



Cigna Commercial & Medicare Advantage Prior Authorization Procedure List: Interventional Pain Management

Product	Category	CPT® Code	CPT® Code Description	Medicare Prior Authorization Required?	Medicare Case Build Platform	Commercial Prior Authorization Required?	Commercial Case Build Platform	External Notation
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	27096	Injection procedure for sacroiliac joint, anesthetic/steroid, with image guidance (fluoroscopy or CT) including arthrography when performed	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	62263	Percutaneous Lysis Of Epidural Adhesions Using Solution Injection (E.G., Hypertonic Saline, Enzyme) Or Mechanical Means (E.G., Catheter) Including Radiologic Localization (Includes Contrast When Administered), Multiple Adhesiolysis Sessions; 2 Or More Days	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	62264	Percutaneous Lysis Of Epidural Adhesions Using Solution Injection (E.G., Hypertonic Saline, Enzyme) Or Mechanical Means (E.G., Catheter) Including Radiologic Localization (Includes Contrast When Administered), Multiple Adhesiolysis Sessions; 1 Day	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	62280	Injection/Infusion Of Neurolytic Substance (Eg, Alcohol, Phenol, Iced Saline Solutions), With Or Without Other Therapeutic Substance; Subarachnoid	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	62281	Injection/Infusion Of Neurolytic Substance (Eg, Alcohol, Phenol, Iced Saline Solutions), With Or Without Other Therapeutic Substance; Epidural, Cervical Or Thoracic	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	62282	Injection/infusion of neurolytic substance (eg, alcohol, phenol, iced saline solutions), with or without other therapeutic substance; epidural, lumbar, sacral (caudal)	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	62320	Injection(s), of diagnostic or therapeutic substance(s) (eg, anesthetic, antispasmodic, opioid, steroid, other solution), not including neurolytic substances, including needle or catheter placement, interlaminar epidural or subarachnoid, cervical or thoracic; without imaging guidance	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	Add 1/1/2017
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	62321	Injection(s), of diagnostic or therapeutic substance(s) (eg, anesthetic, antispasmodic, opioid, steroid, other solution), not including neurolytic substances, including needle or catheter placement, interlaminar epidural or subarachnoid, cervical or thoracic; with imaging guidance (ie, fluoroscopy or CT)	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	Add 1/1/2017
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	62322	Injection(s), of diagnostic or therapeutic substance(s) (eg, anesthetic, antispasmodic, opioid, steroid, other solution), not including neurolytic substances, including needle or catheter placement, interlaminar epidural or subarachnoid, lumbar or sacral (caudal); without imaging guidance	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	Add 1/1/2017
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	62323	Injection(s), of diagnostic or therapeutic substance(s) (eg, anesthetic, antispasmodic, opioid, steroid, other solution), not including neurolytic substances, including needle or catheter placement, interlaminar epidural or subarachnoid, lumbar or sacral (caudal); with imaging guidance (ie, fluoroscopy or CT)	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	Add 1/1/2017

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Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	62324	Injection(s), including indwelling catheter placement, continuous infusion or intermittent bolus, of diagnostic or therapeutic substance(s) (eg, anesthetic, antispasmodic, opioid, steroid, other solution), not including neurolytic substances, interlaminar epidural or subarachnoid, cervical or thoracic; without imaging guidance	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	Add 1/1/2017
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	62325	Injection(s), including indwelling catheter placement, continuous infusion or intermittent bolus, of diagnostic or therapeutic substance(s) (eg, anesthetic, antispasmodic, opioid, steroid, other solution), not including neurolytic substances, interlaminar epidural or subarachnoid, cervical or thoracic; with imaging guidance (ie, fluoroscopy or CT)	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	Add 1/1/2017
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	62326	Injection(s), including indwelling catheter placement, continuous infusion or intermittent bolus, of diagnostic or therapeutic substance(s) (eg, anesthetic, antispasmodic, opioid, steroid, other solution), not including neurolytic substances, interlaminar epidural or subarachnoid, lumbar or sacral (caudal); without imaging guidance	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	Add 1/1/2017
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	62327	Injection(s), including indwelling catheter placement, continuous infusion or intermittent bolus, of diagnostic or therapeutic substance(s) (eg, anesthetic, antispasmodic, opioid, steroid, other solution), not including neurolytic substances, interlaminar epidural or subarachnoid, lumbar or sacral (caudal); with imaging guidance (ie, fluoroscopy or CT)	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	Add 1/1/2017
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	62350	Implantation, revision or repositioning of tunneled intrathecal or epidural catheter, for long-term medication administration via an external pump or implantable reservoir/infusion pump; without laminectomy	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	62351	Implantation, revision or repositioning of tunneled intrathecal or epidural catheter, for long-term medication administration via an external pump or implantable reservoir/infusion pump; with laminectomy	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	62360	Implantation or replacement of device for intrathecal or epidural drug infusion; subcutaneous reservoir	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	62361	Implantation Or Replacement Of Device For Intrathecal Or Epidural Drug Infusion; Subcutaneous Reservoir; Nonprogrammable Pump	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	62362	Implantation or replacement of device for intrathecal or epidural drug infusion; programmable pump, including preparation of pump, with or without programming	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	63650	Percutaneous implantation of neurostimulator electrode array, epidural	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	63655	Laminectomy for implantation of neurostimulator electrodes, plate/paddle, epidural	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	63685	Insertion or replacement of spinal neurostimulator pulse generator or receiver, requiring pocket creation and connection between electrode array and pulse generator or receiver	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	64451	Injection(s), anesthetic agent(s) and/or steroid; nerves innervating the sacroiliac joint, with image guidance (ie, fluoroscopy or computed tomography)	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	

