

MONTEFIORE CMO DIAGNOSTIC IMAGING
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Physician Type	CPT Codes	DESCRIPTION
Primary Care Physicians: Internal Medicine, Family Practice, Pediatricians	71010 - 71030	Chest imaging
Allergy & Immunology Otolaryngology	76536	Ultrasound, soft tissues of the head and neck
Cardiologists, Nuclear (Including Pediatric Cardiologists, Cardio Electro Physiology Interventional Cardiology, Cardiovascular Thoracic Surgery, Cardiothoracic Surgery)	71010 - 71030 75557, 75559, 75561, 75563, 75565 75571 - 75574 78451 - 78454, 78459 78466, 78468, 78469, 78472, 78473, 78481, 78483, 78491, 78492, 78494, 78496	Chest imaging Cardiac MRI for morphology and function Cardiac MRI, flow mapping (add-on) Cardiac CT and CT angiography Tomographic SPECT studies Myocardial imaging, PET Heart Infarction imaging Cardiac blood pool imaging Cardiac blood pool imaging, SPECT
Cardiologists – Pediatric only	76825 - 76828	Echocardiography, fetal
Endocrinologists (Including Pediatric Endocrinologists)	71010 - 71030 76536 77080, 77081	Chest Imaging Thyroid ultrasound(AACE Accredited Endocrinologist only), DEXA studies bone densitometry
Gastroenterologists (Including Pediatric Gastroenterologists)	71010 - 71030 76975	Chest Imaging, Endoscopic Ultrasound
General Surgeons (Including Pediatric Surgeons)	71010 - 71030	Chest Imaging
Hand Surgeons	71010 - 71030 73100 - 73140 76000	Chest Imaging, Upper extremity imaging Fluoroscopy

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Maternal and Fetal Medicine Neonatal Perinatal Medicine (Including Medical Genetic)	71010 - 71030 G0202 76801 - 76828, 76830 - 76857 76930, 76941, 76945 76946, 76948, 77052, 77057	Chest Imaging, Screening mammography OB Ultrasounds-pelvis Non-OB Ultrasounds Ultrasonic guidance Screening mammography, 3D
Nuclear Medicine	71010 - 71030 70450 - 70492, 71250 - 71270, 72125 - 72133, 72192 - 72194, 73200 - 73202, 73700 - 73702, 74150 - 74170, 74176 - 74178, 77080, 77081 All 78000 nuclear medicine studies are included in this section.	Chest Imaging CT Scan of head/neck, chest/shoulder, arm/hand, leg/foot, spine, pelvis, abdomen, abdomen and pelvis. DXA Bone Density
Nurse Practitioner Nurse Midwife	71010 - 71030 G0202 76815, 76816, 76817 76830 - 76857, 76930, 76941, 76945, 76946, 77052, 77057	Chest imaging Screening Mammography, OB Ultrasounds-pelvis Non-OB Ultrasound Ultrasonic Guidance Screening Mammography, 3D
Obstetrician and Gynecologist	71010-71030, G0202 76801 -76828, 76830 - 76857, 76930, 76941, 76945, 76946, 77052, 77057	Chest Imaging Screening Mammography OB and Non-OB ultrasounds, Ultrasonic guidance Screening Mammography, 3D
Oral/ Maxillofacial Surgeons	71010 - 71030 70100, 70110, 70140, 70150 70300 - 70320 70328, 70330 70350 70355	Chest imaging Mandible and facial bone imaging Teeth imaging TMJ imaging Cephalogram, orthodontic Orthopantogram

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Orthopedists (Including Pediatric Orthopedists) Orthopedic Surgery	71010 - 71030, 71100 - 71111 71120 - 71130 72010 - 72120, 72170, 72190 72200 - 72220 73000 - 73140, 73500 - 73660 76000, 77002, 77003 77071 77073 77077	Chest imaging Radiologic examination, ribs Radiologic examination, sternum Spine and Pelvis imaging Sacrum, Sacroiliac Imaging- Upper and lower extremities Fluoroscopies Radiologic examination, any joint Bone length studies Joint survey
Pain Specialists (physiatrists, anesthesiologists, neurologists, and neurosurgeons, pediatric neurology and pediatric neurosurgery, physical medicine & rehabilitation) Pain Medicine	71010 - 71030 72275 76000 77002 77003	Chest Imaging Epidurography, radiological supervision and interpretation Fluoroscopy (separate procedure), up to one hour physician time, other than 71023 or 71024 (eg, cardiac fluoroscopy) Fluoroscopic guidance for needle placement (e.g., biopsy, aspiration, injection, localization device) Fluoroscopic guidance and localization of needle or catheter tip for spine or paraspinal diagnostic or therapeutic injection procedures including neurolytic agent destruction
Podiatrists (Including podiatric surgery)	71010 - 71030 73620, 73630, 73650, 73660	Chest Imaging Lower extremity imaging
Pulmonologists Pediatric Pulmonology Pulmonary Diseases	71010 - 71030	Chest Imaging

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Radiation Oncologists	71010 - 71030 76376, 76377 76873 76950 77012, 77014	Chest Imaging Computed tomography guidance for placement of radiation therapy fields Prostate volume study for brachytherapy treatment planning Ultrasonic guidance for placement of radiation therapy fields Computed tomography guidance for needle placement
Reproductive Endocrinologists	71010 - 71030 76801 - 76828 76830 - 76857 77080, 77081	Chest Imaging OB Ultrasounds-pelvis, Non-OB Ultrasounds DEXA studies, Bone densitometry
Rheumatologists (Including Pediatric Rheumatologists)	71010 - 71030 72010 - 72120, 72170, 72190, 72200 - 72220 73000 - 73140, 73500 - 73660 76000, 77002, 77003, 77071 77073, 77077 77080, 77081	Chest Imaging Spine and pelvis imaging Sacrum, Sacroiliac Imaging- Upper and lower extremities Fluoroscopies Bone length studies, joint survey DEXA studies, bone densitometry
Urologists (Including Pediatric Urologists)	71010 - 71030 76870, 76872 76873	Chest Imaging Ultrasounds – scrotum, transrectal Prostate volume study for brachytherapy treatment planning
Thoracic Surgeons Cardiothoracic Surgeons	71010 - 71030 78451 - 78454 78469 78472, 78473, 78481, 78483 78494, 78496	Chest Imaging Tomographic SPECT studies Heart infarction imaging Cardiac blood pool imaging, Cardiac blood pool imaging, SPECT