



Retrograde Cricopharyngeus Dysfunction (RCPD) Fees*

Day One:

Initial Evaluation at Bastian Voice Institute (BVI)

<u>Charge</u>	<u>Fee Description</u>	<u>Insurance Billing Code</u>
\$ 372	Office Visit	CPT 99204
\$ 534	Videoendoscopy	CPT 92612-GN
<u>\$ 94</u>	Review of Videoendoscopy	CPT 92613
\$1000	Total BVI charges	(BVI offers a 15% discount if paid in full by patient)

Day Two:

Esophagoscopy + Botox Injection, a short outpatient procedure under general anesthesia at Midwest Center for Day Surgery (MCDS)

\$ 600	Esophagoscopy	CPT 43192** (eligible for BVI 15% discount)
\$ 600	Botox	(This is the cost of the Botox with no markup. You will be asked to pay this amount at the time of your procedure at MCDS.)
\$ 600	Anesthesiologist	<u>SELF-PAY COST</u> Billed by MCDS Anesthesiology Services***
<u>\$ 900</u>	Use of facility	<u>SELF-PAY COST</u> Billed by MCDS***
\$2700	Total Day Two charges	

One Week Later:

Follow-up appointment with Physician Assistant either in-person or via telemedicine

\$ 220	Post-op visit	CPT 99213 (99213-GT if telemedicine)
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\$1000	Total Day One charges
\$2700	Total Day Two charges (estimated)
<u>\$ 220</u>	Total One Week Later charges
\$3920	Total Charges before insurance processes the claim****

\$ 850	Total Day One charges with 15% discount if paid in full
\$2610	Total Day Two charges with 15% discount on BVI charges if paid in full
<u>\$ 187</u>	Total One Week Later charges with 15% discount if paid in full
\$3647	Total Charges with 15% discount if paid in full on the date of service

BVI will submit a claim to your in-network insurance for Day 1 charges, Day 2 Esophagoscopy fee, and one-week post-op follow-up. The surgery center (MCDS) will submit their charges. BVI offers a 15% discount on *our* charges to those who pay in full at the time of service and who do not submit to insurance. MCDS offers its own payment options for those without insurance coverage or who are out of network. These options plus questions you may have about your MCDS bill can be discussed with the MCDS billing manager at (630) 852-9300.

*DISCLAIMER: The charges provided are an “accurate estimate” and are subject to change. Charges billed by MCDS are based on information provided to Bastian Voice Institute by MCDS; these charges should be verified with MCDS (630) 796-4998.

**If your insurance company requires pre-authorization for this procedure we are NOT able to help you obtain that until you have officially become a patient by having been seen by us in our office.

***MCDS (Midwest Center for Day Surgery) will charge a different, higher amount if you are using insurance. Please contact MCDS and your insurance company to determine your financial responsibility for these charges if you are using insurance.

****Since each insurance company differs in coverage, this procedure has occasionally been denied as experimental and/or investigational. In the event this happens to you, we will help you appeal the denial.

****The diagnosis codes used for billing are:

- R14.2 Eructation
- R14.0 Abdominal distension (gaseous)
- K22.4 Dyskinesia of esophagus

It is within your rights to contact your insurance company prior to your visit and ask if the procedure is considered experimental or investigational.

Note: All charges are billed to insurance companies through Bastian Voice Institute’s National Provider Identifier (NPI) 1922122571