Posted on 06-07-2019

## EVICORE TO REVISE RADIOLOGY, CARDIOLOGY, AND MUSCULOSKELETAL CLINICAL GUIDELINES EFFECTIVE AUGUST 1, 2019

**HOT TOPIC** 

Highmark partners with eviCore healthcare (eviCore) to manage our Advanced Imaging and Cardiology Services Program and the Musculoskeletal Surgery and Interventional Pain Management Services Prior Auth Program to ensure patients receive appropriate care based on well-established evidence-based clinical guidelines. eviCore maintains and utilizes the industry's most comprehensive clinical guidelines and Highmark has adopted them for eviCore's use in managing our programs.

eviCore is currently revising their Radiology, Cardiology, and Musculoskeletal Clinical Guidelines. The updates will take effect on August 1, 2019. The changes will include the addition of new guidelines, retiring of some guidelines, and making changes to certain criteria. Highmark will amend our clinical guidelines based on eviCore's modifications. Additional details will be available at evicore.com/healthplan/highmark.

To learn more about these programs, please visit Highmark's Provider Resource Center. The Advanced Imaging and Cardiology Services Program and the Musculoskeletal Surgery and Interventional Pain Management Services Prior Auth Program pages can be accessed under CARE MANAGEMENT PROGRAMS.

You'll find a wealth of information for each program on these pages, including FAQs, Prior Authorization Quick Reference Guides, and presentations on how to submit prior authorization requests to eviCore through NaviNet<sup>®</sup>.

