

UnitedHealthcare Clinical Practice Guidelines

UnitedHealthcare has identified evidence-based clinical guidelines to guide our quality and health management programs. The following table lists the clinical guidelines and the websites where they can be found.

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National Medical Care Management Committee Approval Status – May 13, 2014

Topic	Name of Guideline	Organization/Web Address	Summary of Changes from Previous Version	Medical Technology Assessment Committee Approval Status	National Medical Care Management Committee Approval Status
Acute Myocardial Infarction <i>with</i> ST Elevation	2013 ACC/AHA Guidelines for the Management of ST-Elevation Myocardial Infarction	American College of Cardiology/American Heart Association http://circ.ahajournals.org/content/127/4/e362.full.pdf	04/09/14: No content change from previous version.	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014
Acute Myocardial Infarction <i>without</i> ST Elevation	2012 Focused Update: ACC/AHA Guidelines for the Management of Patients with Unstable Angina/Non–ST-Elevation Myocardial Infarction (Updating the 2007 Guideline).	American College of Cardiology/American Heart Association http://circ.ahajournals.org/content/127/23/e663.full.pdf	04/09/14: No content change from previous version.	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014

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Asthma	2007 National Asthma Education and Prevention Program Expert Panel Report 3 Guidelines for the Diagnosis and Management of Asthma	National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute www.nhlbi.nih.gov/guidelines/asthma/index.htm	04/09/14: No content change from previous version.	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014
Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD)	2007 Practice Parameter for the Assessment and Treatment of Children and Adolescents with Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder	American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry http://download.journals.elsevierhealth.com/pdfs/journals/0890-8567/PIIS0890856709621821.pdf	04/09/14: No content change from previous version.	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014
Autism Spectrum Disorders	UHC Utilization Review Guidelines – Autism Spectrum Disorders	Internal (Knowledge Library): http://kl/Content/Guidelines%20&%20Clinical%20Policies/Utilization%20Review%20Guidelines/Internal%20and%20External/Autism%20Spectrum%20Disorder_URG.doc External (UnitedHealthcareOnline.com): https://www.unitedhealthcareonline.com/ccmcontent/ProviderII/UHC/en-US/Assets/ProviderStaticFiles/ProviderStaticFilesPdf/Tools%20and%20Resources/Policies%20and%20Protocols/Medical%20Policies/Medical%20Policies/Autism_Spectrum_Disorder_URG.pdf		Approved September 2013	Approved October 2013
Bariatric Surgery	Bariatric Resource Service Clinical Job Aids <ul style="list-style-type: none">Laparoscopic Biliopancreatic Diversion with Duodenal Switch (BPD- DS)Laparoscopic Roux-en-Y Gastric		Approval requested by OptumHealth	Approved March 2012	Approved March 2012

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	Bypass Procedure (LRYGBP) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Laparoscopic Sleeve Gastrectomy (LSG) • Laparoscopic Adjustable Gastric Banding (LAGB) • Bariatric Conversion Procedures 			Approved April 2012 Approved April 2013	Approved May 2012 Approved May 2013
Bipolar Disorder: Adults	Guideline Watch (November 2005): Practice Guideline for the Treatment of Patients with Bipolar Disorder, 2nd Edition	American Psychiatric Association http://psychiatryonline.org/data/Books/prac/Bipolar_watch.pdf	04/09/14: No content change from previous version.	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014
Bipolar Disorder: Children & Adolescents	2007 Practice Parameter for the Assessment and Treatment of Children and Adolescents with Bipolar Disorder	American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry http://download.journals.elsevierhealth.com/pdfs/journals/0890-8567/PIIS0890856709619687.pdf	04/09/14: No content change from previous version.	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014
Cardiology: CareCore Advanced Imaging Guidelines - Commercial	Physician Guidelines: Current Evidence-Based Recommendations Regarding Cardiology	Internal (Knowledge Library): http://kl/Upload/wazeve1/UnitedHealthCare_Commercial_Cardiology_Criteria_2014.pdf External (UnitedHealthcareOnline.com): https://www.unitedhealthcareonline.com/ccmcontent/ProviderII/UHC/en-US/Assets/ProviderStaticFiles/ProviderStaticFilesPdf/Clinician%20Resources/Cardiology/UnitedHealthCare_Commercial_Cardiology_Criteria.pdf	Approval requested by Cardiology Line of Service	Approved April 2014	Approved April 2014

