

41518.4 Diseases of the Digestive System

CCS applicants with at least one of the following conditions shall be eligible for participation in the CCS program:

(a)

Diseases of the liver including: (1) Acute liver failure; (2) Chronic liver disease;

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(2)

Chronic liver disease;

(b)

Disorders of the gastrointestinal tract including: (1) Chronic inflammatory diseases requiring complex ongoing medical management or surgical intervention such as pancreatitis, peptic ulcer, ulcerative colitis, regional enteritis, diverticulitis, and cholecystitis; (2) Chronic intestinal failure; or (3) Gastroesophageal reflux when: (A) It is part of or complicates the management of a CCS-eligible condition; or (B) It is an isolated condition with complications such as esophageal stricture or chronic aspiration pneumonia.

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Chronic inflammatory diseases requiring complex ongoing medical management or surgical intervention such as pancreatitis, peptic ulcer, ulcerative colitis, regional enteritis, diverticulitis, and cholecystitis;

(2)

Chronic intestinal failure; or

(3)

Gastroesophageal reflux when: (A) It is part of or complicates the management of a CCS-eligible condition; or (B) It is an isolated condition with complications such as esophageal stricture or chronic aspiration pneumonia.

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(B)

It is an isolated condition with complications such as esophageal stricture or chronic aspiration pneumonia.

(c)

Congenital anomalies of the digestive system that meet the criteria of section 41518.8.