## Case study

The University of Michigan Health System, a 1,100-bed academic medical center, instituted a prior authorization gold card program to reduce costs, expedite care and improve ordering behavior with CareSelect® Imaging.

## **Solution** Goals Reduce the time and effort of the prior authorization process

Coordinated with payer to use CareSelect Imaging scores for advanced imaging studies to automatically approve high-utility orders

## Results



\$250,000<sup>1</sup>

estimated savings from write-offs and one FTE due to the reduction of peer-to-peer reviews



## 0 days

imaging exams were scheduled and performed immediately in place of waiting days for authorization, helping expedite patient care



"This has been a win-win for patients, the payer and for us. Patients have faster access to care, and time and money is saved by bypassing the traditional prior authorization process."

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- 1. Based on previous 12-month data.
- 2. Title provided for identification purposes only. The views and opinions expressed are those of the individual only and do not necessarily reflect the positions of the University of Michigan.

