**Provider Checklist-Outpatient – Imaging**

**Checklist: Ultrasound- Transrectal (TRUS)**

**(CPT Code: 76872)**

All Indications **[\*One has to be present**]

 **\***Suspected prostate cancer [**One has to be present**]

 Hard nodule/induration of prostate by DRE (Digital Rectal Exam)

 PSA abnormality [**One has to be present**]

 PSA ≥ 4 ng/mL

 PSA velocity ≥ 0.75 ng/mL/yr

 Percent free PSA < 25

 Age−specific PSA elevated and prostatectomy planned [**One has to be present**]

 -1 Age ≥ 40 and ≤ 49 −PSA > 2.5 ng/mL

 -2 Age ≥ 50 and ≤ 59 −PSA > 3.5 ng/mL

 **\***Evaluation for local extension of rectal cancer

 **\***Suspected rectovaginal endometriosis [**All have to be present**]

 Chronic, recurrent pelvic pain

 Symptoms [**One has to be present**]

 Dysmenorrheal

 Dyspareunia

 Dyschezia

 Findings [**All have to be present**]

 Palpable nodules in the rectovaginal septum

 U/A or urine culture normal

 Gonorrhea test negative

 No chlamydia by DNA/antibody testing