

## Utilization Review Matrix 2025 Blue Shield CA

The matrix below contains the CPT-4 codes for which Evolent (formerly National Imaging Associates, Inc.) manages on behalf of Blue Shield of California. This matrix is designed to assist in the resolution of claims adjudication and claims questions related to those services authorized by Evolent. The "Allowable Billed Groupings" is meant to outline that if a given procedure is authorized, that any one of the listed procedure codes could be submitted on a claim representing that service. This assumes that the member is eligible at the time of the service, that appropriate re-bundling rules are applied, that the claim includes an appropriate diagnosis code for the CPT code and that the service is performed within the validity period.

If a family of CPT codes is not listed in this matrix, an exact match is required between the authorized CPT code and the billed CPT code. If the exact match does not occur, the charge should be adjudicated accordingly.

\*Please note: Services rendered in an Emergency Room, Observation, Surgery Center or Hospital Inpatient setting are not managed by Evolent.

Authorized	Description	Allowable Billed Groupings
CPT Code		
70336	MRI Temporomandibular Joint	70336
70450	CT Head/Brain	70450, 70460, 70470, +0722T
70486	CT Maxillofacial/Sinus	70486, 70487, 70488, 76380, +0722T
70490	CT Soft Tissue Neck	70490, 70491, 70492, +0722T
70496	CT Angiography, Head	70496
70498	CT Angiography, Neck	70498
70540	MRI Orbit, Face, Neck and/or Internal Auditory Canal	70540, 70542, 70543, +0698T
70544	MRA Head	70544, 70545, 70546
70547	MRA Neck	70547, 70548, 70549
70551	MRI Brain (with or without Internal Auditory Canal views)	70551, 70552, 70553, +0698T
70554	Functional MRI Brain	70554, 70555
71250	CT Chest	71250, 71260, 71270, 71271, +0722T
71275	CT Angiography, Chest (non-coronary)	71275
71550	MRI Chest	71550, 71551, 71552, +0698T
71555	MRA Chest (excluding myocardium)	71555
72125	CT Cervical Spine	72125, 72126, 72127, +0722T
72128	CT Thoracic Spine	72128, 72129, 72130, +0722T
72131	CT Lumbar Spine	72131, 72132, 72133, +0722T
72141	MRI Cervical Spine	72141, 72142, 72156, +0698T

CPT Code         72146         MRI Thoracic Spine         72146, 72147, 72157, +0698T           72148         MRI Lumbar Spine         72148, 72149, 72158, +0698T           72159         MRA Spinal Canal         72159           72191         CT Anglography, Pelvis         72191           72192         CT Polvis         72192, 72193, 72194, +0722T           72198         MRP Pelvis         72198           73206         CT Anglography, Upper Extremity         73206           73221         MRI Upper Extremity Joint         73226, 73222, 73222, 73223, +0698T           73722         MRA Upper Extremity         7376, 73719, 73720, 73721, 73720, 73721, 73722, 73723, +0698T           73720         MRI Lower Extremity         73718, 73719, 73720, 73721, 73723, +0698T           73721         MRI Hip         72195, 72196, 72197, 73721, 73721, 73723, 40698T           73725         MRA Lower Extremity         73726           74150         CT Abdomen         74150, 74160, 74170, +0722T           74174         CT Anglography, Abdomen and Pelvis         74175           74175         CT Anglography, Abdomen         74175, 74177, 74178, +0722T           74181         MRI Abdomen         74185, 74262, +0722T           74261         Diagnostic CT Colonoscopy (Virtual Colonoscopy, CT Colonography, Del	Authorized	Description	Allowable Billed Groupings
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MR   Upper Extremity   Joint   73221, 73222, 73223, +0698T   73225   MRA Upper Extremity   73205   MRA Upper Extremity   73706   CT Angiography, Lower Extremity   73718, 73719, 73720, 73721   MRI Lower Extremity   73718, 73719, 73720, 73721, 73722, 73723, +0698T   73721   73725   MRA Lower Extremity   73722, 73723, +0698T   73722, 73723, +0698T   73725   MRA Lower Extremity   73725   73723, +0698T   73725   74150   CT Abdomen   74150, 74160, 74170, +0722T   74174   CT Angiography, Abdomen   74175   74174   74			
