# Nursing Facility Partners in Care Newsletter Spring 2017



Randy Langford, Administrator and staff of Pleasant Manor Health and Rehabilitation receive their MQL Plaque and pay-for-quality check.

# Molina Quality Living Program - Over \$1.7 Million Awarded to Nursing Facilities!

The Molina Quality Living (MQL) Program has now hit a 2 year anniversary as of March 1<sup>st</sup> 2017! Molina was the first Managed Care Organization (MCO) to offer a pay-for-quality program with the Nursing Facility Carve-In. The program was designed to reward and encourage quality in nursing facilities.

The outcomes of the Molina Quality Living Program are impressive:

- Over \$1.7 Million Awarded from March 1<sup>st</sup> 2015 December 31<sup>st</sup> 2016!
- 3,158 MQL Activities conducted in NFs
- 67,287 Resident lives enriched through attendance at MQL activities
- 75+ Molina Staff Volunteers participated in the MQL activities
- Almost 20% of Molina NF Members now reside in MQL qualified nursing facilities

In order to qualify for the MQL program, a nursing facility must be rated by CMS as an overall 4 or 5 star rating and have a minimum of 20 Molina Healthcare members. Once those thresholds have been met, certain CMS Quality Measures are reviewed. If the facility meets and/ or exceeds both the National and the State average for those Quality

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#### Important Phone Numbers:

Customer Service: (866) 449-6849

Provider Services: (866) 449-6849 (Or call your assigned Provider Services Representative)

Utilization Management: (855) 322-4080

Service Coordination: Phone: (866) 409-0039 Fax: (866) 420-3639

Nursing Facility Questions/Issues: NFProviderservices@ molinahealthcare.com

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Measures, then an additional \$10.00 per resident per month is awarded for each of those measures for a maximum of \$70 per resident per month. Payments are made on a quarterly basis.

Other benefits of the MQL program include Molina sponsored activities as conducted by the Nursing Facility Community Engagement Coordinators, as well as \$250 - \$500 per quarter in supplies support. Each nursing facility also receives a plaque, recognition on the Molina website and VIP servicing.

For more information on the Molina Quality Living Program, please email: NFProviderServices@Molinahealthcare.com.

# Nursing Facility Provider Satisfaction Survey Results

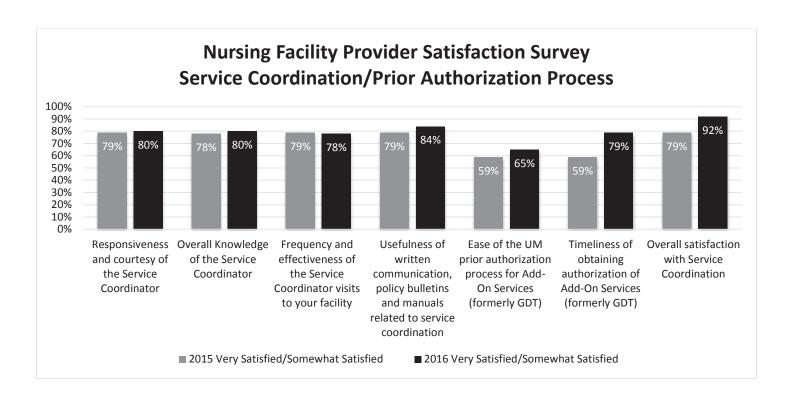
Nursing Facility Provider Satisfaction Surveys were completed in the Fall of 2015 as well as the Fall of 2016. The goal of the Provider Satisfaction Survey is to identify opportunities for improvement in meeting the Nursing Facilities expectations.

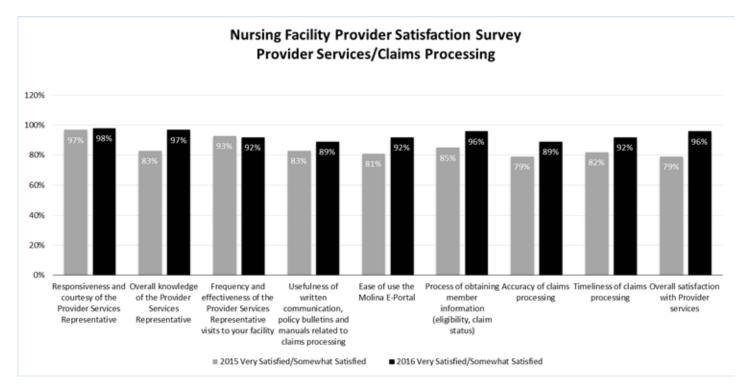
Each person that completed the survey was entered into a drawing for a \$100 gift card. Congratulations to the Assistant Business Office Manager at Gulf Healthcare Center on winning the drawing.

