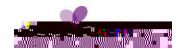
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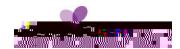
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attach to the vehicle's restraint anchorage system. The agency added a height provision to make the new standard's applicability clear to booster seat manufacturers who choose not to label their restraints with a weight.

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transportation of persons with special needs provide guidance for appropriate equipment selection and use.

- III. A special needs car seat will not be considered medical necessary for any of the following:
 - A. The special needs car seat is a more recent advancement in technology when the member's current special needs car seat can meet the member's basic medical/functional needs.
 - B. The special needs car seat is considered investigational, experimental, or has unproven medical indications for use.
- E. Conditions of Coverage N/A
- F. Related Policies/Rules N/A

G. Review/Revision History

	DATE	ACTION
Date Issued	03/01/2023	New policy. Approved at committee.
Date Revised	02/28/2024	Annual review: editorial changes, adjustment to car seats definition, added Section D.I.C-D., D.I.E.2, and D.II-III., updated the references. Approved at Committee.
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