Starting October 1, 2015, CMS will update their existing medical necessity limitations on tests and procedures to correspond to ICD-10 codes. This limitations guide provides you with the latest changes.

This guide is not an all-inclusive list of National Coverage Documents (NCD) and Local Coverage Documents (LCD). You can search by LCD or NCD or keyword and region on the CMS website at: https://www.cms.gov/medicare-coverage-database/overview-and-quick-search.aspx?clickon=search.

CMS will deny payment if the correct diagnosis codes are not entered on the order form, and your patient's test or procedure will not be covered. We compiled this information in one location to make it easier for you to find the proper codes for medically necessary diagnoses.

It is the responsibility of the provider to code to the highest level specified in the ICD-10-CM. The correct use of an ICD-10-CM code listed below does not assure coverage of a service. The service must be reasonable and necessary in the specific case and must meet the criteria specified in this determination.

We will continue to update this list as new CMS limitations are announced. You can always find the most current list at:

www.munsonhealthcare.org/medicalnecessity.

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(L35121) Coronary Computed Tomography Angiography (CCTA)

CTA Coronary Arteries (75574)

CPT Code	Description
75571	Computed tomography, heart, without contrast material, with quantitative evaluation of coronary calcium
75572	Computed tomography, heart, with contrast material, for evaluation of cardiac structure and morphology (including 3d image postprocessing, assessment of cardiac function, and evaluation of venous structures, if performed)
75573	Computed tomography, heart, with contrast material, for evaluation of cardiac structure and morphology in the setting of congenital heart disease (including 3d image postprocessing, assessment of Iv cardiac function, rv structure and function and evaluation of venous structures, if performed)
75574	Computed tomographic angiography, heart, coronary arteries and bypass grafts (when present), with contrast material, including 3d image postprocessing (including evaluation of cardiac structure and morphology, assessment of cardiac function, and evaluation of venous structures, if performed) (CTA Coronary Arteries)

ICD-10 Codes That Support Medical Necessity and Covered by Medicare Program:

Group 1 Paragraph: Note - Diagnosis codes must be coded to the highest level of specificity.

Group 1 Codes:

Code	Description
C38.0	Malignant neoplasm of heart
C45.2	Mesothelioma of pericardium
C79.89	Secondary malignant neoplasm of other specified sites
C79.9	Secondary malignant neoplasm of unspecified site
D15.1	Benign neoplasm of heart
120.0	Unstable angina
120.1	Angina pectoris with documented spasm
120.8	Other forms of angina pectoris
124.0	Acute coronary thrombosis not resulting in myocardial infarction
125.10	Atherosclerotic heart disease of native coronary artery without angina pectoris
125.110	Atherosclerotic heart disease of native coronary artery with unstable angina pectoris
125.111	Atherosclerotic heart disease of native coronary artery with angina pectoris with documented spasm
125.118	Atherosclerotic heart disease of native coronary artery with other forms of angina pectoris
125.119	Atherosclerotic heart disease of native coronary artery with unspecified angina pectoris
125.2	Old myocardial infarction
125.3	Aneurysm of heart
125.41	Coronary artery aneurysm
125.42	Coronary artery dissection
125.5	Ischemic cardiomyopathy
125.6	Silent myocardial ischemia