Surveys were completed regarding Provider Services (mainly dealing with claims) and Service Coordination of members. Generally, year over year, NF satisfaction has improved. Since one of Molina's key company values is "feedback is a gift", we always have opportunity to improve.

The feedback is used to create performance improvement plans to better meet the needs and expectations of nursing facilities.







# Community Engagement Spotlight: Meaningful Moments – Dallas Museum of Art

The Molina Quality Living Program partnered with the Dallas Museum of Art to host a "Meaningful Moments Day" for nursing facility residents living with dementia. This outing offered a unique opportunity to learn about art, as well as create an environment to relive old memories.

Nursing Facility Residents, escorted by 10 Molina Staff volunteers, were provided a private tour by a Museum Director, where they:

- viewed specific pieces from the European Art Collection which allowed residents to reminisce about old memories
- held pieces of art from the collection to promote a stimulative reaction
- created a special art project with the Museum's Art Director for the residents to take home as a memory of their trip to the Dallas Museum of Art



Texercise Classic is a 12 week exercise program, conducted once per week, which can fit easily into any activity calendar and can be adapted to best fit the health and wellness needs of residents. Regular exercise can be a major factor in preventing and minimizing a variety of chronic conditions often found in the elderly.

Activities Directors are invited to attend a training session sponsored by HHS and Molina to learn how to conduct the program, and pick-up a Texercise Coordinator Kit for easy implementation.

Contact NFProviderServices@Molinahealthcare.com for more information and dates of training in your area.







# Marketplace Plans (Health Care Exchange)

Molina Marketplace is insurance coverage for those who enroll through the Health Care Exchange. Molina offers several choices with regard to Marketplace plans, including Gold, Silver and Bronze. All Marketplace plans offer a 25 days per year SNF benefit. Prior authorization is necessary in order to be paid for a skilled nursing facility stay.

Marketplace requires a separate contract with Molina or a Single Case Agreement (SCA). Verification of benefits is crucial due to the varying plans, deductibles, co-pays and out of pocket expenses as well as the number of SNF days previously used.

#### **Marketplace Claims**

- Follow UB04 Medicare claim format
  - File claim directly on Molina Portal
  - Electronic claim submission
  - Clean Claims for Marketplace will be adjudicated within 30 days of submission
- Filing Deadlines
  - 95 Days from the beginning date of service; OR
  - 95 Days after the date on the Remittance and Status (R&S) Report or explanation of payment from another carrier or contractor
- Claims corrections, appeals, and reconsiderations must be completed within <u>120 days from the remittance</u> advice date

# Change of Ownership (CHOW) Contracting Reminders

Any change of ownership requires a new contract to be executed for custodial care, SNF, Marketplace and MMP. As with all CHOWs, the outgoing owner will be placed on vendor hold by HHSC approximately 30 days prior to the effective date, therefore Molina will be unable to process those claims until the vendor hold is lifted by HHSC.

The new owner should not bill for services via TMHP or directly on the Molina portal until after checking with the assigned Provider Services Representative (PSR) to assure that the new ownership is properly set up in the Molina claims payment system.

To request a new contract please contact: TexasExpansionContracting@molinahealthcare.com

If you have any further questions, please contact your PSR or email: NFProviderServices@Molinahealthcare.com

# **Utilization Management Department**

#### **New Policy – Members returning to the same NF after hospitalization**

In response to the urgency of an existing NF member returning from the hospital to the same NF while requiring skilled care, Molina has adopted a modified prior authorization process to allow the quick movement of the member.

Prior Authorization (PA) is required for Skilled Care (SNF). The NF has up to 72 hours to submit the PA request for member returning to the same NF after a hospitalization.

Prior Authorization Process for returning members only:

- NF must submit PA request for SNF and supporting documentation within 72 hours of admission
- Medical necessity must be met for SNF
- Reimbursed at the Medicare SNF RUG rate back to the date of admission (no more than 72 hours) if the PA meets medical necessity for SNF
  - If the PA does not meet medical necessity, the NF will be reimbursed at the contracted Custodial RUG rate

## Mental Health/Behavioral Health Services

The following benefits are available to Molina members and are a responsibility of the Health Plan:

- Mental health hospitalization
- Mental health outpatient services
- Psychotropic Drugs
- Mental health services within the scope of primary care physician
- Psychologists
- Psychiatrists

For Nursing Facility members, prior authorization must be obtained for the following behavioral health codes *before* services are rendered at the nursing facility. The Behavioral Health provider is responsible for obtaining prior authorization.