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73721   MRI Hip   72195, 72196, 72197, 73721, 73725   MRA Lower Extremity   73725, 73723, +0698T   73725, 73723, +0698T   73725   73725, 73723, +0698T   73725   73725, 73723, +0698T   73725   74150   CT Addomen   74150, 74160, 74170, +0722T   74174   CT Angiography, Abdomen and Pelvis   74174   74175   CT Angiography, Abdomen   74175   74176   CT Abdomen and Pelvis Combination   74176, 74177, 74178, +0722T   74181   MRI Abdomen   74181, 74182, 74183, S8037, +0698T, +0724T   74185   MRA Abdomen   74185   74185   74261   Diagnostic CT Colonoscopy (Virtual Colonoscopy, CT Colonography)   74261, 74262, +0722T   CT Colonography   74263   Screening CT Colonoscopy (Virtual Colonoscopy, CT Colonography)   74263, +0722T   CT Heart, Electron Beam CT   75571   Coronary Artery Ca Score, Heart Scan, Ultrafast   75571, S8092, +0722T   CT Heart, Electron Beam CT   75574   CTA coronary arteries (CCTA)   75574   CTA coronary arteries (CCTA)   75574   75635   CT Angiography, Abdominal Aorta with Lower   Extremity Runoff   76498   Unlisted Magnetic Resonance Procedure   76498, +0698T   78459, 78491, 78492, +78434, 78429   Heart PET Scan with CT for Attenuation   78459, 78491, 78492, +78434, 78459   78451   Myocardial Perfusion Imaging – Nuclear   78459, 78491, 78492, +78434, 78459   78491, 78492, +78434   78459, 78491, 78492, +78434   78459   PET Scan with concurrently acquired CT for   78815, 78816, 78491, 78492, +78434   78813   78491, 78492, +78434   78816   1.2			
73725   MRA Lower Extremity   73725   MRA Lower Extremity   73725   T4150   CT Abdomen   74150, 74160, 74170, +0722T   74174   CT Angiography, Abdomen and Pelvis   74174   CT Angiography, Abdomen   74175   CT Angiography, Abdomen   74175   CT Angiography, Abdomen   74175   T4176, 74177, 74178, +0722T   74181   MRI Abdomen   74181, 74182, 74183, S8037, +0698T, +0724T   74185   MRA Abdomen   74185   T4185   T4185   T4261   Diagnostic CT Colonoscopy (Virtual Colonoscopy, CT Colonography)   T4261   Coronary Artery Ca Score, Heart Scan, Ultrafast   CT Heart, Electron Beam CT   CT Heart, Electron Beam CT   CT Angiography, Abdominal Aorta with Lower   Extremity Runoff   CT Angiography, Abdominal Aorta with Lower   Extremity Runoff   R498   Unlisted Magnetic Resonance Procedure   76498, +0698T   76498   Unlisted Magnetic Resonance Procedure   76498, +0698T   78429   Heart PET Scan with CT for Attenuation   78459, 78491, 78492, +78434, 78429, 78430, 78431, 78432, 78433   78459   Heart PET Scan with CT for Attenuation   78459, 78491, 78492, +78434, 78459   R491   78492, +78434   78459, 78491, 78492, +78434   78459   PET Scan, Brain   78608, 78609, 78491, 78492, +78434   78459, 78491, 78492, +784		•	73722, 73723, +0698T
74150         CT Abdomen         74150, 74160, 74170, +0722T           74174         CT Angiography, Abdomen         74175           74175         CT Angiography, Abdomen         74175           74176         CT Abdomen and Pelvis Combination         74176, 74177, 74178, +0722T           74181         MRI Abdomen         74181, 74182, 74183, S8037, +06981, 185           74185         MRA Abdomen         74185           74261         Diagnostic CT Colonoscopy (Virtual Colonoscopy, CT Colonography)         74261, 74262, +0722T           74263         Screening CT Colonoscopy (Virtual Colonoscopy, CT Colonography)         74263, +0722T           75571         Coronary Artery Ca Score, Heart Scan, Ultrafast CT Heart, Electron Beam CT         75574, S8092, +0722T           75574         CTA coronary arteries (CCTA)         75574           75635         CT Angiography, Abdominal Aorta with Lower Extremity Runoff         75635           76390         MR Spectroscopy         76390, +0698T           76498         Unlisted Magnetic Resonance Procedure         76498, +0698T           78429         Heart PET Scan with CT for Attenuation         78459, 78491, 78492, +78434, 78432, 78433, 78434, 78433, 78439, 40742T           78459         Heart PET Scan         78459, 78491, 78492, +78434           78608         PET Scan, Brain	73721	MRI Hip	
74174         CT Angiography, Abdomen and Pelvis         74174           74175         CT Angiography, Abdomen         74175           74176         CT Abdomen and Pelvis Combination         74176, 74177, 74178, +0722T           74181         MRI Abdomen         74181, 74182, 74183, S8037, +0698T, +0724T           74185         MRA Abdomen         74185           74261         Diagnostic CT Colonoscopy (Virtual Colonoscopy, CT Colonography)         74261, 74262, +0722T           74263         Screening CT Colonoscopy (Virtual Colonoscopy, CT Colonography)         74263, +0722T           75571         Coronary Artery Ca Score, Heart Scan, Ultrafast CT Heart, Electron Beam CT         75574, S8092, +0722T           75574         CTA coronary arteries (CCTA)         75574           75635         CT Angiography, Abdominal Aorta with Lower Extremity Runoff         75635           76390         MR Spectroscopy         76390, +0698T           76498         Unlisted Magnetic Resonance Procedure         76498, +0698T           78429         Heart PET Scan with CT for Attenuation         78459, 78491, 78492, +78434, 78432, 78432, 78434, 78432, 78434, 78432, 78434, 78432, 78434           78459         Heart PET Scan         78459, 78491, 78492, +78434           78608         PET Scan, Brain         78608, 78609           78811, 78812, 78813, 78814, 7881	73725	MRA Lower Extremity	73725
