



Important Provider Notice



January 1, 2025

PA Medicaid Policy Updates Effective February 1, 2025

An Update for Medicaid Providers and Clinicians

Annually Reviewed Medical Policies with Changes

MP-120-MD-PA Tumor Markers

Corrected Procedure Code table, CPT code 82308 Code Description is "*Calcitonin*". Added clinical criteria for Human Epididymis Protein 4 (HE4) enzyme immunoassay (EIA) (CPT code 86305), as this code is listed on the PA Fee Schedule. Advised by PA DHS that the code can be approved on a case-by-case basis by a Medical Director and should no longer be considered Experimental/Investigational.

Annually Reviewed Medical Policies without Changes

MP-112-MD-PA Prescription Digital Therapeutics (e.g., reSET and reSET-O)

No changes to clinical criteria. Updated 'Summary of Literature' and 'Reference Sources' sections.

MP-117-MD-PA Clinical Trials

No changes to criteria. Updated 'Reference Sources' section.

MP-102-MD-PA Gastric Electrical Stimulation (GES)

No changes to Experimental/Investigational clinical stance. Updated 'Summary of Literature' section.

MP-077-MD-PA Supervised Exercise Therapy (SET) in the Management of Peripheral Artery Disease

No changes to clinical criteria. Updated 'Definitions' and 'Reference Sources' sections.

MP-129-MD-PA Long-Term Acute Care (LTAC)

No changes to clinical criteria. Updated 'Reference Sources' section.

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