90791	Psych diagnostic evaluation	90847	Family psytx w/patient
90792	Psych diag eval w/med srvcs	99211	Office/outpatient visit est
90832	Psytx pt&/family 30 minutes	99212	Office/outpatient visit est
90834	Psytx pt&/family 45 minutes	99213	Office/outpatient visit est
90837	Psytx pt&/family 60 minutes	99214	Office/outpatient visit est
90846	Family psytx w/o patient	99215	Office/outpatient visit est

# **Custom Powered Wheel Chairs (CPWC)**

Custom Powered Wheel Chairs are a benefit available to nursing facility members as an Add-On Service. The CPWC requires prior authorization that must be obtained by the DME vendor, but requires collaboration between the NF and the DME vendor. Health and Human Services produced very specific guidelines regarding qualifying for CPWC, which includes a trial in a chair by a resident. HHSC also clarified in the guidance that the nursing facility is responsible for the routine maintenance and repair, including battery replacement of the member's CPWC. Please refer to the link for more complete guidance from HHSC regarding CPWC. https://hhs.texas.gov/sites/hhs/files//documents/laws-regulations/handbooks/sph/policy-updates/16-04-11\_003.pdf

## **Service Coordination**

#### **Nursing Facility Notifications to Service Coordination**

Nursing Facilities are contractually obligated to notify Molina Service Coordination of certain events that occur with Molina members. These notifications can be done via email, fax or phone, but always must be in a <a href="https://example.com/HIPAA"><u>HIPAA</u></a> <a href="https://example.com/HIPAA"><u>compliant manner.</u></a>

The NF should notify Molina Service Coordination within one business day of the following events:

- Unplanned admission or discharge to a hospital or other acute facility, skilled bed, or another nursing home; long term care services and support (community/home).
- Adverse change in a member's physical or mental condition or environment that could potentially lead to hospitalization.
- Emergency room visit.

#### Other Notifications:

- Notify the Service Coordinator of any allegations of abuse or neglect or reportable incidents to DADS that involves a Molina member.
  - Provide the Service Coordinator with a copy of the DADS Investigative Report (form 3616A) and supporting documentation for any incident reported to DADS that involves a Molina member.
- Notifying the Service Coordinator of any other important circumstances such as the relocation of residents due to a natural disaster.
- Notifying the Service Coordinator if a member moves into hospice care.
- Notifying the MCO Service Coordinator within 72 hours of a member's death.

# **Medical Transportation**

#### **Emergency Transportation**

When a Member's condition is life-threatening and requires use of special equipment, life support systems, and close monitoring by trained attendants while en route to the nearest appropriate facility, emergency transportation is thus required. Emergency transportation includes but is not limited to ambulance, air, or boat transports.

Emergency Ambulance Transportation does NOT require authorization.

#### **Non-Emergency Ambulance transportation**

Molina Healthcare is responsible for authorizing non-emergency ambulance transportation for a Member whose medical condition is such that the use of an ambulance is the only appropriate means of transportation. (i.e., alternate means of transportation are medically contra-indicated.)

- All billing and payment occurs directly between the Ambulance provider and Molina
- Please refer to HHSC Guidance on NF Non-Emergency Transportation (9/4/15): https://hhs.texas.gov/services/health/medicaid-and-chip/provider-information/contracts-and-manuals/texas-medicaid-and-chip-uniform-managed-care-manual
- Nursing Facility providers must obtain authorization
- Ambulance providers must be contracted and credentialed with Molina

#### **Routine Non-Emergency transportation**

The Nursing Facility is responsible for providing routine non-emergency transportation services.

- The cost of such transportation is included in the Nursing Facility Unit Rate.
- Transports of the Nursing Facility Members for rehabilitative treatment (e.g., physical therapy) to outpatient departments, or to physician's offices are not reimbursable services by Molina Healthcare.

# Nursing Facility Respite Care Guide

#### **Prior Authorization Process**

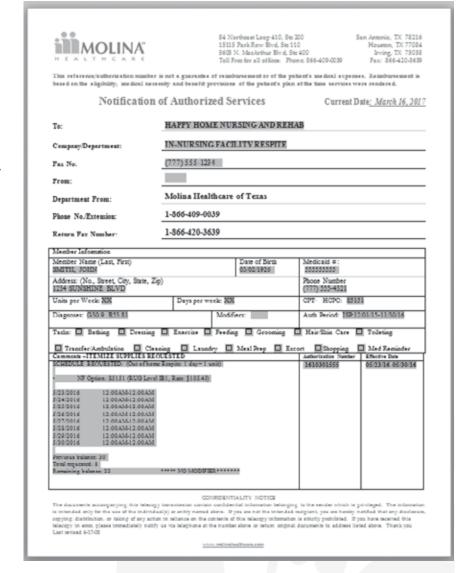
When a member's caregiver determines that a respite stay in a Nursing Facility is required, the caregiver will notify Molina Member Services to initiate the process. A Molina Healthcare Service Coordinator will assist the caregiver in determining placement and will coordinate with the Utilization Management Department to issue the authorization to the Nursing Facility.

