

Prior Authorization Codes Radiology

 Code Description 70336 MRI, temporomandibular joint(s) 70450 CT, head or brain; without contrast material 70460 CT, head or brain; with contrast material(s) 70470 CT, head or brain; without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further sections 70480 CT, orbit, sella, or posterior fossa or outer, middle, or inner ear; without contrast material
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70481 CT, orbit, sella, or posterior fossa or outer, middle, or inner ear; with contrast material(s)
70482 CT, orbit, sella, or posterior fossa or outer, middle, or inner ear; without contrast materia
followed by contrast material(s) and further sections
70486 CT, maxillofacial area; without contrast material
70487 CT, maxillofacial area; with contrast material(s)
70488 CT, maxillofacial area; without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and fur
sections
70490 CT, soft tissue neck; without contrast material
70491 CT, soft tissue neck; with contrast material(s)
70492 CT, soft tissue neck; without contrast material followed by contrast material(s) and further
sections
70496 CT angiography, head, with contrast material(s), including noncontrast images, if
performed, and image postprocessing
70498 CT angiography, neck, with contrast material(s), including noncontrast images, if
performed, and image postprocessing
70540 MRI, orbit, face, and/or neck; without contrast material(s)
70542 MRI, orbit, face, and/or neck; with contrast material(s)
70543 MRI, orbit, face, and/or neck; without contrast material(s), followed by contrast material(s)
and further sequences
70544 MRA, head; without contrast material(s)
70545 MRA, head; with contrast material(s)
70546 MRA, head; without contrast material(s), followed by contrast material(s) and further
sequences
70547 MRA, neck; without contrast material(s)
70548 MRA, neck; with contrast material(s)
70549 MRA, neck; without contrast material(s), followed by contrast material(s) and further
sequences
70551 MRI, brain (including brain stem); without contrast material
70552 MRI, brain (including brain stem); with contrast material(s)
70553 MRI, brain (including brain stem); without contrast material, followed by contrast materia
and further sequences
71250 CT, thorax, diagnostic; without contrast material
71260 CT, thorax, diagnostic; with contrast material(s)
71270 CT, thorax, diagnostic; without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and
further sections
71271 Low dose CT scan of chest for lung cancer screening
71275 CTA, chest (noncoronary), with contrast material(s), including noncontrast images, if
performed, and image postprocessing

Code	Description
71550	MRI, chest (eg, for evaluation of hilar and mediastinal lymphadenopathy); without contrast
	material(s)
71551	MRI, chest (eg, for evaluation of hilar and mediastinal lymphadenopathy); with contrast
	material(s)
71552	MRI, chest (eg, for evaluation of hilar and mediastinal lymphadenopathy); without contrast
	material(s), followed by contrast material(s) and further sequences
72125	CT, cervical spine; without contrast material
72126	CT, cervical spine; with contrast material
72127	CT, cervical spine; without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further
	sections
72128	CT, thoracic spine; without contrast material
72129	CT, thoracic spine; with contrast material
72130	CT, thoracic spine; without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further
	sections
72131	CT, lumbar spine; without contrast material
72132	CT, lumbar spine; with contrast material
72133	CT, lumbar spine; without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further
	sections
72141	MRI, spinal canal and contents, cervical; without contrast material
72142	MRI, spinal canal and contents, cervical; with contrast material(s)
72146	MRI, spinal canal and contents, thoracic; without contrast material
72147	MRI, spinal canal and contents, thoracic; with contrast material(s)
72148	MRI, spinal canal and contents, lumbar; without contrast material
72149	MRI, spinal canal and contents, lumbar; with contrast material(s)
72156	MRI spinal canal and contents, without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s)
70457	and further sequences; cervical
72157	MRI, spinal canal and contents, without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s)
70450	and further sequences; thoracic
72158	MRI, spinal canal and contents, without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further sequences; lumbar
72191	CTA, pelvis, with contrast material(s), including noncontrast images, if performed,
12131	and image postprocessing
72192	CT, pelvis; without contrast material
72193	CT, pelvis; with contrast material(s)
72194	CT, pelvis; without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further sections
72195	MRI, pelvis; without contrast material(s)
72196	MRI, pelvis; with contrast material(s)
72197	MRI, pelvis; without contrast material(s), followed by contrast material(s) and further
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73200	CT, upper extremity; without contrast material
73201	CT, upper extremity; with contrast material(s)
73202	CT, upper extremity; without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further
	sections
73206	CTA, upper extremity, with contrast material(s), including noncontrast images, if performed,
	and image postprocessing
73218	MRI, upper extremity, other than joint; without contrast material(s)
73219	MRI, upper extremity, other than joint; with contrast material(s)
73220	MRI, upper extremity, other than joint; without contrast material(s), followed by contrast
	material(s) and further sequences
73221	MRI, any joint of upper extremity; without contrast material(s)
73222	MRI, any joint of upper extremity; with contrast material(s)

