

To: AmeriHealth Caritas DC Providers

Date: TBD

Subject: PARC Monthly Meeting Decision Notice

Dear Provider:

The Prior Authorization Review Committee (PARC) decisions and implementation activities include the approval of prior authorization rule changes and newly established rules.

New rules and any adjustments to existing rules approved at the monthly PARC meeting are outlined in the table below.

Title	Code(s)	Approved Change	Affected LOBs
Breast Pumps	E0603	Remove authorization.	All Except BCCM and
			ACFL
Prenatal Risk	H1000	Remove authorization.	All
Assessment			
93740 thermography	93740	Require authorization.	All
Temp Gradient Studies			
S8080	S8080	Require authorization.	All
Scintimammography			
TAG memo 006 - 81425-		Require authorization.	All
81427, 81546 Genome	81425, 81426, 81526		
Sequencing			
penile torsion repair	54360, 54380, 54385,	Remove authorization.	Remove auth all plans
	54390		
pediatric chordae repair	54300, 54304	Remove authorization.	Remove auth for
			Exchange, DSNPs and
			BCC MI
Liver and Renal Biopsy	47000, 47001, 50200,	Remove authorization.	Remove auth for
	50205		Exchange plans and all
			plans for 55867
Tympanoplasty	69631-69646	Remove authorization.	Remove auth for
			Exchange plans, KF
wart removal	17110, 17111 (dx B07)	Remove authorization.	Remove auth - all plans
CT or MRI guidance	77012	Remove authorization.	Remove auth - all plans
digital blocks	64455	Remove authorization.	Remove auth - all plans

These adjustments to prior authorization rules will appear in the various ACFC systems (Appian, Lookup Tool, Facets) on or within 6 weeks of the effective date.

Any questions can be directed to the Prior Authorization Team at

DLACFCPriorAuthGovernance@amerihealthcaritas.com. We appreciate your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

AmeriHealth Caritas DC