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Cardiology: CareCore Advanced Imaging Guidelines - Medicare	UnitedHealthcare Medicare Solutions: Evidence-Based Clinical Guidelines - Cardiology	Internal (Knowledge Library): http://kl/Upload/wazeve1/Medicare_Advantage_Cardiology_Prior_Authorization_Program_Clinical_Criteria_2014.pdf External (UnitedHealthcareOnline.com): https://www.unitedhealthcareonline.com/ccmcontent/ProviderII/UHC/en-US/Assets/ProviderStaticFiles/ProviderStaticFilesPdf/Clinician%20Resources/Cardiac/Medicare_Advantage_Cardiology_Prior_Authorization_Program_Clinical_Criteria.pdf	Approval requested by Cardiology Line of Service	Approved April 2014	Approved April 2014
Cardiovascular Disease: Prevention in Women	Effectiveness-Based Guidelines for the Prevention of Cardiovascular Disease in Women 2011 Update: A Guideline from the American Heart Association	American Heart Association http://circ.ahajournals.org/content/123/11/1243.full.pdf	04/09/14: No content change from previous version.	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014
Cardiovascular Disease: Secondary Prevention and Risk Reduction Therapy for Patients with Coronary and Other	2011 AHA/ACC Guidelines for Secondary Prevention and Risk Reduction Therapy for Patients with Coronary and Other Atherosclerotic Vascular Disease	American College of Cardiology/American Heart Association http://circ.ahajournals.org/content/124/22/2458.full.pdf	04/09/14: No content change from previous version.	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014

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Atherosclerotic Vascular Disease					
Cervical Cancer Screening	ACOG Practice Bulletin #131 Screening for Cervical Cancer	<p>American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists</p> <p>Note: This guideline is not publically available; a user ID and password are required to access the document via: http://www.acog.org/Resources_And_Publications</p> <p>The National Guideline Clearinghouse provides a synopsis of the guideline at http://www.guideline.gov/content.aspx?id=38572</p>	<p>04/10/14: No content change from previous version.</p> <p>Approval requested by Community and State for all customers.</p> <p>To be posted on the C&S portal only.</p>	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014
Chemotherapy Observation or Inpatient Hospitalization	UHC Utilization Review Guidelines – Chemotherapy Observation or Inpatient Hospitalization	<p>Internal (Knowledge Library): http://kl/Content/Guidelines%20&%20Clinical%20Policies/Utilization%20Review%20Guidelines/Internal%20and%20External/Chemo%20URG.doc</p> <p>External (UnitedHealthcareOnline.com): https://www.unitedhealthcareonline.com/ccmcontent/ProviderII/UHC/en-US/Assets/ProviderStaticFiles/ProviderStaticFilesPdf/Tools%20and%20Resources/Policies%20and%20Protocols/Medical%20Policies/Medical%20Policies/Chemotherapy_Observ_and_Inpatient_Hosp_URG.pdf</p>		Approved April 2014	Approved April 2014

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Cholesterol Management	2013 ACC/AHA Guideline on the Treatment of Blood Cholesterol to Reduce Atherosclerotic Cardiovascular Risk in Adults	American College of Cardiology/American Heart Association https://circ.ahajournals.org/content/early/2013/11/11/01.cir.0000437738.63853.7a.full.pdf	Complete guideline update Table 2 identifies what is new in the guideline including statin benefit groups, treatment goals, risk assessment for primary prevention, safety recommendations and the role of biomarkers and noninvasive tests.	Approved February 2014	Approved February 2014
Chronic Obstructive Lung Disease (COPD)	Global Strategy for Diagnosis, Management and Prevention of COPD – 2014	Global Initiative for Chronic Obstructive Lung Disease (GOLD) http://www.goldcopd.org/uploads/users/files/GOLD_Report2014_Feb07.pdf	2014 update Revisions to the following sections: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assessment of symptoms • Assessment of exacerbation risk • Exercise testing • Anticholinergics • Combination bronchodilator therapy • Rehabilitation • Nutritional support • Monitoring and follow-up • Management of exacerbations • Telehealth for home management of exacerbations • Bronchiectasis added as a comorbidity 	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014

