

CHAMPVA POLICY MANUAL

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TITLE: GASTROENTEROLOGY

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II. PROCEDURE CODE(S)

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III. DESCRIPTION

Gastroenterological services are those non-surgical procedures performed to diagnose conditions of the gastrointestinal system.

IV. POLICY

Gastroenterological services are covered when performed by individual professional providers, or by the staff of institutional providers, and medically necessary for diagnosis of a covered condition.

END OF POLICY