

# Provider Update

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## Cystic Fibrosis testing benefit limit update

**Summary of update:** Effective June 1, 2016, Amerigroup Community Care will limit lab testing for Cystic Fibrosis procedure codes 81220-81224 to once per lifetime.

✦ **What this means to you:** Labs will only be able to bill lab test 81220-81224 once per member per lifetime.

### **What is the impact of this change?**

If a situation occurs where a second testing is needed, a claim may be submitted. However, please note that this claim will be denied and you will need to appeal the denial.

### **Where can I find additional information?**

To verify specific precertification requirement details for CPT codes, visit <https://providers.amerigroup.com/MD> > Quick Tools > *Precertification Lookup*.

### **What if I need assistance?**

If you have questions about this communication, received this fax in error or need assistance with any other item, contact your local Provider Relations representative or call Provider Services at 1-800-454-3730.

