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OVERVIEW:

Effective September 1, 2023, Aetna Better Health of Louisiana will no longer require prior authorization for the set of codes listed below. This is part of a larger optimization initiative intended to improve operational efficiency and reduce unnecessary provider administration activity.

As always, do not hesitate to contact your Aetna Better Health of Louisiana Provider Relations Representative with any questions or comments.

Thank you for your valued partnership in caring for our Aetna Better Health Members.

Code	Code Description
71271	Computed tomography, thorax, low dose for lung cancer screening, without contrast material(s)
81528	Oncology (colorectal) screening, quantitative real-time target and signal amplification of 10 DNA markers (KRAS mutations, promoter methylation of NDRG4 and BMP3) and fecal hemoglobin, utilizing stool, algorithm reported as a positive or negative result

Questions and Support:

For questions, please contact LAProvider@AETNA.com or call 1-855-242-0802 and follow the prompts.