT-A-CATH)**

In consultation with the Newfoundland and Labrador Medical Association (NLMA), the Department of Health & Community Services (HCS) will be introducing a new fee code to the Medical Care Plan (MCP) Medical Payment Schedule for the removal of a subcutaneous port previously inserted for venous access as follows. These changes are effective June 19th, 2018.

Code	GP/Spec.	Anaes.
54223 Removal of subcutaneous port (i.e. Port-a-Cath)	111.65	4

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