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Depression/ Major Depressive Disorder	Practice Guideline For The Treatment of Patients With Major Depressive Disorder, Third Edition	American Psychiatric Association http://psychiatryonline.org/pdfaccess.ashx?ResourceID=243261&PDFSource=6	04/09/14: No content change from previous version.	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014
Diabetes	Standards of Medical Care in Diabetes – 2014	American Diabetes Association http://care.diabetesjournals.org/content/37/Supplement_1/S14.full.pdf+html	2014 update A summary of revisions to the 2014 clinical practice recommendations is available at: http://care.diabetesjournals.org/content/37/Supplement_1/S4.full.pdf	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014
Dietary Guidelines	Dietary Guidelines for Americans, 2010	U.S. Department of Health and Human Services http://health.gov/dietaryguidelines/dga2010/DietaryGuidelines2010.pdf	04/09/14: No content change from previous version. Approval requested by OptumHealth	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014
Heart Failure	2013 ACCF/AHA Guideline for the Management of Heart Failure	American College of Cardiology/American Heart Association http://circ.ahajournals.org/content/128/16/e240.full.pdf	04/10/14: No content change from previous version.	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014
Hemophilia and von Willebrand Disease	Guidelines for the Management of Hemophilia, 2 nd edition	World Federation of Hemophilia http://www1.wfh.org/publication/files/pdf-1472.pdf	Revised edition Complete guideline update with added information for prophylactic factor replacement and new clinimetric instruments	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014

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			used for assessment of outcomes.		
	The Diagnosis, Management and Treatment of von Willebrand Disease: 2007 NHLBI Guidelines	National Heart, Lung & Blood Institute http://www.nhlbi.nih.gov/guidelines/vwd/vwd.pdf	04/10/14: No content change from previous version.	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014
Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV)	Primary Care Guidelines for the Management of Persons Infected with HIV: 2013 Update	HIV Medicine Association of the Infectious Diseases Society of America http://cid.oxfordjournals.org/content/58/1/1.full.pdf	Complete guideline update Summary of changes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Grading of Recommendations Assessment, Development and Evaluation (GRADE) system was used in the updating of this guideline. Recommendations are graded as either being strong or weak and the quality of the evidence is graded as high, moderate, low or very low. Recommendations on the optimal way to diagnose HIV have given way to expanded recommendations on the initial evaluation and immediate follow-up for 	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014

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			<p>HIV-infected patients. Easy-to-use tables have also been added.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recommendations for long-term complications have been removed. • A new section was added on metabolic comorbidities, replacing the need for separate guidelines on dyslipidemia, which had been previously published. • A more robust section and table on sexually transmitted diseases has been added. 		
Hyperbilirubinemia in Newborns	American Academy of Pediatrics Clinical Practice Guideline (2004): Management of Hyperbilirubinemia in the Newborn Infant 35 or More Weeks of Gestation	American Academy of Pediatrics http://pediatrics.aappublications.org/content/114/1/297.full.pdf	04/10/14: No content change from previous version.	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014
	American Academy of Pediatrics (2009): Hyperbilirubinemia in the Newborn Infant ≥35 Weeks' Gestation: An Update with Clarifications	http://pediatrics.aappublications.org/content/124/4/1193.full.pdf	04/10/14: No content change from previous version.	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014
Hypertension	2014 Evidence-Based Guideline for the Management of High Blood Pressure in Adults: Report from the Panel Members Appointed to the Eighth Joint National Committee (JNC 8)	Panel Members Appointed to the Eighth Joint National Committee (JNC 8) http://jama.jamanetwork.com/data/Journals/JAMA/929741/jsc130010.pdf	Complete guideline update. Table 1 of the guideline identifies the differences between the current and previous guidelines and specifically addresses methodology, definitions, treatment goals, lifestyle recommendations, drug therapy,	Approved March 2014	Approved March 2014

