

Vascular Surgery – Scope of Clinical Practice

Clinical Institute: Urology and Vascular

Procedure Name	Tier
Angioplasty of aorta, iliac, femoral, popliteal and tibial arteries +/- stenting	Tier A
Angioplasty/stenting of renal arteries	Tier A
Bypass and reconstructive surgery for occlusive arterial disease of the abdominal aorta, its branches, iliac, femoral, popliteal, tibial, pedal, carotid, subclavian, axillary, brachial, radial and ulnar arteries	Tier A
Carotid body tumour excision	Tier A
Central venous access insertion for catheters and port placement	Tier A
Consulting	Tier A
Debridement and minor amputations for vascular disease	Tier A
Debridement of foot/minor amputation of toe(s)	Tier A
Exposure of aorta & iliac arteries or inferior vena cava and iliac veins	Tier A
Haemodialysis and peritoneal dialysis access procedures	Tier A
Insertion or removal of inferior vena cava filter	Tier A
Intraoperative angiography/angioplasty ± stenting	Tier A
Major amputations	Tier A
Open aneurysm repair of abdominal aorta, iliac, femoral, popliteal and upper arm arteries	Tier A
Popliteal artery decompression for entrapment	Tier A
Primary Varicose Vein Surgery	Tier A
Redo Varicose Vein Surgery	Tier A
Repair of traumatised major artery or vein of extremity, abdomen or neck including re-operation, thrombectomy of arteries of upper and lower limbs	Tier A
Thoracic outlet decompression procedures including first rib resection	Tier A
Thoracoscopic thoracic sympathectomy	Tier A
Thromboembolectomy of axillary brachial, femoral and popliteal arteries and their branches	Tier A
Venous thrombectomy or venous thrombolysis	Tier A
Carotid artery stenting	Tier B
Endovascular repair of abdominal aortic and iliac artery aneurysms	Tier B
Endovascular repair of thoracic aortic aneurysms including dissections	Tier B
Fenestrated or branched aortic stent grafts or branched iliac bifurcation stent grafts	Tier B
Open thoracic sympathectomy	Tier B
Open thoracoabdominal aneurysm repair (second vascular surgeon or a cardiothoracic surgeon be involved as a second surgeon)	Tier B
Paediatric practice - Any clinical practice involving the treatment of a patient under the age of 18 years	Tier B