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Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	64479	Injection, Anesthetic Agent And/Or Steroid; Transforaminal Epidural, With Imaging Guidance (Fluoroscopy Or CT), Cervical Or Thoracic, Single Level	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	64480	Injection, Anesthetic Agent And/Or Steroid; Transforaminal Epidural, With Imaging Guidance (Fluoroscopy Or CT), Cervical Or Thoracic, Each Additional Level (List Separately In Addition To Code For Primary Procedure)	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	64483	Injection, Anesthetic Agent And/Or Steroid; Transforaminal Epidural, With Imaging Guidance (Fluoroscopy Or CT), Lumbar Or Sacral, Single Level	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	64484	Injection, Anesthetic Agent And/Or Steroid; Transforaminal Epidural, With Imaging Guidance (Fluoroscopy Or CT), Lumbar Or Sacral, Each Additional Level (List Separately In Addition To Code For Primary Procedure)	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	64490	Injection(S), Diagnostic Or Therapeutic Agent, Paravertebral Facet (Zygapophyseal) Joint (Or Nerves Innervating That Joint) With Image Guidance (Fluoroscopy Or Ct), Cervical Or Thoracic; Single Level	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	64491	Injection(s), diagnostic or therapeutic agent, paravertebral facet (zygapophyseal) joint (or nerves innervating that joint) with image guidance (fluoroscopy or CT), cervical or thoracic; second level (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	64492	Injection(S), Diagnostic Or Therapeutic Agent, Paravertebral Facet (Zygapophyseal) Joint (Or Nerves Innervating That Joint) With Image Guidance (Fluoroscopy Or Ct), Cervical Or Thoracic; Third And Any Additional Level(S) (List Separately In Addition To Code For Primary Procedure)	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	64493	Injection(s), diagnostic or therapeutic agent, paravertebral facet (zygapophyseal) joint (or nerves innervating that joint) with image guidance (fluoroscopy or CT), lumbar or sacral; single level	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	64494	Injection(S), Diagnostic Or Therapeutic Agent, Paravertebral Facet (Zygapophyseal) Joint (Or Nerves Innervating That Joint) With Image Guidance (Fluoroscopy Or Ct), Lumbar Or Sacral; Second Level (List Separately In Addition To Code For Primary Procedure)	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	64495	Injection(s), diagnostic or therapeutic agent, paravertebral facet (zygapophyseal) joint (or nerves innervating that joint) with image guidance (fluoroscopy or CT), lumbar or sacral; third and any additional level(s) (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	64510	Injection, Anesthetic Agent; Stellate Ganglion (Cervical Sympathetic)	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	64520	Injection, Anesthetic Agent; Lumbar Or Thoracic (Paravertebral Sympathetic)	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	64625	Radiofrequency ablation, nerves innervating the sacroiliac joint, with image guidance (ie, fluoroscopy or computed tomography)	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	64633	Destruction by neurolytic agent, paravertebral facet joint nerve(s), with imaging guidance (fluoroscopy or CT); cervical or thoracic, single facet joint	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	

