

# PROVIDERALERT



**To:** AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana Providers

**Date:** March 17, 2022

**Subject:** Updated Clinical Guidelines

**Summary:** Updated Clinical Guidelines for Magellan/National Imaging Associates.

## Content

AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana would like to make you aware of the updated Magellan/National Imaging Associates clinical guidelines that have been approved by the Louisiana Department of Health in accordance with La. R.S. 46:460.54 and will become effective **April 18, 2022**.

The new guidelines can be found at the following link: <https://www1.radmd.com/all-health-plans/amerihealth-caritas-louisiana.aspx>

The new policies are:

Policy Name	Guideline Number
Unlisted Studies	NIA CG 063
Abdomen MRI, MRCP	NIA CG 031
Brain (Head) MRI with IAC	NIA CG 001
Cervical Spine	NIA CG 040
Chest (Thorax) MRI	NIA CG 021
Sinus Face Orbit MRI	NIA CG 037
Thoracic Spine MRI	NIA CG 042
Breast MRI	NIA CG 023
Upper Extremity MRI	NIA CG 057-3
Heart MRI	NIA CG 028
Lower Extremity MRI	NIA CG 057-4
Lumbar Spine MRI	NIA CG 044
Pelvis MRI	NIA CG 037

**Questions:** Thank you for your continued support and commitment to the care of our members. If you have questions about this communication, please contact AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana Provider Services at 1-888-922-0007 or your [Provider Network Management Account Executive](#).

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AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana has updated its website to streamline communications and important notifications about COVID-19. Please visit <http://amerihealthcaritasla.com/covid-19> for up-to-date information for both providers and members, including frequently asked questions, and important provider alerts from AmeriHealth Caritas Louisiana and the Louisiana Department of Health.