

Medicare National Coverage Determination (NCD)

Topic: Medicare Coverage of Screening for Lung Cancer with Low Dose Computed Tomography (LDCT)

Decision: Medicare covers lung cancer screening with low dose computed tomography (LDCT) if all eligibility requirements listed in the National Coverage Determination(NCD) are met.

What this means: Effective for claims with dates of service on and after <date>, and later, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS)

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This announcement can be found at:

<http://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Guidance/Transmittals/Downloads/R185NCD.pdf>

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