125.700	Atherosclerosis of coronary artery bypass graft(s), unspecified, with unstable angina pectoris
125.701	Atherosclerosis of coronary artery bypass graft(s), unspecified, with angina pectoris with documented spasm
125.708	Atherosclerosis of coronary artery bypass graft(s), unspecified, with other forms of angina pectoris
125.709	Atherosclerosis of coronary artery bypass graft(s), unspecified, with unspecified angina pectoris
125.710	Atherosclerosis of autologous vein coronary artery bypass graft(s) with unstable angina pectoris
125.711	Atherosclerosis of autologous vein coronary artery bypass graft(s) with angina pectoris with documented spasm
125.718	Atherosclerosis of autologous vein coronary artery bypass graft(s) with other forms of angina pectoris
125.719	Atherosclerosis of autologous vein coronary artery bypass graft(s) with unspecified angina pectoris
125.720	Atherosclerosis of autologous artery coronary artery bypass graft(s) with unstable angina pectoris
125.721	Atherosclerosis of autologous artery coronary artery bypass graft(s) with angina pectoris with documented spasm
125.728	Atherosclerosis of autologous artery coronary artery bypass graft(s) with other forms of angina pectoris
125.729	Atherosclerosis of autologous artery coronary artery bypass graft(s) with unspecified angina pectoris
125.730	Atherosclerosis of nonautologous biological coronary artery bypass graft(s) with unstable angina pectoris
125.731	Atherosclerosis of nonautologous biological coronary artery bypass graft(s) with angina pectoris with documented spasm
125.738	Atherosclerosis of nonautologous biological coronary artery bypass graft(s) with other forms of angina pectoris
125.739	Atherosclerosis of nonautologous biological coronary artery bypass graft(s) with unspecified angina pectoris
125.750	Atherosclerosis of native coronary artery of transplanted heart with unstable angina
125.751	Atherosclerosis of native coronary artery of transplanted heart with angina pectoris with documented spasm
125.758	Atherosclerosis of native coronary artery of transplanted heart with other forms of angina pectoris
125.759	Atherosclerosis of native coronary artery of transplanted heart with unspecified angina pectoris
125.760	Atherosclerosis of bypass graft of coronary artery of transplanted heart with unstable angina
125.761	Atherosclerosis of bypass graft of coronary artery of transplanted heart with angina pectoris with documented spasm
125.768	Atherosclerosis of bypass graft of coronary artery of transplanted heart with other forms of angina pectoris
125.769	Atherosclerosis of bypass graft of coronary artery of transplanted heart with unspecified angina pectoris
125.790	Atherosclerosis of other coronary artery bypass graft(s) with unstable angina pectoris
125.791	Atherosclerosis of other coronary artery bypass graft(s) with angina pectoris with documented spasm
125.798	Atherosclerosis of other coronary artery bypass graft(s) with other forms of angina pectoris
125.799	Atherosclerosis of other coronary artery bypass graft(s) with unspecified angina pectoris
125.810	Atherosclerosis of coronary artery bypass graft(s) without angina pectoris
125.811	Atherosclerosis of native coronary artery of transplanted heart without angina pectoris

125.812	Atherosclerosis of bypass graft of coronary artery of transplanted heart without angina pectoris
125.89	Other forms of chronic ischemic heart disease
125.9	Chronic ischemic heart disease, unspecified
127.0	Primary pulmonary hypertension
131.0	Chronic adhesive pericarditis
131.1	Chronic constrictive pericarditis
131.2	Hemopericardium, not elsewhere classified
131.3	Pericardial effusion (noninflammatory)
131.4	Cardiac tamponade
131.8	Other specified diseases of pericardium
131.9	Disease of pericardium, unspecified
134.0	Nonrheumatic mitral (valve) insufficiency
134.1	Nonrheumatic mitral (valve) prolapse
134.2	Nonrheumatic mitral (valve) stenosis
134.8	Other nonrheumatic mitral valve disorders
134.9	Nonrheumatic mitral valve disorder, unspecified
135.0	Nonrheumatic aortic (valve) stenosis
135.1	Nonrheumatic aortic (valve) insufficiency
135.2	Nonrheumatic aortic (valve) stenosis with insufficiency
135.8	Other nonrheumatic aortic valve disorders
135.9	Nonrheumatic aortic valve disorder, unspecified
142.0	Dilated cardiomyopathy
142.5	Other restrictive cardiomyopathy
142.8	Other cardiomyopathies
142.9	Cardiomyopathy, unspecified
148.0	Paroxysmal atrial fibrillation
148.1	Persistent atrial fibrillation
148.2	Chronic atrial fibrillation
148.3	Typical atrial flutter
148.4	Atypical atrial flutter
148.91	Unspecified atrial fibrillation
148.92	Unspecified atrial flutter
149.01	Ventricular fibrillation
149.02	Ventricular flutter
150.20	Unspecified systolic (congestive) heart failure
150.21	Acute systolic (congestive) heart failure
150.22	Chronic systolic (congestive) heart failure

