

## **Attention Hospital, Physician and Outpatient Radiology Providers Effective January 1, 2012 for the Radiology Utilization Management Program (RUM)**

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One new CPT code has been established for Computed Tomographic Angiography (CTA) study of the abdomen and pelvis. The code is 74174, This code becomes effective January 1, 2012 and is included in the Radiology Utilization Management (RUM) program. This code will require prior authorization (PA). The code description is listed below:

- 74174 Computed tomographic angiography; abdomen and pelvis; with contrast material(s), including noncontrast images, if performed, and image postprocessing

If prior authorization (PA) is not obtained for this procedure per the current RUM guidelines then the procedure will not be payable by Louisiana Medicaid. For further information regarding RUM policy and Procedure please visit [www.lamedicaid.com](http://www.lamedicaid.com).

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