74175         CT Angiography, Abdomen         74175           74176         CT Abdomen and Pelvis Combination         74176, 74177, 74178, +0722T           74181         MRI Abdomen         74181, 74182, 74183, S8037, +0724T           74185         MRA Abdomen         74185           74261         Diagnostic CT Colonoscopy (Virtual Colonoscopy, CT Colonography)         74261, 74262, +0722T           74263         Screening CT Colonoscopy (Virtual Colonoscopy, CT Colonography)         74263, +0722T           75571         Coronary Artery Ca Score, Heart Scan, Ultrafast CT Heart, Electron Beam CT         75574           75574         CTA coronary arteries (CCTA)         75574           75635         CT Angiography, Abdominal Aorta with Lower Extremity Runoff         76390           76390         MR Spectroscopy         76390, +0698T           76498         Unlisted Magnetic Resonance Procedure         76498, +0698T           78429         Heart PET Scan with CT for Attenuation         78459, 78491, 78492, +78434, 78429, 78430, 78431, 78432, 78433, 78434, 78452, 78453, 78454, 78459           78451         Myocardial Perfusion Imaging – Nuclear         78451, 78452, 78453, 78454, 78466, 78468, 78469, 78481, 78499, +0742T           78608         PET Scan         78608, 78609           78813         PET Scan         78811, 78812, 78813, 78814, 78815, 78816	74150	CT Abdomen	74150, 74160, 74170, +0722T
74176         CT Abdomen and Pelvis Combination         74176, 74177, 74178, +0722T           74181         MRI Abdomen         74181, 74182, 74183, S8037, +0698T, +0724T           74185         MRA Abdomen         74185           74261         Diagnostic CT Colonoscopy (Virtual Colonoscopy, CT Colonography)         74261, 74262, +0722T           74263         Screening CT Colonoscopy (Virtual Colonoscopy, CT Colonography)         74263, +0722T           75571         Coronary Artery Ca Score, Heart Scan, Ultrafast CT Heart, Electron Beam CT         75574           75574         CTA coronary arteries (CCTA)         75574           75635         CT Angiography, Abdominal Aorta with Lower Extremity Runoff         76390, +0698T           76498         Unlisted Magnetic Resonance Procedure         76498, +0698T           78429         Heart PET Scan with CT for Attenuation         78459, 78491, 78492, +78434, 78492, 78430, 78431, 78432, 78433           78451         Myocardial Perfusion Imaging – Nuclear Cardiology Study         78451, 78452, 78453, 78454, 78466, 78468, 78469, 78481, 78459, 78491, 78492, +78434           78608         PET Scan, Brain         78608, 78609           78813         1,2         PET Scan with concurrently acquired CT for attenuation correction and anatomic, localization.         78811, 78812, 78813, 78814, 78813, 78814, 78815, 78816           60235         PET imaging, initial diagnosis	74174	CT Angiography, Abdomen and Pelvis	74174
74181         MRI Abdomen         74181, 74182, 74183, S8037, +0698T, +0724T           74185         MRA Abdomen         74185           74261         Diagnostic CT Colonoscopy (Virtual Colonoscopy, CT Colonography)         74261, 74262, +0722T           74263         Screening CT Colonoscopy (Virtual Colonoscopy, CT Colonography)         74263, +0722T           75571         Coronary Artery Ca Score, Heart Scan, Ultrafast CT Heart, Electron Beam CT         75574           75574         CTA coronary arteries (CCTA)         75574           75635         CT Angiography, Abdominal Aorta with Lower Extremity Runoff         75635           76390         MR Spectroscopy         76390, +0698T           76498         Unlisted Magnetic Resonance Procedure         76498, +0698T           78429         Heart PET Scan with CT for Attenuation         78459, 78491, 78492, +78434, 78429, 78430, 78431, 78432, 78433           78451         Myocardial Perfusion Imaging – Nuclear Cardiology Study         78451, 78452, 78453, 78454, 78466, 78468, 78499, +0742T           78459         Heart PET Scan         78608, 78609           78813 ¹.²         PET Scan, Brain         78608, 78609           78816 ¹.²         PET Scan with concurrently acquired CT for attenuation correction and anatomic, localization.         78811, 78812, 78813, 78814, 78815, 78816           G0235         PET imaging, any site	74175	CT Angiography, Abdomen	74175
