Examination for Medicolegal Reasons

ICD-9-CM CODE: V70.4 – Examination for Medicolegal Reasons

ICD-10-CM CODE: Z04.8 – Encounter for examination and observation for other specified reasons

Indications for use: The diagnosis above is to be billed as the primary diagnosis, secondary diagnosis, or tertiary diagnosis appended to Laboratory Services and Evaluation & Management Services.

ND Medicaid General Information for Providers Manual: Routine Drug Screens and Paternity Testing are on the list of Non-Covered Services. Drug Screens must be Medically Necessary.

COVERED INDICATIONS:
- Pain Management Drug Screenings

NON-COVERED INDICATIONS:
- Paternity Testing
- Blood Alcohol Screenings for Jail Clearance
- Urine or Blood Drug Screening at the Parental Request
- Urine or Blood Drug Screening at the County Request
- Urine or Blood Drug Screening at the Court/Legal Request