

**Radiology Codes Requiring Prior Authorization
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Code	Description
70540	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, orbit, face, and neck; without contrast material(s)
70542	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, orbit, face, and neck; with contrast material(s)
70543	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, orbit, face, and neck; without contrast material(s), followed by contrast material(s) and further sequences
70544	Magnetic resonance angiography, head; without contrast materials
70545	Magnetic resonance angiography, head; with contrast materials
70546	Magnetic resonance angiography, head; without contrast materials followed by contrast materials and further sequences
70547	Magnetic resonance angiography, neck; without contract material(s)
70548	Magnetic resonance angiography, neck; with contrast material(s)
70549	Magnetic resonance angiography, neck; without contrast material(s), followed by contrast material(s) and further sequences
70551	Magnetic resonance (eg, Proton) imaging, brain (including brain stem); without contrast material
70552	Magnetic resonance (eg, Proton) imaging, brain (including brain stem); with contrast material
70553	Magnetic resonance (eg, Proton) imaging, brain (including brain stem); without contrast material followed by contrast material and further sequences
70557	Magnetic resonance (eg, Proton) imaging, brain (including brain stem and skull base), during open intracranial procedures (eg. To assess for residual tumor or residual vascular malformation; without contrast material
70558	Magnetic resonance (eg, Proton) imaging, brain (including brain stem and skull base), during open intracranial procedures (eg. To assess for residual tumor or residual vascular malformation; with contrast material
70559	Magnetic resonance (eg, Proton) imaging, brain (including brain stem and skull base), during open intracranial procedures (eg. To assess for residual tumor or residual vascular malformation; without contrast material, followed by contrast material and further sequences
71550	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, chest (eg, for evaluation of hilar and mediastinal lymphadenopathy); without contrast material(s)
71551	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, chest (eg, for evaluation of hilar and mediastinal lymphadenopathy); with contrast material(s)
71552	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, chest (eg, for evaluation of hilar and mediastinal lymphadenopathy); without contrast material(s), followed by contrast material(s) and further sequences
71555	Magnetic resonance angiography, chest (excluding myocardium), with or without contrast material(s) contrast material(s) and further sections
72141	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, spinal canal and contents, cervical; without contrast material
72142	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, spinal canal and contents, cervical; with contrast material(s)
72146	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, spinal canal and contents, thoracic; without contrast material
72147	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, spinal canal and contents, thoracic; with contrast material(s)
72148	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, spinal canal and contents, lumbar; without contrast material
72149	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, spinal canal and contents, lumbar; with contrast material(s)
72156	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, spinal canal and contents, without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further sequences; Cervical
72157	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, spinal canal and contents, without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further sequences; Thoracic
72158	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, spinal canal and contents, without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further sequences; Lumbar
72159	Magnetic resonance angiography, spinal canal and contents, with or without contrast material(s)
72195	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, pelvis; without contrast material(s)
72196	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, pelvis; with contrast material(s)
72197	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, pelvis; without contrast material(s) followed by contrast material(s) and further sequences
72198	Magnetic resonance angiography, pelvis, with or without contrast material(s)
73218	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, upper extremity, other than joint; without contrast material(s)
73219	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, upper extremity, other than joint; with contrast material(s)
73220	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, upper extremity, other than joint; without contrast material(s),

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	followed by contrast material(s) and further sequences
73221	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, any joint of upper extremity; without contrast material(s)
73222	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, any joint of upper extremity; with contrast material(s)
73223	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, any joint of upper extremity; without contrast material(s), followed by contrast material(s) and further sequences
73225	Magnetic resonance angiography, upper extremity, with or without contrast material(s) by contrast material(s) and further sections
73718	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, lower extremity other than joint; without contrast material(s)
73719	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, lower extremity other than joint; with contrast material(s)
73720	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, lower extremity other than joint; without contrast material(s), followed by contrast material(s) and further sequences
73721	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, any joint of lower extremity; without contrast material
73722	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, any joint of lower extremity; with contrast material(s)
73723	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, any joint of lower extremity; without contrast material(s), followed by contrast material(s) and further sequences
73725	Magnetic resonance angiography, lower extremity, with or without contrast material(s)
74181	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, abdomen; without contrast material(s)
74182	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, abdomen; with contrast material(s)
74183	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, abdomen; without contrast material(s), followed by with contrast material(s) and further sequences
74185	Magnetic resonance angiography, abdomen, with or without contrast material(s)
75565	Cardiac magnetic resonance imaging for velocity flow mapping effective 1-1-2010
76120	Cineradiography/videoradiography, except where specifically included
76150	Xeroradiography
76390	Magnetic resonance spectroscopy
76498	Unlisted magnetic resonance procedure (eg, diagnostic, interventional)
76499	Unlisted diagnostic radiographic procedure
76801	Ultrasound, pregnant uterus, real time with image documentation, fetal and maternal evaluation, first trimester (14 weeks 0 days), transabdominal approach; single or first gestation
76802	Ultrasound, pregnant uterus, real time with image documentation, fetal and maternal evaluation, first trimester (14 weeks 0 days), transabdominal approach; each additional gestation (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)
76805	Ultrasound, pregnant uterus, real time with image documentation, fetal and maternal evaluation, after first trimester (or = 14 weeks 0 days), transabdominal approach; single or first gestation
76810	Ultrasound, pregnant uterus, real time with image documentation, fetal and maternal evaluation, after first trimester (or = 14 weeks 0 days), transabdominal approach; each additional gestation (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)
76811	Ultrasound, pregnant uterus, real time with image documentation, fetal and maternal evaluation plus detailed fetal anatomic examination, transabdominal approach; single or first gestation
76812	Ultrasound, pregnant uterus, real time with image documentation, fetal and maternal evaluation plus detailed fetal anatomic examination, transabdominal approach; each additional gestation (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)
76815	Ultrasound, pregnant uterus, real time with image documentation, limited (eg,fetal heart beat, placental location, fetal position and/or qualitative amniotic fluid volume), one or more fetuses
76816	Ultrasound, pregnant uterus, real time with image documentation, follow-up (eg, re-evaluation of fetal size by measuring standard growth parameters and amniotic fluid volume, re-evaluation of organ system(s) suspected or confirmed to be abnormal on a prev
76817	Ultrasound, pregnant uterus, real time with image documentation, Transvaginal
76999	Unlisted ultrasound procedure (eg, diagnostic, interventional)
77058	Magnetic resonance imaging, breast, without and/or with contrast material(s);unilateral (76093 ended 12-31-06) - effective 1-1-07
77059	Magnetic resonance imaging, breast, without and/or with contrast material(s);bilateral (76094 ended 12-31-06) – effective 1-1-07)
77084	Magnetic resonance (eg, proton) imaging, bone marrow blood supply (76400 ended 12-31-06) – effective