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Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	64634	Destruction by neurolytic agent, paravertebral facet joint nerve(s), with imaging guidance (fluoroscopy or CT); cervical or thoracic, each additional facet joint (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	64635	Destruction By Neurolytic Agent, Paravertebral Facet Joint Nerve(S), With Imaging Guidance (Fluroscopy Or Ct); Lumbar Or Sacral, Single Facet Joint	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	64636	Destruction By Neurolytic Agent, Paravertebral Facet Joint Nerve(S), With Imaging Guidance (Fluroscopy Or Ct); Lumbar Or Sacral, Each Additional Facet Joint (List Separately In Addition To Code For Primary Procedure)	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	64999	Unlisted procedure, nervous system	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This unlisted code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code. Unlisted procedure, nervous system
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	0213T	Injection(s), diagnostic or therapeutic agent, paravertebral facet (zygapophyseal) joint (or nerves innervating that joint) with ultrasound guidance, cervical or thoracic; single level	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	0214T	Injection(s), diagnostic or therapeutic agent, paravertebral facet (zygapophyseal) joint (or nerves innervating that joint) with ultrasound guidance, cervical or thoracic; second level (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	0215T	Injection(s), diagnostic or therapeutic agent, paravertebral facet (zygapophyseal) joint (or nerves innervating that joint) with ultrasound guidance, cervical or thoracic; third and any additional level(s) (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	0216T	Injection(s), diagnostic or therapeutic agent, paravertebral facet (zygapophyseal) joint (or nerves innervating that joint) with ultrasound guidance, lumbar or sacral; single level	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	0217T	Injection(s), diagnostic or therapeutic agent, paravertebral facet (zygapophyseal) joint (or nerves innervating that joint) with ultrasound guidance, lumbar or sacral; second level (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	0218T	Injection(s), diagnostic or therapeutic agent, paravertebral facet (zygapophyseal) joint (or nerves innervating that joint) with ultrasound guidance, lumbar or sacral; third and any additional level(s) (List separately in addition to code for primary procedure)	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	C1767	Generator, neurostimulator (implantable), non-rechargeable	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code.

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Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	C1772	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code. Infusion pump, programmable (implantable) Effective 07/01/2021	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code.
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	C1778	Lead, neurostimulator (implantable)	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code.
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	C1787	Generator, neurostimulator (implantable), nonrechargeable	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code.
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	C1816	Receiver and/or transmitter, neurostimulator (implantable)	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code.
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	C1820	Generator, neurostimulator (implantable), with rechargeable battery and charging system	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code.
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	C1822	Generator, neurostimulator (implantable), high frequency, with rechargeable battery and charing system	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code.
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	C1883	Adaptor/extension, pacing lead or neurostimulator lead (implantable)	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code.
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	C1897	Lead, neurostimulator test kit (implantable)	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code.
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	E0782	Infusion pump, implantable, non-programmable (includes all components, e.g., pump, catheter, connectors, etc.)	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code.

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Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	E0783	Infusion pump system, implantable, programmable (includes all components, e.g., pump, catheter, connectors, etc.)	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code.
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	E0785	Implantable intraspinal (epidural/intrathecal) catheter used with implantable infusion pump, replacement	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code.
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	E0786	Implantable programmable infusion pump, replacement (excludes implantable intraspinal catheter)	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code.
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	G0260	Injection procedure for sacroiliac joint; provision of anesthetic, steroid and/or other therapeutic agent, with or without arthrography	Yes	CareCore National	Yes	MedSolutions	
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	L8679	Implantable neurostimulator, pulse generator, any type	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code.
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	L8680	Implantable neurostimulator electrode, each	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code.
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	L8681	Patient programmer (external) for use with implantable programmable neurostimulator pulse generator, replacement only	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code.
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	L8682	Implantable neurostimulator radiofrequency receiver	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code.
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	L8683	Radiofrequency transmitter (external) for use with implantable neurostimulator radiofrequency receiver	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code.

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Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	L8685	Implantable neurostimulator pulse generator, single array, rechargeable, includes extension	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code.
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	L8686	Implantable neurostimulator pulse generator, single array, nonrechargeable, includes extension	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code.
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	L8687	Implantable neurostimulator pulse generator, dual array, rechargeable, includes extension	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code.
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	L8688	Implantable neurostimulator pulse generator, dual array, non- rechargeable, includes extension	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code.
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	L8689	External recharging system for battery (internal) for use with implantable neurostimulator, replacement only	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code.
Musculoskeletal	Interventional Pain	L8695	External recharging system for battery (external) for use with implantable neurostimulator, replacement only	Add-on Code	CareCore National	Add-on Code	MedSolutions	This procedure code will be managed if submitted with a code that is in the delegated MSK program; otherwise, Cigna will manage the code.

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