74185         MRA Abdomen         74185           74261         Diagnostic CT Colonoscopy (Virtual Colonoscopy, CT Colonography)         74261, 74262, +0722T           74263         Screening CT Colonoscopy (Virtual Colonoscopy, CT Colonography)         74263, +0722T           75571         Coronary Artery Ca Score, Heart Scan, Ultrafast CT Heart, Electron Beam CT         75574           75574         CTA coronary arteries (CCTA)         75574           75635         CT Angiography, Abdominal Aorta with Lower Extremity Runoff         75635           76390         MR Spectroscopy         76390, +0698T           76498         Unlisted Magnetic Resonance Procedure         76498, +0698T           78429         Heart PET Scan with CT for Attenuation         78459, 78491, 78492, +78434, 78429, 78430, 78431, 78432, 78433           78451         Myocardial Perfusion Imaging – Nuclear Cardiology Study         78451, 78452, 78453, 78454, 78466, 78468, 78469, 78481, 78459, 78491, 78492, +78434           78608         PET Scan         78811, 78812, 78813, 78814, 78813, 78814, 78815, 78816           78816 <sup>1, 2</sup> PET Scan with concurrently acquired CT for attenuation correction and anatomic, localization.         78811, 78812, 78813, 78814, 78815, 78816           60235         PET imaging, any site, not otherwise specified PET imaging, initial diagnosis of breast cancer and/or surgical planning for breast cancer and/or surgical planning for breast cancer	74176	CT Abdomen and Pelvis Combination	74176, 74177, 74178, +0722T
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75635         CT Angiography, Abdominal Aorta with Lower Extremity Runoff         75635           76390         MR Spectroscopy         76390, +0698T           76498         Unlisted Magnetic Resonance Procedure         76498, +0698T           78429         Heart PET Scan with CT for Attenuation         78459, 78491, 78492, +78434, 78429, 78430, 78431, 78432, 78433           78451         Myocardial Perfusion Imaging – Nuclear Cardiology Study         78451, 78452, 78453, 78454, 78466, 78468, 78469, 78481, 78483, 78499, +0742T           78459         Heart PET Scan         78459, 78491, 78492, +78434           78608         PET Scan, Brain         78608, 78609           78813 1, 2         PET Scan         78811, 78812, 78813, 78814, 78815, 78816           78816 1, 2         PET Scan with concurrently acquired CT for attenuation correction and anatomic, localization.         78815, 78816           G0235         PET imaging, any site, not otherwise specified         G0235           G0252 3         PET imaging, initial diagnosis of breast cancer and/or surgical planning for breast cancer         G0252           S8037         MR Cholangiopancreatography         S8037, 74181, 74182, 74183	75574		75574
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- 1 Evolent will not be making a medical necessity determination as to which of these codes are appropriate. Instead, we will make a determination as to whether the PET scan itself is indicated and then expect the imaging facility to bill in a fashion that accurately describes what was performed.
- The 78814 series describes a PET scan where CT technology is used to better "focus" the PET scanning. When an ordering physician requests a PET scan, they won't know whether or not an older machine will be used without the CT component. Evolent's tumor imaging clinical guidelines does not make a distinction between which technique is used. If a PET scan is clinically indicated, use of either series of codes is acceptable. Accordingly, we are expanding the list of "Allowable Billable Groupings" to take this into account. These codes are NOT to be used for a study typically called PET Fusion. A PET fusion study is where a PET Scan and a diagnostic CT scan are performed on the same machine simultaneously. Under this situation one is instructed by CPT to bill using both the PET CPT code and the CT scan code describing the body region and procedure performed. The CT code should be appended with a modifier 59 to ensure proper payment. When receiving such requests, Evolent will review the medical necessity for both the PET scan and the CT scan and issue UM determinations on both codes.
- 3 G0252 is a code that describes a tumor imaging PET for breast cancer under a specific indication. This is considered a non-covered indication.