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			scope and review process.		
Infertility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Infertility Clinical Performance and Medical Necessity Guidelines 		Approval requested by OptumHealth	Approved October 2013	Approved November 2013
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Elective Single Embryo Transfer (eSET) Infertility Surgery 			Approved February 2014	Approved February 2014
Inpatient Pediatric Feeding Programs	UHC Utilization Review Guidelines – Inpatient Pediatric Feeding Programs	<p>Internal (Knowledge Library): http://kl/Content/Guidelines%20&%20Clinical%20Policies/Utilization%20Review%20Guidelines/Internal%20and%20External/Inpatient%20Pediatric%20Feeding%20Programs_URG.doc</p> <p>External (UnitedHealthcareOnline.com): https://www.unitedhealthcareonline.com/ccmcontent/ProviderII/UHC/en-US/Assets/ProviderStaticFiles/ProviderStaticFilesPdf/Tools%20and%20Resources/Policies%20and%20Protocols/Medical%20Policies/Medical%20Policies/Inpatient%20Pediatric%20Feeding%20Programs_URG.pdf</p>		Approved February 2014	Last approved March 2013
Maternal Support Program Clinical Guidelines	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Anemia and Pregnancy Clinical Guidelines Cervical Insufficiency Clinical Guidelines Avoidance of Elective Deliveries before 39 Weeks Gestation 		Approval requested by OptumHealth	Approved September 2011	

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assessment of Fetal Well Being Administration of 17P for Prevention of Preterm Birth 				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Breast Milk Feeding Coagulation Disorders in Pregnancy Gastrointestinal Disease in Pregnancy Gestational Diabetes Intrauterine Growth Restriction (IUGR) Malignancy and Pregnancy Maternal and Fetal Infections Maternal Nutrition and Obesity Multiple Gestation Placenta Previa 			Approved October 2011	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Diseases of the Liver Biliary System and Pancreas in Pregnancy Post-Term Pregnancy Pregnancy Related Hypertension Premature Rupture of Membranes (PROM) Preterm Labor and Birth Respiratory Disease in Pregnancy Thromboembolic Disease in Pregnancy Thyroid Disease in Pregnancy Trial of Labor after C-Section (TOLAC) and Vaginal Birth after C-Section (VBAC) 			Approved November 2011	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maternal Cardiovascular Disorders Associated with Pregnancy Neurologic Disorders in Pregnancy Skin and Pregnancy 			Approved November 2012	Approved November 2012

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Intimate Partner Violence Hemolytic Disease of the Fetus and Newborn Endocrine Disorders in Pregnancy 			Approved April 2013	Approved May 2013
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assessment and Induction of Fetal Pulmonary Maturity 			Approved August 2013	Approved September 2013
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 17P, Vaginal Progesterone, Cerclage and Preterm Birth Methodology for Lowering C-Section Rates 			Approved November 2013	Approved December 2013
Mechanical Circulatory Support (including Ventricular Assist Devices)	Mechanical Circulatory Support Devices Clinical Guideline		Approval requested by OptumHealth	Approved September 2013	Approved September 2013
MCG™ Care Guidelines	MCG™ Care Guidelines, 18 th Edition	MCG™ Care Guidelines http://www.careguidelines.com	2014 update	Approved April 2014	Approved April 2014
Neonatal Resource Services Clinical Guidelines	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Apnea and Bradycardia Discharge Planning Feeding the Neonate Inhaled Nitric Oxide Early-Onset Neonatal Sepsis Thermoregulation 		Approval requested by OptumHealth	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014
Obesity	American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) Obesity Portal	American Academy of Pediatrics Institute for Healthy Childhood Weight http://ihcw.aap.org/Pages/default.aspx	04/10/14: No content change from previous version. Approval requested by Community and State	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014