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73223	MRI, any joint of upper extremity; without contrast material(s), followed
	by contrast material(s) and further sequences
73700	CT, lower extremity; without contrast material
73701	CT, lower extremity; with contrast material(s)
73702	CT, lower extremity; without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further
	sections
73706	CTA, lower extremity, with contrast material(s), including noncontrast images, if performed,
	and image postprocessing
73718	MRI, lower extremity other than joint; without contrast material(s)
73719	MRI, lower extremity other than joint; with contrast material(s)
73720	MRI, lower extremity other than joint; without contrast material(s), followed by contrast
	material(s) and further sequences
73721	MRI, any joint of lower extremity; without contrast material
73722	MRI, any joint of lower extremity; with contrast material(s)
73723	MRI, any joint of lower extremity; without contrast material(s), followed
	by contrast material(s) and further sequences
73725	MRA, lower extremity, with or without contrast material(s)
74150	CT, abdomen; without contrast material
74160	CT, abdomen; with contrast material(s)
74170	CT, abdomen; without contrast material, followed by contrast material(s) and further
	sections
74174	CTA, abdomen and pelvis, with contrast material(s), including noncontrast images, if
74475	performed, and image postprocessing
74175	CTA, abdomen, with contrast material(s), including noncontrast images, if performed, and
74176	image postprocessing
74176	CT, abdomen and polyic; with contrast material
74177	CT, abdomen and pelvis; with contrast material(s) CT, abdomen and pelvis; without contrast material in one or both body regions, followed by
74170	contrast material(s) and further sections in one or both body regions
74181	MRI, abdomen; without contrast material(s)
74182	MRI, abdomen; with contrast material(s)
74183	MRI, abdomen; without contrast material(s), followed by with contrast material(s) and
14100	further sequences
75557	Cardiac MRI for morphology and function without contrast material
75559	Cardiac MRI for morphology and function without contrast material; with stress imaging
75561	Cardiac MRI for morphology and function without contrast material(s), followed
	by contrast material(s) and further sequences
75563	Cardiac MRI for morphology and function without contrast material(s), followed
	by contrast material(s) and further sequences; with stress imaging
75565	Cardiac MRI for velocity flow mapping
75572	CT, heart, with contrast material, for evaluation of cardiac structure and morphology
75573	CT, heart, with contrast material, for evaluation of cardiac structure and morphology in the
	setting of congenital heart disease
75574	CTA, heart, coronary arteries and bypass grafts (when present), with contrast material,
	including 3D image postprocessing
75635	CTA, abdominal aorta and bilateral iliofemoral lower extremity runoff, with contrast
	material(s), including noncontrast images, if performed, and image postprocessing
76380	CT, limited or localized follow-up study
76497	Unlisted CT procedure (eg, diagnostic, interventional)
76498	Unlisted magnetic resonance procedure (eg, diagnostic, interventional)
77046	MRI, breast, without contrast material; unilateral
77047	MRI, breast, without contrast material; bilateral

Code	Description
77048	MRI, breast, without and with contrast material(s), unilateral
77049	MRI, breast, without and with contrast material(s), bilateral
78429	Single nuclear medicine study of heart muscle with metabolic evaluation and concurrently acquired CT transmission scan
78430	Single nuclear medicine study of blood flow in heart muscle with concurrently acquired CT transmission scan
78431	Multiple nuclear medicine studies of blood flow in heart muscle at rest and with stress, with concurrently acquired CT transmission scan
78432	Combined nuclear medicine study of blood flow in heart muscle with metabolic evaluation
78433	Combined nuclear medicine study of blood flow in heart muscle with metabolic evaluation and concurrently acquired CT transmission scan
78459	Myocardial imaging, PET, metabolic evaluation study (including ventricular wall motion[s] and/or ejection fraction[s], when performed), single study
78491	Myocardial imaging, PET, perfusion study (including ventricular wall motion[s] and/or ejection fraction[s], when performed); single study, at rest or stress (exercise or pharmacologic)
78492	Myocardial imaging, PET, perfusion study (including ventricular wall motion[s] and/or ejection fraction[s], when performed); multiple studies at rest and stress (exercise or pharmacologic)
78608	Brain imaging, PET; metabolic evaluation
78609	Brain imaging, PET; perfusion evaluation
78811	PET imaging; limited area (eg, chest, head/neck)
78812	PET imaging; skull base to mid-thigh
78813	PET imaging; whole body
78814	PET with concurrently acquired CT for attenuation correction and anatomical localization imaging; limited area (eg, chest, head/neck)
78815	PET with concurrently acquired CT for attenuation correction and anatomical localization imaging; skull base to mid-thigh
78816	PET with concurrently acquired CT for attenuation correction and anatomical localization imaging; whole body
78830	SPECT nuclear medicine localization of tumor or inflammation or study of distribution of radioactive tracer in single area, with concurrently acquired CT transmission scan, single day of imaging
78831	SPECT nuclear medicine localization of tumor or inflammation or study of distribution of radioactive tracer in multiple areas, or in single area with imaging over multiple days
78832	SPECT nuclear medicine localization of tumor or inflammation or study of distribution of radioactive tracer in multiple areas, or in single area with imaging over multiple days with concurrently acquired CT transmission scan
78835	Quantification of radioactive tracer