

## Mammogram - Diagnostic (77061, 77062, G0279) 220.4

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| <b>Indications:</b>   |
| A diagnostic mammography is a radiological procedure furnished to a man or woman with signs or symptoms of breast disease, or a personal history of breast cancer, or a personal history of biopsy-proven breast disease, and it includes a physician's interpretation of the results of the procedure. |

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| <b>Limitations:</b>  |
| A radiological mammogram is a covered diagnostic test under the following conditions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A patient has distinct signs and symptoms for which a mammogram is indicated;</li> <li>• A patient has a history of breast cancer; or</li> <li>• A patient is asymptomatic but, on the basis of the patient's history and other factors the physician considers significant, the physician's judgment is that a mammogram is appropriate. (Rationale must be documented)</li> </ul> |
| If a woman has no signs and/or symptoms of breast disease, no history of breast cancer, and no personal history of biopsy-proven breast disease, then a <b>Screening test</b> should be ordered, <b>not a Diagnostic test</b> .  |

| <b>Most Common Diagnoses (which meet medical necessity) *</b> |   |
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| C50.011   | Malignant neoplasm of nipple and areola, right breast             |
| C50.012   | Malignant neoplasm of nipple and areola, left breast              |
| C50.111   | Malignant neoplasm of central portion, right breast               |
| C50.112   | Malignant neoplasm of central portion, left breast                |
| C50.211   | Malignant neoplasm of upper-inner quadrant, right breast          |
| C50.212   | Malignant neoplasm of upper-inner quadrant, left breast           |
| C50.311   | Malignant neoplasm of lower-inner quadrant, right breast          |
| C50.312   | Malignant neoplasm of lower-inner quadrant, left breast           |
| C50.411   | Malignant neoplasm upper-outer quadrant, right breast             |
| C50.412   | Malignant neoplasm upper-outer quadrant, left breast              |
| C50.511   | Malignant neoplasm lower-outer quadrant, right breast             |
| C50.512   | Malignant neoplasm lower-outer quadrant, left breast              |
| C50.811   | Malignant neoplasm of overlapping sites, right breast             |
| C50.812   | Malignant neoplasm of overlapping sites, left breast              |
| C77.3   | Secondary malignant neoplasm of axilla and upper limb lymph nodes |
| D05.01  | Lobar carcinoma in situ right breast                              |
| D05.02  | Lobar carcinoma in situ left breast                               |
| D05.11  | Intraductal carcinoma in situ right breast                        |
| D05.12  | Intraductal carcinoma in situ left breast                         |
| D24.1   | Benign neoplasm right breast                                      |
| D24.2   | Benign neoplasm left breast                                       |
| N60.01  | Solitary cyst of right breast                                     |
| N60.02  | Solitary cyst of left breast                                      |

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| N60.11  | Fibrocystic disease, right breast   |
| N60.12  | Fibrocystic disease, left breast  |
| N60.21  | Fibroadenosis, right breast   |
| N60.22  | Fibroadenosis, left breast  |
| N60.41  | Mammary duct ectasia, right breast  |
| N60.42  | Mammary duct ectasia, left breast   |
| N61.1   | Abscess of the breast and nipple  |
| N62     | Hypertrophy of breast   |
| N63.11  | Lump in right breast, upper outer quadrant  |
| N63.12  | Lump in right breast, upper inner quadrant  |
| N63.13  | Lump in right breast, lower outer quadrant  |
| N63.14  | Lump in right breast, lower inner quadrant  |
| N63.15  | Lump in right breast, overlapping quadrants   |
| N63.21  | Lump in left breast, upper outer quadrant   |
| N63.22  | Lump in left breast, upper inner quadrant   |
| N63.23  | Lump in left breast, lower outer quadrant   |
| N63.24  | Lump in left breast, lower inner quadrant   |
| N63.25  | Lump in left breast, overlapping quadrants  |
| N63.31  | Lump in axillary tail of right breast   |
| N63.32  | Lump in axillary tail of left breast  |
| N63.41  | Lump in right breast, subareolar  |
| N63.42  | Lump in left breast, subareolar   |
| N64.4   | Mastodynia  |
| N64.52  | Nipple discharge  |
| R59.0   | Localized enlarged lymph nodes  |
| R92.0   | Mammographic microcalcification found on diagnostic imaging of breast   |
| R92.1   | Mammographic calcification found on diagnostic imaging of breast  |
| R92.2   | Inconclusive mammogram  |
| R92.30  | Dense breasts   |
| R92.313 | Mammographic fatty tissue density, bilateral breasts  |
| R92.323 | Mammographic fibroglandular density, bilateral breasts  |
| R92.343 | Mammographic extreme density, bilateral breasts   |
| Z08     | Encounter for follow-up examination after completed treatment for malignant neoplasm  |
| Z85.3   | Personal history of malignant neoplasm of breast  |
| Z86.000 | Personal history of in-situ neoplasm of breast  |
| Z98.82  | Breast implant status (Note: a screening mammogram may be ordered, instead of diagnostic, for an asymptomatic patient with breast implants, per physician discretion) |

\*Note: See the complete list of Medicare covered diagnoses and payment rules: (After clicking on the link, download the zip file)

<https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Coverage/DeterminationProcess/downloads/CR13391.zip>

National Coverage Determination – Mammograms 220.4:

<https://www.cms.gov/medicare-coverage-database/view/ncd.aspx?ncdid=186&ncdver=1&bc=0>

ACR Breast Imaging Frequently Asked Questions Update 2021:

<https://www.acr.org/-/media/ACR/Files/Advocacy/2021-Breast-Imaging-Frequently-Asked-Questions.pdf>

The above CMS and WPS-GHA guidelines are current as of: 1/01/2024.