



*This update contains pertinent information about changes that will impact the Johns Hopkins HealthCare provider network*

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## **Medical Policy Updates Effective Feb. 1, 2022**

**Effective Date:** Feb. 1, 2022

**Health Plans Affected:** Johns Hopkins Advantage MD, Johns Hopkins Employer Health Programs (EHP), Priority Partners, and Johns Hopkins US Family Health Plan (USFHP)

**Type of Change:** Process

**Explanation of Change:** The JHHC Medical Policy Advisory Committee (MPAC) has approved changes and additions to our medical policies. These changes will go into effect Feb. 1, 2022.

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Changes and additions this quarter include:

- CMS24.06—Non-Emergency Ambulance Transportation (New policy)
- CMS02.09—Testing for Hereditary Breast and Ovarian Cancer Syndromes (Previously titled: CMS02.09 Hereditary Cancer Testing: High-Penetrance Breast and Ovarian Cancer)
- CMS03.12—Cosmetic and Reconstructive Services
- CMS05.02—Computed Tomography and Coronary Calcium Scoring (Previously titled: CMS05.02 Computed Tomography and Calcium Scoring)
- CMS11.01—Clinical Practice Guidelines
- CMS15.04—Foot Orthotics
- CMS16.17—Pulse Oximetry
- CMS16.19—Prenatal Obstetrical Ultrasound
- CMS19.08—Speech Devices (Previously titled: CMS19.08 SpeechEasy Fluency Device)
- CMS22.06—Vagus Nerve Stimulation for Depression
- CMS19.02—SkinTag Removal (Policy is retiring and being merged with: CMS03.12 Cosmetic and Reconstructive Services)

To view the full descriptions of these policies, please visit the **Medical Policies** section of the JHHC website on or after the effective date or call Provider Relations at 888-895-4998.

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