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78451	Myocardial perfusion imaging, tomographic (SPECT); single study, at rest or stress effective 1-1-2010
78452	Myocardial perfusion imaging, tomographic (SPECT); multiple studies, at rest and/or stress and/or redistribution and/or rest reinjection effective 1-1-2010
78453	Myocardial perfusion imaging, planar; single study, at rest or stress effective 1-1-2010
78454	Myocardial perfusion imaging, planar; multiple studies, at rest and/or stress and/or redistribution and/or rest reinjection - effective 1-1-2010
78459	Myocardial imaging, positron emission tomography (PET), metabolic evaluation
78460	Myocardial perfusion imaging; (planar) single study, at rest or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic), with or without quantification - Discontinued 1-1-2010
78461	Myocardial perfusion imaging; (planar) single study, at rest or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic), with or without quantification; multiple studies, (planar) at rest and/or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic), and redistribution and/or rest injection, with or without quantification - Discontinued 1-1-2010
78464	Myocardial perfusion imaging; tomographic (SPECT), single study (including attenuation correction when performed), at rest or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic), with or without quantification - Discontinued 1-1-2010
78465	Myocardial perfusion imaging; tomographic (SPECT), multiple studies (including attenuation correction when performed), at rest and/or stress (exercise and/or pharmacologic) and redistribution and/or rest injection, with or without quantification Discontinued 1-1-2010
78469	Myocardial imaging, infarct avid, planar; tomographic SPECT with or without quantification
78491	Myocardial imaging, positron emission tomography (PET), perfusion; single study at rest or stress
78492	Myocardial imaging, positron emission tomography (PET), perfusion; multiple studies at rest and/or stress
78496	Cardiac blood pool imaging, gated equilibrium, single study, at rest, with right ventricular ejection fraction by first pass technique (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)
78499	Unlisted cardiovascular procedure, diagnostic nuclear medicine
78599	Unlisted respiratory procedure, diagnostic nuclear medicine
78608	Brain imaging, positron emission tomography (PET); metabolic evaluation
78609	Brain imaging, positron emission tomography (PET); perfusion evaluation
78647	Cerebrospinal fluid flow, imaging (not including introduction of material); tomographic (SPECT)
78699	Unlisted nervous system procedure, diagnostic nuclear medicine
78710	Kidney imaging, tomographic (SPECT)
78799	Unlisted genitourinary procedure, diagnostic nuclear medicine
78803	Radiopharmaceutical localization of tumor or distribution of radiopharmaceutical agent(s); tomographic (SPECT)
78807	Radiopharmaceutical localization of inflammatory process; tomographic (SPECT)
78811	Tumor imaging, positron emission tomography (PET); limited area (eg, chest, head/neck)
78812	Tumor imaging, positron emission tomography (PET); skull base to mid-thigh
78813	Tumor imaging, positron emission tomography (PET); whole body
78814	Tumor imaging, positron emission tomography (PET) with concurrently acquired computed tomography (CT) for attenuation correction and anatomical localization; limited area (eg, chest, head/neck)
78815	Tumor imaging, positron emission tomography (PET) with concurrently acquired computed tomography (CT) for attenuation correction and anatomical localization; skull base to mid-thigh
78816	Tumor imaging, positron emission tomography (PET) with concurrently acquired computed tomography (CT) for attenuation correction and anatomical localization; whole body
78999	Unlisted miscellaneous procedure, diagnostic nuclear medicine
79999	Radiopharmaceutical therapy, unlisted procedure
91299	Unlisted diagnostic gastroenterology procedure
Revenue Codes	
0400	Other Imaging Services-General
0402	Other Imaging Services-Ultrasound
0404	Other Imaging Services-Positron Emission Tomography (PET)

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0409	Other Imaging Services-Other Imaging Services
0610	Magnetic Resonance Technology (MRT)-General
0612	Magnetic Resonance Technology (MRT)-MRI-Spinal Cord (including Spine)
0614	Magnetic Resonance Technology (MRT)-MRI-Other
0615	Magnetic Resonance Technology (MRT)-MRA-Head and Neck Spine
0616	Magnetic Resonance Technology (MRT)-MRA-Lower Extremities
0618	Magnetic Resonance Technology (MRT)-MRA-Other
0619	Magnetic Resonance Technology (MRT)-Other MRT