

Ohio Medicaid, Marketplace, Medicare and MyCare

# *Policy Updates* January 2020

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## AT CARESOURCE, WE LISTEN TO OUR PROVIDERS, AND WE STREAMLINE OUR BUSINESS PRACTICES TO MAKE IT EASIER FOR YOU TO WORK WITH US.

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?
<a href="#">Molecular Diagnostic Testing for Hepatitis B and C - PY-0447</a>	REIMBURSEMENT	DECEMBER 1, 2018	MEDICAID	REVISION TO ADD ADDITIONAL ALLOWABLE DIAGNOSIS CODE
<a href="#">Molecular Diagnostic Testing for Hepatitis B and C - PY-0878</a>	REIMBURSEMENT	DECEMBER 1, 2019	MARKETPLACE	REVISION TO ADD ADDITIONAL ALLOWABLE DIAGNOSIS CODE
<a href="#">Molecular Diagnostic Testing for Hepatitis B and C PY-0874</a>	REIMBURSEMENT	DECEMBER 1, 2019	MEDICARE	REVISION TO ADD ADDITIONAL ALLOWABLE DIAGNOSIS CODE
<a href="#">Drug Testing - MM-0066</a>	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

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<a href="#">Drug Testing - PY-0089</a>	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
<a href="#">Obstetrical Care - Hospital Inpatient Admissions - MM-0897</a>	MEDICAL	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICAID	NEW POLICY
<a href="#">Medical Necessity Determinations - AD-0005</a>	ADMINISTRATIVE	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICAID	NEW POLICY
<a href="#">Positive Airway Pressure Devices for Pulmonary Disorders PY-0313</a>	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICAID	NEW POLICY
<a href="#">Epidural Steroid Injections PY-1055</a>	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICAID	NEW POLICY
<a href="#">Facet Medial Branch Nerve Blocks PY-1063</a>	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICAID	NEW POLICY

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<a href="#">Implantable Pain Pump PY-0170</a>	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICAID	NEW POLICY
<a href="#">Implantable Spinal Cord Stimulator PY-1076</a>	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICAID	NEW POLICY
<a href="#">Radiofrequency Facet Ablation PY-1083</a>	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICAID	NEW POLICY
<a href="#">Sacroiliac Joint Procedures PY-1092</a>	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICAID	NEW POLICY
<a href="#">Medical Necessity Determinations AD-0009</a>	ADMINISTRATIVE	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICARE	NEW POLICY

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<a href="#">Positive Airway Pressure Devices for Pulmonary Disorders PY-0850</a>	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICARE	NEW POLICY
<a href="#">Sacroiliac Joint Procedures PY-1084</a>	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICARE	NEW POLICY
<a href="#">Trigger Point Injections PY-1093</a>	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MEDICARE	NEW POLICY
<a href="#">Medical Necessity Determinations AD-0047</a>	ADMINISTRATIVE	APRIL 1, 2020	MARKETPLACE	NEW POLICY
<a href="#">Positive Airway Pressure Devices for Pulmonary Disorders PY-0430</a>	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MARKETPLACE	NEW POLICY

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<a href="#">Epidural Steroid Injections PY-1053</a>	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MARKETPLACE	NEW POLICY
<a href="#">Facet Medial Branch Nerve Blocks PY-1058</a>	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MARKETPLACE	NEW POLICY
<a href="#">Implantable Spinal Cord Stimulator PY-1073</a>	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MARKETPLACE	NEW POLICY
<a href="#">Sacroiliac Joint Procedures PY-1086</a>	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MARKETPLACE	NEW POLICY
<a href="#">Trigger Point Injections PY-1095</a>	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MARKETPLACE	NEW POLICY
<a href="#">Radiofrequency Facet Ablation PY-1078</a>	REIMBURSEMENT	APRIL 1, 2020	MARKETPLACE	NEW POLICY
<a href="#">Medical Necessity Determinations AD-0751</a>	ADMINISTRATIVE	APRIL 1, 2020	MYCARE	NEW POLICY