

Ohio Medicaid, Marketplace and Medicare

Policy Updates January 2020

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We have worked to create a predictable cycle for releasing administrative, medical and reimbursement policies, so you know what to expect.

Check back each month for a consolidated network notification of policy updates from CareSource.

HOW TO USE THIS NETWORK NOTIFICATION

- Reference the list of policy updates.
- Note the effective date and impacted plans for each policy.
- Click the hyperlinked policy title to open the webpage with the full policy.

FIND OUR POLICIES ONLINE

To access all CareSource policies, visit [CareSource.com](https://www.caresource.com) > Providers > Tools & Resources > [Provider Policies](#). Select your plan and state, then the type of policy. Each policy page has an archive where you can find previous versions of policies.

POLICY UPDATES

POLICY NAME & NUMBER	POLICY TYPE	EFFECTIVE DATE	PLAN	PRIOR AUTHORIZATION IMPACT?
Molecular Diagnostic Testing for Hepatitis B and C PY-0447	REIMBURSEMENT	DECEMBER 1, 2020	MEDICAID	NEW POLICY
Molecular Diagnostic Testing for Hepatitis B and C PY-0878	REIMBURSEMENT	DECEMBER 1, 2020	MARKETPLACE	NEW POLICY
Molecular Diagnostic Testing for Hepatitis B and C PY-0874	REIMBURSEMENT	DECEMBER 1, 2020	MEDICARE	NEW POLICY
Drug Testing MM-0066	MEDICAL	JANUARY 1, 2020	MARKETPLACE	LIMITS WERE REMOVED TO ALIGN WITH 2020 PA LIST AND PLEASE MAKE SURE THAT EFFECTIVE DATE REFLECTS 1/1/2020
Drug Testing PY-0089	REIMBURSEMENT	JANUARY 1, 2020	MARKETPLACE	LIMITS WERE REMOVED TO ALIGN WITH 2020 PA LIST AND PLEASE MAKE SURE THAT EFFECTIVE DATE REFLECTS 1/1/2020

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Obstetrical Care - Hospital Inpatient Admissions PY-0897	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICAID	NEW POLICY
Medical Necessity Determinations AD-0005	ADMINISTRATIVE	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICAID	NEW POLICY
Positive Airway Pressure Devices for Pulmonary Disorders PY-0313	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICAID	NEW POLICY
Epidural Steroid Injections PY-1055	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICAID	NEW POLICY
Facet Medial Branch Nerve Blocks PY-1063	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICAID	NEW POLICY
Implantable Pain Pump PY-0170	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICAID	NEW POLICY

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Implantable Spinal Cord Stimulator PY-1076	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICAID	NEW POLICY
Radiofrequency Facet Ablation PY-1083	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICAID	NEW POLICY
Sacroiliac Joint Procedures PY-1092	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICAID	NEW POLICY
Obstetrical Care - Hospital Inpatient Admissions PY-0897	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICAID	NEW POLICY
Medical Necessity Determinations AD-0005	ADMINISTRATIVE	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICAID	NEW POLICY
Medical Necessity Determinations AD-0009	ADMINISTRATIVE	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICARE	NEW POLICY
Positive Airway Pressure Devices for Pulmonary Disorders PY-0850	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICARE	NEW POLICY

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Sacroiliac Joint Procedures PY-1084	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICARE	NEW POLICY
Trigger Point Injections PY-1093	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICARE	NEW POLICY
Medical Necessity Determinations AD-0047	ADMINISTRATIVE	APRIL 1, 2020	MARKETPLACE	NEW POLICY
Positive Airway Pressure Devices for Pulmonary Disorders PY-0430	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MARKETPLACE	NEW POLICY
Epidural Steroid Injections PY-1053	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MARKETPLACE	NEW POLICY

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Facet Medial Branch Nerve Blocks PY-1058	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MARKETPLACE	NEW POLICY
Implantable Spinal Cord Stimulator PY-1073	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MARKETPLACE	NEW POLICY
Sacroiliac Joint Procedures PY-1086	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MARKETPLACE	NEW POLICY
Trigger Point Injections PY-1095	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MARKETPLACE	NEW POLICY
Radiofrequency Facet Ablation PY-1078	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MARKETPLACE	NEW POLICY
Medical Necessity Determinations AD-0751	ADMINISTRATIVE	APRIL 1, 2020	MYCARE	NEW POLICY