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Procedures that require prior authorization by Carelon

Radiology (high technology)

For Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan on behalf of Blue Cross and Blue Shield Federal Employee Program® Michigan members

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Overview

Prior authorizations managed by Carelon Medical Benefits Management (formerly AIM Specialty Health®)

This document shows the codes associated with procedures that are managed by Carelon for Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan on behalf of Blue Cross and Blue Shield Federal Employee Program Michigan members for services received in Michigan.

Submitting prior authorization requests to Carelon

Providers must obtain prior authorization from Carelon before these services are provided. To learn how to submit prior authorization requests, see the “How do I submit prior authorization requests to Carelon?” section of the [Frequently asked questions about Carelon: For cardiology, radiology \(high technology\) and sleep studies \(in lab\)](#) document.

For services that do not have approved authorizations, claims may be denied and providers may not bill the member.

Where to find additional information

For information about finding clinical guidelines and submitting prior authorization requests, refer to the [Blue Cross Carelon-Managed Procedures page](#) on the ereferrals.bcbsm.com website.



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Effective for dates of service on or after Feb. 1, 2021

Codes						
*70336	*70450	*70460	*70470	*70480	*70481	*70482
*70486	*70487	*70488	*70490	*70491	*70492	*70496
*70498	*70540	*70542	*70543	*70544	*70545	*70546
*70547	*70548	*70549	*70551	*70552	*70553	*71250
*71260	*71270	*71275	*71550	*71551	*71552	*71555
*72125	*72126	*72127	*72128	*72129	*72130	*72131
*72132	*72133	*72141	*72142	*72146	*72147	*72148
*72149	*72156	*72157	*72158	*72159	*72191	*72192
*72193	*72194	*72195	*72196	*72197	*72198	*73200
*73201	*73202	*73206	*73218	*73219	*73220	*73221
*73222	*73223	*73700	*73701	*73702	*73706	*73718
*73719	*73720	*73721	*73722	*73723	*73725	*74150
*74160	*74170	*74174	*74176	*74177	*74178	*74181
*74182	*74183	*74185	*74175	*74261	*74262	*74712
*75557	*75559	*75561	*75563	*75572	*75573	*75574
*75635	*76390	*76391	*77046	*77047	*77048	*77049
*77078	*77084	*78429	*78430	*78431	*78432	*78433
*78459	*78491	*78492	*78608	*78609	*78811	*78812
*78813	*78814	*78815	*78816	G0297		

Note: Do not submit prior authorization requests to Carelon for add-on codes *74713, *76376, *76377, *76380, *78496, *75565 and *78434.



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