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DIAGNOSTIC NEUROIMAGING
Healthcare Provider Taxonomy Code Set

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2085D0003X Diagnostic Neuroimaging (Radiology) Physician

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Taxonomy Code	2085D0003X
Status	Active
Level	Level III Area of Specialization
Short Name	Diagnostic Neuroimaging
Full Name	Diagnostic Neuroimaging (Radiology) Physician
Level I, Provider Grouping	Allopathic & Osteopathic Physicians
Level II, Classification	Radiology
Description	A licensed physician, who has completed a residency program in Neurology, and who has additional training, experience, and competence in the standards of performance and interpretation of Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI / MRA) of the head, spine, and peripheral nerves, and Computed Tomography (CT) of the head and spine. Physicians are trained in the administration of contrast media and the recognition and treatment of adverse reactions to contrast media. Neuroimaging training encompasses thorough knowledge of clinical neurology, neurophysiology, neuroanatomy, neurochemistry, neuropharmacology, and dynamics of cerebrospinal fluid circulation. Physicians possess special expertise in the technical aspects and clinical applications of each of the modalities and techniques of neuroimaging.
Additional Information	Source: American Academy of Neurology, www.aan.com [1/1/2007: new]

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