



Louisiana Healthcare Connections Utilization Review Matrix 2024 Outpatient Interventional Pain Management (IPM)

The matrix below contains all of the CPT 4 codes for which Evolent (formerly National Imaging Associates, Inc.) authorizes on behalf of Louisiana Healthcare Connections.

Evolent issues authorizations based on the primary CPT code and its allowable billed groupings. A procedure can be billed under any **one** of the given CPT codes for that allowable billed grouping as long as a valid authorization number has been issued within the validity period.

*Please note: IPM services rendered in an Emergency Room, Observation Room, Intraoperatively, or as a Hospital Inpatient are not managed by Evolent.

IPM PROCEDURES					
Procedure Name	Primary CPT Code	Allowable Billed Groupings	Ancillary Procedures/Codes		
Authorization is provided at a multiple CPT codes that can These are assumed to be pacompleted in combination, dauthorization.	These codes do not require prior authorization. If the main procedure is approved, these codes are understood to be included and do not require precertification from the health plan. *Please note: This is not an all-inclusive list of every possible ancillary code				
Cervical/Thoracic Interlaminar Epidural	62321	62320, 62321			
Cervical/Thoracic Transforaminal Epidural	64479	64479, +64480			
Lumbar/Sacral Interlaminar Epidural	62323	62322, 62323			
Lumbar/Sacral Transforaminal Epidural	64483	64483, +64484			
Cervical/Thoracic Facet Joint Block	64490	64490, + 64491, +64492, 0213T, +0214T, +0215T			
Lumbar/Sacral Facet Joint Block	64493	64493, +64494, +64495, 0216T, +0217T, +0218T			
Cervical/Thoracic Facet Joint Radiofrequency Neurolysis	64633	64633, +64634			

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Lumbar/Sacral Facet Joint Radiofrequency Neurolysis	64635	64635, +64636	
Sacroiliac Joint Injection	27096	27096, G0260	
Procedure Name	Primary CPT Code	Allowable Billed Groupings	Ancillary Procedures/Codes
Spinal Cord Stimulator Trial	63650	63650, 63655	L8680, L8681, 95970, 95971, 95972, 77002
Spinal Cord Stimulator Insertion, Revision, or Removal	63655	63662, 63663, 63664, 63685, 63688	L8679, L8680, L8682, L8683, L8684, L8685, L8686, L8687, L8688, L8689, L8695, C1767, C1816, C1820, C1822, C1823, 95970, 95971 95972, 77002
Sympathetic Nerve Block	645111	64510, 64517, 64520, 64530	77003

- Add-on codes (+) do not require separate authorization and are to be used in conjunction with approved primary code for the service rendered.
- NOTE: due the repeat nature of IPM procedures, multiple authorizations may exist within the same validity period.