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	The Practical Guide: Identification, Evaluation and Treatment of Overweight and Obesity in Adults, October 2000	National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute http://www.nhlbi.nih.gov/guidelines/obesity/prctgd_c.pdf	04/10/14: No content change from previous version. Approval requested by Community and State	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014
Oncology	National Comprehensive Cancer Network (NCCN) Clinical Practice Guidelines in Oncology	National Comprehensive Cancer Network http://www.nccn.org	Approval requested by the Oncology Line of Service. Guidelines are used as a resource to guide cancer detection, prevention and risk reduction, workup and diagnosis, treatment and supportive care.	Approved September 2013	Approved October 2013
Organ Transplantation	2013 Transplant Review Guidelines: Solid Organ and Stem Cell Transplantation	Internal (Knowledge Library): http://ki/Upload/wazeve1/2013_Transplant_Review_Guidelines.pdf External (UnitedHealthcareOnline.com): https://www.unitedhealthcareonline.com/ccmcontent/ProviderII/UHC/en-US/Assets/ProviderStaticFiles/ProviderStaticFilesPdf/Tools%20and%20Resources/Policies%20and%20Protocols/Medical%20Policies/Clinical%20Guidelines/2013_Transplant_Review_Guidelines.pdf	Approval requested by OptumHealth	Approved October 2013	Approved November 2013

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Perinatal Care	Guidelines for Perinatal Care, 7 th edition	<p>American Academy of Pediatrics and American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists</p> <p>Note: This resource is not publically available; a user ID and password are required to access the document via: http://www.acog.org/Resources_And_Publications</p> <p>Alternatively, the book can be purchased from the American Academy of Pediatrics website. http://ebooks.aap.org/product/guidelines-for-perinatal-care40442</p> <p>To view a summary of the guidelines http://www.uhcommunityplan.com/content/dam/communityplan/healthcareprofessionals/clinicalguidelines/ACOG_Perinatal_Care_Guideline_Summary_7th.pdf</p>	<p>04/09/14: No content change from previous version.</p> <p>To be posted on the C&S portal only.</p>	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014
Physical Activity	2008 Physical Activity Guidelines for Americans	<p>U.S. Department of Health and Human Services</p> <p>http://www.health.gov/paguidelines/pdf/paguide.pdf</p>	<p>04/09/14: No content change from previous version.</p> <p>Approval requested by OptumHealth</p>	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014
Preventive Pediatric Health Care Screening	2014 Recommendations for Pediatric Preventive Health Care	<p>American Academy of Pediatrics</p> <p>http://pediatrics.aappublications.org/content/133/3/568.full.pdf</p>	<p>Complete guideline update</p> <p>Summary of changes:</p>	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No changes in the timing of recommendations on the Periodicity Schedule. • Information was added about a specific screening tool to assess adolescents for alcohol and drug use. • Screening for depression at ages 11 through 21 years has been added, along with suggested screening tools. • Cholesterol screening between ages 9 and 11 years was added. • A risk assessment for hematocrit or hemoglobin at ages 15 and 30 months was added. • Screening for HIV was added between age 16 and 18 years. • Adolescents should no longer be routinely screened for cervical dysplasia until age 21. • Newborns should be screened for critical congenital heart disease using pulse oximetry before leaving the hospital. <p>Approval requested by Community and State.</p> <p>Document needed for New Mexico market requirements for visit periodicity per Bright Futures guideline</p>		

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Preventive Services	Guide to Clinical Preventive Services, 2012: Recommendations of the U.S. Preventive Services Task Force <i>Note: Although the USPSTF concluded that the current evidence is insufficient to assess the additional benefits and harms of digital mammography instead of film as a screening modality for breast cancer, before the age of 50, UnitedHealthcare will cover this as a preventive health service.</i>	Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality http://www.ahrq.gov/professionals/clinicians-providers/guidelines-recommendations/guide/guide-clinical-preventive-services.pdf	04/10/14: No content change from previous version. See also: Preventive Care Services coverage determination guideline	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014
Propranolol Treatment for Infantile Hemangioma	UHC Utilization Review Guidelines – Propranolol Treatment for Infantile Hemangiomas: Inpatient Protocol	Internal (Knowledge Library): http://kl/Content/Guidelines%20&%20Clinical%20Policies/Utilization%20Review%20Guidelines/Internal%20and%20External/Propranolol_URG.doc External (UnitedHealthcareOnline.com): https://www.unitedhealthcareonline.com/ccmcontent/ProviderII/UHC/en-US/Assets/ProviderStaticFiles/ProviderStaticFilesPdf/Tools%20and%20Resources/Policies%20and%20Protocols/Medical%20Policies/Medical%20Policies/Propranolol_URG.pdf		Approved April 2014	Approved April 2014
Radiology: CareCore Advanced Imaging	Physician Guidelines: Current Evidence-Based Recommendations Regarding Imaging - Commercial and Medicaid	Internal (Knowledge Library): http://kl/Content/Guidelines%20&%20Clinical%20Policies/CareCore%20Phy		Approved January 2014	Approved January 2014

