



# Important Provider Notice



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## PA Medicare Policy Updates Effective August 1, 2024

### An Update for Medicare Providers and Clinicians

#### Annually Reviewed Medical Policies with Changes

##### MP-099-MC-PA Electrocardiographic (EKG or ECG) Monitoring (Holter or Real-Time Monitoring) (L34636)

No change to clinical criteria. Updated CMS hyperlinks. Under ICD-10-CM Codes, Group 1, 2, and 3 the following codes were deleted: I20.8, I24.8, and I47.1. The following codes were added in these groups: I20.81, I20.89, I24.81, I24.89, I47.10, I47.11, I47.19, per CMS guidance.

##### MP-067-MC-PA Peripheral Venous Ultrasound (L35451)

The medical policy title changed from “Non-Invasive Peripheral Venous Studies (L35451)” to “Peripheral Venous Ultrasound (L35341)”. Removed the following CPT codes: 98985 and 93986. Removed the following ICD-10 codes: I74.9, I87.001, I87.002, I87.003, I87.301, I87.302, I87.303, I96, J80, J96.00, J96.01, J96.02, J96.90, M71.21, M71.22, M79.641, M79.642, M79.644, M79.645, M79.671, M79.642, M79.674, M79.675, N18.4, N18.5, N18.6, O22.21, O22.22, O22.23, O22.31, O22.32, O22.33, O87.0, O87.1, O88.211, O88.212, O88.213, O88.22, O88.23, R04.2, R06.00, R06.02, R06.09, R06.82, R07.1, R07.81, R07.82, R07.89, R07.9, T80.0XXA, T80.1XXA, & Z01.818. Added the following ICD-10 codes: I82.B11, I82.B12, I82.B13, I82.B21, I82.B22, I82.B23, I89.0, Q82.0, & T81.72XD; all per CMS guidance.

#### Annually Reviewed Medical Policies without Changes

##### MP-075-MC-PA Ambulance Services (Air)

No changes to clinical criteria. Updated ‘Reference Sources’ section.

##### MP-036-MC-PA Chromosomal Microarray Analysis: Comparative Genomic Hybridization (CGH) and Single Nucleotide Polymorphism (SNP)

No changes to clinical criteria. Updated ‘Summary of Literature’ and ‘Reference Sources’

##### MP-080-MC-PA Cosmetic and Reconstructive Surgery (L35090)

No changes to clinical criteria. Updated ‘Reference Sources’ section.

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