

## Medicare National Coverage Determination (NCD)

### **Topic: National Coverage Determination (NCD) for Screening for the Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Infection (210.7)**

**Decision:** CMS has determined that the evidence is adequate to conclude that screening of HIV infection for all individuals between the ages of 15-65 years is reasonable and necessary for early detection of HIV and is appropriate for individuals entitled to benefits under Part A or enrolled in Part B.

**What this means:** Effective for claims with dates of service on and after April 13, 2015, and later, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS)

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**This announcement can be found at:**

<https://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Guidance/Transmittals/Downloads/R190NCD.pdf>

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