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Guidelines Commercial and Medicaid		<p>sician%20Guidelines/Evidence-Based%20Clinical%20Guidelines%20for%20Imaging_2014_UHC%20Employer%20and%20Individual_pdf_Stub.htm</p> <p>External (UnitedHealthcareOnline.com): https://www.unitedhealthcareonline.com/ccmcontent/ProviderII/UHC/en-US/Assets/ProviderStaticFiles/ProviderStaticFilesPdf/Clinician%20Resources/Radiology%20Notification%20Program/Evidence Based Clinical Guidelines for Imaging 2014.pdf</p>		Additional changes approved April 2014	Additional changes approved April 2014
Radiology: CareCore Advanced Imaging Guidelines Medicare and Retirement	UnitedHealthcare Medical Solutions Evidence-Based Clinical Guidelines for Radiology - Medicare and Retirement	<p>Internal (Knowledge Library): http://kl/Content/Guidelines%20&%20Clinical%20Policies/CareCore%20Physician%20Guidelines/Evidence-Based%20Clinical%20Guidelines%20for%20Imaging_2014_UHC%20Medicare_Retirement_pdf_Stub.htm</p> <p>External (UnitedHealthcareOnline.com): https://www.unitedhealthcareonline.com/ccmcontent/ProviderII/UHC/en-US/Assets/ProviderStaticFiles/ProviderStaticFilesPdf/Clinician%20Resources/Radiology%20Notification%20Program/2014 Medicare Advantage Evidence Based Clinical Guidelines Imaging.pdf</p>		Approved January 2014 Additional changes approved April 2014	Approved January 2014 Additional changes approved April 2014

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Schizophrenia	Guideline Watch (September 2009): Practice Guideline for the Treatment of Patients with Schizophrenia	American Psychiatric Association/ PsychiatryOnline Guideline Watch http://psychiatryonline.org/pdfaccess.ashx?ResourceID=243181&PDFSource=6	04/10/14: No content change from previous version.	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014
Sickle Cell Disease	The Management of Sickle Cell Disease, 4 th Edition National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI)	National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute http://www.nhlbi.nih.gov/health/prof/blood/sickle/sc_mngt.pdf	04/10/14: No content change from previous version.	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014
Spinal Stenosis	2011 Evidence-Based Clinical Guidelines for Multidisciplinary Spine Care: Diagnosis and Treatment of Degenerative Lumbar Spinal Stenosis	North American Spine Society https://www.spine.org/Documents/ResearchClinicalCare/Guidelines/LumbarStenosis.pdf	04/10/14: No content change from previous version.	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014
Stable Ischemic Heart Disease	2012 Guideline for the Diagnosis and Management of Patients with Stable Ischemic Heart Disease	American College of Cardiology/American Heart Association et al. http://circ.ahajournals.org/content/126/25/e354.full.pdf+html	04/10/14: No content change from previous version.	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014
Substance Use Disorders	Guideline Watch (April 2007): Practice Guideline for the Treatment of Patients with Substance Use Disorders	American Psychiatric Association/ PsychiatryOnline Guideline Watch http://focus.psychiatryonline.org/data/Journals/FOCUS/2693/foc00207000163.pdf	04/10/14: No content change from previous version. Approval requested by Optum Behavioral Health.	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014
Tobacco Use	Treating Tobacco Use and Dependence: 2008 Update	U.S. Department of Health and Human Services http://www.ahrq.gov/professionals/clinicians-providers/guidelines-recommendations/tobacco/clinicians/u	04/09/14: No content change from previous version. Approval requested by OptumHealth	Approved May 2014	Approved May 2014

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	Supplement: Corrections and Additions to the 2008 Guideline Update	pdate/treating_tobacco_use08.pdf http://www.ahrq.gov/professionals/clinicians-providers/guidelines-recommendations/tobacco/clinicians/update/correctadd.html			