

Abnormal Radiologic Study (COLON-12)

- Endoscopy or colonoscopy as requested to assess abnormality as indicated for all of the below:
 - The nature of the abnormality must be documented by the description of the radiologic finding (e.g., colon wall thickening or colonic mass on CT scan)
 - If change in management is probable based on results of endoscopy OR after an empirical trial of therapy for a suspected benign digestive disorder has been unsuccessful OR when a primary therapeutic procedure is contemplated.

Reference

Early DS, Ben-Menachem T, Decker GA, et al. Appropriate use of GI endoscopy. *Gastrointest Endosc.* 2012;75(6):1127-1131.