MRI AND CT CPT CODING GUIDE

VALUABLE REFERENCE INFORMATION FOR HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS
MRI / MRA

Brain (IAC’s, pituitary)
70551 – w/o contrast
70552 – w/contrast
70553 – w/o & w/contrast

Cervical Spine
72141 – w/o contrast
72142 – w/contrast
72156 – w/o & w/contrast

Upper extremity, joint (shoulder, elbow, wrist)
73221 – w/o contrast
73222 – w/contrast
73223 – w/o & w/contrast

Lumbar Spine
72148 – w/o contrast
72149 – w/contrast
72158 – w/o & w/contrast

Upper extremity, other than joint (humerus, forearm, hand)
73218 – w/o contrast
73219 – w/contrast
73220 – w/o & w/contrast

Thoracic Spine
72146 – w/o contrast
72147 – w/contrast
72157 – w/o & w/contrast

Abdomen
74181 – w/o contrast
74182 – w/contrast
74183 – w/o & w/contrast

Pelvis
72195 – w/o contrast
72196 – w/contrast
72197 – w/o & w/contrast

Orbit, face & neck
70540 – w/o contrast
70542 – w/contrast
70543 – w/o & w/contrast

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70540 – w/o contrast
70542 – w/contrast
70543 – w/o & w/contrast

Chest (clavicle)
71550 – w/o contrast
71551 – w/contrast
71552 – w/o & w/contrast

Upper extremity, other than joint (thigh, lower leg, foot)
73718 – w/o contrast
73719 – w/contrast
73720 – w/o & w/contrast

Lower extremity, joint (hip, knee, ankle)
73721 – w/o contrast
73722 – w/contrast
73723 – w/o & w/contrast

Lower extremity, other than joint (hip, knee, ankle)
73721 – w/o contrast
73722 – w/contrast
73723 – w/o & w/contrast

70544 – MRA head
70547 – MRA neck
71555 – MRA chest
72159 – MRA spinal canal
72198 – MRA pelvis
73225 – MRA upper extremity
73225 – MRA lower extremity
74185 – MRA abdomen
77058 – Breast, unilateral w/ or w/o contrast
77059 – Breast, bilateral w/ or w/o contrast

76390 – MR Spectroscopy

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CT / CTA

**Brain**
- 70450 – w/o contrast
- 70460 – w/contrast
- 70470 – w/o & w/contrast

**Face/Sinuses**
- 70486 – w/o contrast
- 70487 – w/contrast
- 70488 – w/o & w/contrast

**Cervical Spine**
- 72125 – w/o contrast
- 72126 – w/contrast
- 72127 – w/o & w/contrast

**Upper extremity, joint (shoulder, elbow, wrist)**
- 73200 – w/o contrast
- 73201 – w/contrast
- 73202 – w/o & w/contrast

**Lumbar Spine**
- 72131 – w/o contrast
- 72132 – w/contrast
- 72133 – w/o & w/contrast

**Thoracic Spine**
- 72128 – w/o contrast
- 72129 – w/contrast
- 72130 – w/o & w/contrast

**Abdomen**
- 74150 – w/o contrast
- 74160 – w/contrast
- 74170 – w/o & w/contrast

**Pelvis**
- 72192 – w/o contrast
- 72193 – w/contrast
- 72194 – w/o & w/contrast

**Lower extremity, joint (hip, knee, ankle)**
- 73700 – w/o contrast
- 73701 – w/contrast
- 73702 – w/o & w/contrast

**CTA**
- 70496 – head
- 70498 – neck
- 71275 – chest
- 72191 – pelvis only
- 73206 – upper extremity
- 73706 – lower extremity
- 74175 – abdomen only
- 74174 – abdomen & pelvis

**Orbit, Sella, IAC’s**
- 70480 – w/o contrast
- 70481 – w/contrast
- 70482 – w/o & w/contrast
- 70491 – CT neck contrast (soft tissue)

**Chest (clavicle)**
- 72150 – w/o contrast
- 72160 – w/contrast
- 72170 – w/o & w/contrast

**Upper extremity, other than joint (humerus, forearm, hand)**
- 73200 – w/o contrast
- 73201 – w/contrast
- 73202 – w/o & w/contrast

**Lower extremity, other than joint (thigh, lower leg, foot)**
- 73700 – w/o contrast
- 73701 – w/contrast
- 73702 – w/o & w/contrast

**Abdomen & Pelvis**
- 74176 – A/P w/o contrast
- 74177 – A/P w/contrast
- 74178 – A/P w/o and w/contrast or any combination

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DIAGNOSTIC IMAGING SERVICES LOCATIONS AND HOURS

**Metairie (East Bank)**
4241 Veterans Memorial Boulevard, Suite 100
Metairie, LA 70006

Found in the Independence Mall, at the corner of Veterans Memorial Boulevard and Houma Boulevard. We are in the back of the mall, behind Houston’s Restaurant and across from Sake Café.

Hours:
Monday – Wednesday – Friday 7:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Tuesday & Thursday 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.
Saturday 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. (except holiday weekends)

**New Orleans (Uptown)**
3437 Prytania Street
New Orleans, Louisiana 70115

Located across from Touro Infirmary. We are at the intersection of Prytania Street and Delachaise Streets, one block south of St. Charles Avenue. **Free parking is available directly behind the Medical Office Building off Delachaise Street, between St. Charles Avenue and Prytania Street.**

Hours:
Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**Marrero (West Bank)**
925 Avenue C
Marrero, Louisiana 70072

Situated behind West Jefferson Hospital, next to what used to be known as Lido’s Restaurant. We are one block south of the Westbank Expressway and approximately four blocks east of Barataria Boulevard.

Hours:
Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**Slidell (North Shore - East)**
1310 Gause Boulevard
Slidell, Louisiana 70458

We are located west of Interstate 10, between Rue Rochelle and Robert Boulevard. DIS is approximately 1/2 mile east of Slidell Memorial Hospital.

Hours:
Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**Covington (North Shore – West)**
71154 Highway 21
Covington, Louisiana 70433

We are located north of Interstate 12, between North Marigold Drive and North Azalea Drive. DIS is approximately 1.5 miles southwest of St. Tammany Parish Hospital.

Hours:
Monday - Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

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**X-RAYS DO NOT NEED AN APPOINTMENT**

Have patients bring your referral order to the DIS location that is most convenient for them.
X-Rays can also be completed on a Saturday morning, at our Metairie center.

If you have any questions, please call us at 504-883-5999 or 985-641-2390.