



Driscoll Health Plan

News and Updates



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Attention: Authorization Requirement Updates

Effective 11/01/2025, DHP **will not** require prior authorization for the following procedure codes:

Pharmacy Service- Joint Injections and Trigger Point Injections of the Knee

- J3470- Hyaluronidase, breaks down hyaluronic acid; used to increase the absorption of drugs into tissue and to reduce tissue damage.
- J3471- Hyaluronidase, ovine, to enhance the absorption and dispersion of other injected drugs.
- J3473- Hyaluronidase, recombinant, to increase the absorption and dispersion of other injected drugs.

Radiology Service- Under Magnetic Resonance Safety Implant/Foreign Body Procedures

- 76014- The initial 15 minutes of an MR safety implant and/or foreign body assessment performed by trained clinical staff.
- 76015- Add-on code for MR safety implant and/or foreign body assessment by trained clinical staff, used to report each additional 30 minutes required after the initial 15 minutes covered by CPT code 76014.
- 76016- Reports a determination by a qualified healthcare professional, involving a risk-benefit analysis for patients with implants/ foreign bodies that could compromise an MR exam.
- 76017- Describes the magnetic resonance safety medical physics examination customization, planning, and performance monitoring by a MR safety expert, with review and analysis by a physician or qualified healthcare professional.
- 76018- Preparing the electronics of an implanted device for the magnetic resonance exam by changing its settings to a safe mode, often requiring physician supervision or the presence of specialists.
- 76019- MR Safety Implant Positioning and/or Immobilization; used to report the work of physically positioning or restraining an implant during a magnetic resonance examination to prevent forces or burns from the MR environment.

Durable Medical Equipment

- C1606- Adapter, single-use (i.e. disposable), for attaching ultrasound system to upper gastrointestinal endoscope.
- S1040, cranial remolding orthosis (CRO), for members 3 months to 18 months of age with a diagnosis of craniosynostosis, diagnosis code: Q75.0, Q75.00, Q75.058, Q75.009, Q75.01, Q75.02, Q75.03, Q75.04, Q75.001, Q75.002, Q75.021, Q75.022, Q75.029, Q75.041, Q75.042, Q75.049, Q75.05, Q75.08

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