

Georgia Medicaid

Policy Updates December 2019

- Administrative
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The following policies are effective February 1, 2020



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We have worked to create a predictable cycle for releasing administrative, medical and reimbursement policies, so you know what to expect.

Check back each month for a consolidated network notification of policy updates from CareSource.

HOW TO USE THIS NETWORK NOTIFICATION

- Reference the list of policy updates.
- Note the effective date and impacted plans for each policy.
- Click the hyperlinked policy title to open the webpage with the full policy.

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POLICY UPDATES

POLICY NAME & NUMBER	POLICY TYPE	EFFECTIVE DATE	PLAN	PRIOR AUTHORIZATION IMPACT?
Breast Reconstruction Surgery GA MCD MM-0732	Medical	February 1, 2020	Medicaid	Yes
Experimental and Investigational Item or Service GA MCD AD – 0711	Administrative	February 1, 2020	Medicaid	New Policy
Gender Dysphoria GA MCD MM-0734	Medical	February 1, 2020	Medicaid	
Genetic Testing, Genetic Screening and Genetic Counseling MM-0735	Medical	February 1, 2020	Medicaid	No
Implantable Spinal Cord Stimulator GA MCD MM-0812	Medical	February 1, 2020	Medicaid	
Implantable Pain Pump GA MCD MM-0802	Medical	February 1, 2020	Medicaid	No
Metabolic and Bariatric Surgery in Adolescents MM-0796 GA MCD	Medical	February 1, 2020	Medicaid	No PA changes
Routine Care Costs in Clinical Trials GA MCD MM-0799	Medical	February 1, 2020	Medicaid	New Policy