

Chapter 5

Section 3.3

Hyperthermia

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1.0 POLICY

Hyperthermia is covered for those indications documented by reliable evidence as safe, effective and comparable or superior to standard care (proven).

2.0 EXCLUSION

Whole body hyperthermia in the treatment of cancer is unproven. Hyperthermia for recurrent breast cancer is unproven.

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