Your doctor’s request for a(n) Transthoracic Echocardiogram has been denied.  
• NIA Clinical Guideline 067 for Transthoracic Echocardiogram was used to make this decision.  
• Your doctor’s request can’t be approved. This decision was based on the notes that were sent (you have a breast problem).  
• Before we can approve the request, the following notes should be sent: doctor's notes that give the findings of the test (Transthoracic Echocardiogram) that was already approved. That test was approved on 1/28/2022. If this test was done, we need to know why another test is needed. These were not included in the information we received.  
• It is suggested that you follow up with your doctor for the next step in your care.