150.23	Acute on chronic systolic (congestive) heart failure
150.30	Unspecified diastolic (congestive) heart failure
150.31	Acute diastolic (congestive) heart failure
150.32	Chronic diastolic (congestive) heart failure
150.33	Acute on chronic diastolic (congestive) heart failure
150.33	Unspecified combined systolic (congestive) and diastolic (congestive) heart failure
150.40	
	Acute combined systolic (congestive) and diastolic (congestive) heart failure
150.42	Chronic combined systolic (congestive) and diastolic (congestive) heart failure
150.43	Acute on chronic combined systolic (congestive) and diastolic (congestive) heart failure
150.9	Heart failure, unspecified
171.01	Dissection of thoracic aorta
171.1 	Thoracic aortic aneurysm, ruptured
171.2 ———	Thoracic aortic aneurysm, without rupture
Q20.1	Double outlet right ventricle
Q20.2	Double outlet left ventricle
Q20.3	Discordant ventriculoarterial connection
Q20.4	Double inlet ventricle
Q20.5	Discordant atrioventricular connection
Q20.6	Isomerism of atrial appendages
Q20.8	Other congenital malformations of cardiac chambers and connections
Q20.9	Congenital malformation of cardiac chambers and connections, unspecified
Q21.0	Ventricular septal defect
Q21.1	Atrial septal defect
Q21.2	Atrioventricular septal defect
Q21.3	Tetralogy of Fallot
Q21.4	Aortopulmonary septal defect
Q21.8	Other congenital malformations of cardiac septa
Q21.9	Congenital malformation of cardiac septum, unspecified
Q22.0	Pulmonary valve atresia
Q22.1	Congenital pulmonary valve stenosis
Q22.2	Congenital pulmonary valve insufficiency
Q22.3	Other congenital malformations of pulmonary valve
Q22.4	Congenital tricuspid stenosis
Q22.5	Ebstein's anomaly
Q22.6	Hypoplastic right heart syndrome
Q22.8	Other congenital malformations of tricuspid valve
Q22.9	Congenital malformation of tricuspid valve, unspecified

Q23.0	Congenital stenosis of aortic valve
Q23.1	Congenital insufficiency of aortic valve
Q23.2	Congenital mitral stenosis
Q23.3	Congenital mitral insufficiency
Q23.4	Hypoplastic left heart syndrome
Q23.8	Other congenital malformations of aortic and mitral valves
Q23.9	Congenital malformation of aortic and mitral valves, unspecified
Q24.0	Dextrocardia
Q24.1	Levocardia
Q24.2	Cor triatriatum
Q24.3	Pulmonary infundibular stenosis
Q24.4	Congenital subaortic stenosis
Q24.5	Malformation of coronary vessels
Q24.8	Other specified congenital malformations of heart
Q24.9	Congenital malformation of heart, unspecified
Q25.0	Patent ductus arteriosus
Q25.1	Coarctation of aorta
Q25.2	Atresia of aorta
Q25.3	Supravalvular aortic stenosis
Q25.4	Other congenital malformations of aorta
Q25.5	Atresia of pulmonary artery
Q25.6	Stenosis of pulmonary artery
Q25.71	Coarctation of pulmonary artery
Q25.72	Congenital pulmonary arteriovenous malformation
Q25.79	Other congenital malformations of pulmonary artery
Q25.8	Other congenital malformations of other great arteries
Q25.9	Congenital malformation of great arteries, unspecified
Q26.0	Congenital stenosis of vena cava
Q26.1	Persistent left superior vena cava
Q26.2	Total anomalous pulmonary venous connection
Q26.3	Partial anomalous pulmonary venous connection
Q26.4	Anomalous pulmonary venous connection, unspecified
Q26.8	Other congenital malformations of great veins
Q26.9	Congenital malformation of great vein, unspecified
R06.02	Shortness of breath
R07.2	Precordial pain
R07.82	Intercostal pain

R07.89	Other chest pain
R07.9	Chest pain, unspecified
R94.30	Abnormal result of cardiovascular function study, unspecified
R94.39	Abnormal result of other cardiovascular function study