## Comments for Chapter 528 Radiology Services

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1	7/21/2015	In regard to the Radiology Services Chapter 528 policy changes, the West Virginia State Medical Association (WVSMA) respectfully recommends the following modification: Under 528.1.3 AUTHORIZATION, current text reads, in part, as follows: Radiology services require a written order which includes the original signature of the member's treating provider, date test was ordered, member's diagnosis, and the specific test or procedure requested. Because medical orders are commonly submitted electronically by providers, the WVSMA recommends that the language should be changed to state: Radiology services require a written <u>or</u> <u>electronic</u> order which includes the original signature of the member's treating provider, date test was ordered, member's diagnosis, and the specific test or procedure requested.	Change	The words "or electronic" have been added to the proposed radiology order requirements in Section 528.1.3 Authorization.	