

Medical policy and clinical guideline updates - June 2021*

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This following updates are for Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield in Indiana, Kentucky, Missouri, Ohio and Wisconsin.

Clinical guideline retraction

We previously announced that clinical guideline, **CG-DME-42 Non-implantable Insulin Infusion and Blood Glucose Monitoring Devices**, would be adopted effective February 1, 2021. A decision has been made to **not adopt this guideline**.

Medical policy update

Anthem will be implementing changes to the medical policy shown below that is currently adopted.

DME.00009 – Vacuum Assisted Wound Therapy will require precertification effective September 1, 2021

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