

Specialist Referred MRI Imaging Requests

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| 63541 | <p>MRI Prostate</p> <p>Scan of the prostate for the detection of cancer, requested by a specialist in the speciality of urology, radiation oncology or medical oncology. The patient must be suspected of having prostate cancer based on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. A digital rectal examination (DRE) which is suspicious for prostate cancer; orb. In a person aged <70 years, at least two prostate specific antigen (PSA) testsc. performed within an interval of 1-3 months are > 3.0ng/ml, and the free/total PSA ratio is <25% or the repeat PSA exceeds 5.5ng/ml; ord. In a person aged <70 years, whose risk of developing prostate cancer based one. family history is at least double the average risk, at least two PSA tests performed within an interval of 1-3months are < than 2.0ng/ml, and the free/total PSA ratio is <25%; orf. In a person aged 70 years or older, at least two PSA tests performed within ang. interval of 1-3months are <5.5ng/ml and the free/total PSA ratio is <25%. <p>Note: Relevant family history is a first degree relative with prostate cancer or suspected of carrying a BRCA 1, BRCA 2 mutation.</p> <p>1 in 12 months</p> |

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| 63543 | <p>MRI Prostate</p> <p>Scan of the prostate for the detection of cancer, requested by a specialist in the speciality of urology, radiation oncology or medical oncology the request specifies that the clinical criteria below are met;</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">the patient is under active surveillance following a confirmed diagnosis of prostate cancer by the biopsy histopathology; andThe patient is not planning or undergoing treatment for prostate cancer <p>Benefits are payable for patients with proven diagnosis of prostate cancer following biopsy histopathology who:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">have not had a diagnostic mpMRI, and are placed on active surveillance following confirmed diagnosis; or12 months following confirmed diagnosis and then every third year thereafter; orat any time there is a clinical concern, or concern with PSA progression. <p>Note: Not to be used for the purpose of treatment, planning or for monitoring after treatment.</p> <p>12 months following diagnosis and every 3rd year thereafter or if there is clinical concern</p> |
| 63545 | <p>MRI Liver</p> <p>Scans of liver with a contrast agent, for staging where surgical resection or interventional techniques are under consideration to treat any liver metastases detected, if:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">the patient has a confirmed extra-hepatic primary malignancy (other than hepatocellular carcinoma), with no persistent extra-hepatic disease; andcomputed tomography of the patient's liver is negative or inconclusive for metastatic disease; andthe identification of liver metastases would change the patient's treatment planning <p>1 in 12 months</p> |

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| 63546 | <p>MRI Liver</p> <p>Scan of the liver with a contrast agent, for diagnosis or staging, if:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">the patient has:<ol style="list-style-type: none">known or suspected hepatocellular carcinoma; andchronic liver disease that has been confirmed by a specialist or consultant physician; andthe patient's liver function has been identified as Child Pugh class A or B; andthe patient has an identified hepatic lesion over 10 mm in diameter. <p>1 in 12 months</p> |
| 63461 | <p>MRI Adrenal Mass</p> <p>Scan of the body for adrenal mass in a patient with a malignancy that is otherwise resectable.</p> <p>1 in 12 months</p> |
| 63470 | <p>MRI Pelvis</p> <p>Scan of the pelvis for the staging of histologically diagnosed cervical cancer at FIGO stage 1B or greater, if the request for scan identifies that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">a histological diagnosis of carcinoma of the cervix has been made; andthe patient has been diagnosed with cervical cancer at FIGO stage 1B or greater <p>1 in a lifetime</p> |
| 63473 | <p>MRI Pelvis & Abdomen</p> <p>Scan of the pelvis and upper abdomen, in a single examination, for the staging of histologically diagnosed cervical cancer at FIGO stage 1B or greater, if the request for the scan identifies that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">a histological diagnosis of carcinoma of the cervix has been made; andthe patient has been diagnosed with cervical cancer at FIGO stage 1B or greater <p>1 in a lifetime</p> |

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| 63476 | <p>MRI Pelvis</p> <p>Scan of the pelvis for the initial staging of rectal cancer, if:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">a phased array body coil is used; andthe request for the scan identifies that the indication is for the initial staging of rectal cancer (including cancer of the rectosigmoid and anorectum). <p>1 in a lifetime</p> |
| 63482 | <p>MRCP</p> <p>Scan of pancreas and biliary tree for suspected biliary or pancreatic pathology</p> <p>3 in 12 months</p> |
| 63740 | <p>MRI Pelvis & Abdomen</p> <p>Scan to evaluate small bowel Crohn's disease if the service is provided to a patient for:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">evaluation of disease extent at time of initial diagnosis of Crohn's disease; orevaluation of exacerbation, or suspected complications, of known Crohn's disease; orevaluation of known or suspected Crohn's disease in pregnancy; orassessment of change to therapy in a patient with small bowel Crohn's disease <p>1 in 12 months</p> |
| 63741 | <p>MRI Pelvis & Abdomen</p> <p>Scan with enteroclysis for Crohn's disease if the service is related to item 63740</p> <p>1 in 12 months</p> |
| 63743 | <p>MRI Pelvis & Abdomen</p> <p>Scan for fistulising perianal Crohn's disease if the service is provided to a patient for:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">evaluation of pelvic sepsis and fistulas associated with established or suspected Crohn's disease; orassessment of change to therapy of pelvic sepsis and fistulas from Crohn's disease <p>1 in 12 months</p> |

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| 63399 | <p>Cardiovascular MRI</p> <p>Scan of cardiovascular system for the assessment of myocardial structure and function, if the service is requested by a consultant physician who has assessed the patient, and the request for the scan indicates:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">the patient has suspected myocarditis after receiving a mRNA COVID-19 vaccine; andthe patient had symptom onset within 21 days of a mRNA COVID-19 vaccine administration; andthe results from the following examinations are inconclusive to form a diagnosis of myocarditis:<ol style="list-style-type: none">echocardiogram; andtroponin; andchest X-ray. <p>Once in a lifetime</p> |
| 63395 | <p>Cardiovascular MRI</p> <p>Scan of cardiovascular system for assessment of myocardial structure and function involving:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">dedicated right ventricular views; and3D volumetric assessment of the right ventricle; andreporting of end diastolic and end systolic volumes, ejection fraction and BSA indexed values; if the request for the scan indicates that:the patient presented with symptoms consistent with arrhythmogenic right ventricular cardiomyopathy (ARVC); orinvestigative findings in relation to the patient are consistent with ARVC <p>Once in a lifetime</p> |

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