See below an example of "Notification of Authorized Services" that is faxed to the Nursing Facility prior to the respite stay.

#### **Respite Care Claims Criteria**

- Clean Claims will be adjudicated within 30 days of submission
- All respite claims should follow the UB04 claims format
- Claims must be filed directly on the Molina E-Portal, as TMHP is not an option for respite billing
- Filing Deadlines
  - 95 Days from the beginning date of service; OR
  - 95 Days after the date on the Remittance and Status (R&S) Report or explanation of payment from another carrier or contractor.

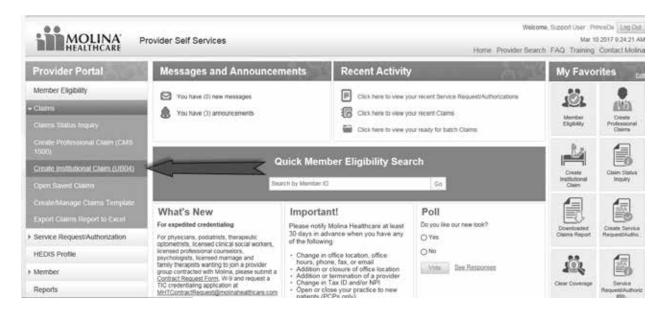
Claims corrections, appeals, and reconsiderations must be completed within 120 days from the remittance advice date



#### Filing Respite Claims in the Molina E-Portal

From the Molina E-Portal home page, select "Claims"

From the left side bar, select "Create Instutional Claims (UB04)"



Enter the Member number or Medicaid number and authorized service dates (Member demograhics will self populate)

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	OR Last Name: First Name: AND	Date of Birth: (mm/dd/ <sub>a</sub>				
	Statement From Date: 05/23/2016					
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l	Last Name: Member Last Name First Name: Municipal Munici	Middle Initial:				
l	Insured's ID: Member Method In DOB: Ask	Sex: F				
ı	Address2: Monitor Address  City: MOUSTON State: TX	Zip Code: 77025				
l	Insured Group Number: MHC TX Employer Name:	Ep code: 17025				
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Patient Information NOTE: If Patient is the insured, Patient information will be automatically populated  Patient Relationship to Insured:  18-Self						
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The following fields will need to completed:

Is there another Health Benefit Plan: This is usually not applicable in Respite billing.

*Type of Bill -NF options -* select the type of bill using the look up window and/or the following guidelines:

- 211 admit-discharge same month
- 212 admit- still a patient
- 213 continuing stay claim
- 214 discharge claim

Admission Date - Enter the Date of admission/start date of the prior authorization

*Admission Type* - Elective

Admission Source - Utilize the lookup window for the appropriate code

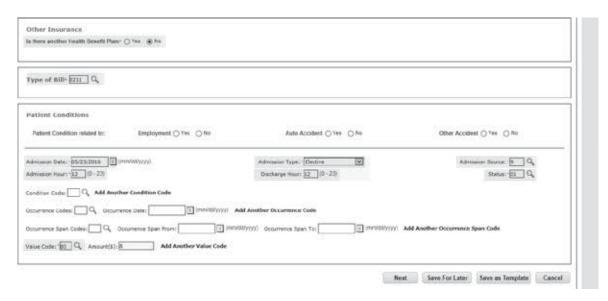
Admission Hour - Enter the time the member entered the facility

Discharge Hour - Enter the time the member left the facility

Status - utilize the look up window for the appropriate code

Value Code - Enter 80 as that is the code denoting covered days

Amount – Enter the number of authorized days



Select the "Next" button at the bottom of the screen.

*Billing Provider Information* - Select the billing provider from the drop down list of facilities. When the facility is selected, information will self populate.



Patient Control Number - facility indentification number (medical record number)

Revenue Code - should always be 0663

HCPCS – should always be S5151, as stated on the authorization

Service date - Is the beginning date of the claim (our portal uses this date to count forward)

Service Units - number of days billed/authorized

Total Charges - The daily rate is listed on the authorization

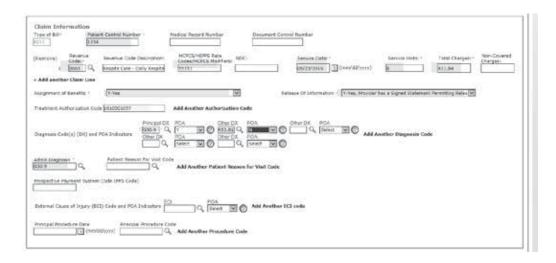
Assignment of benefits - select the appropriate response from the drop down box

Release of information - select the appropriate response from the drop down box

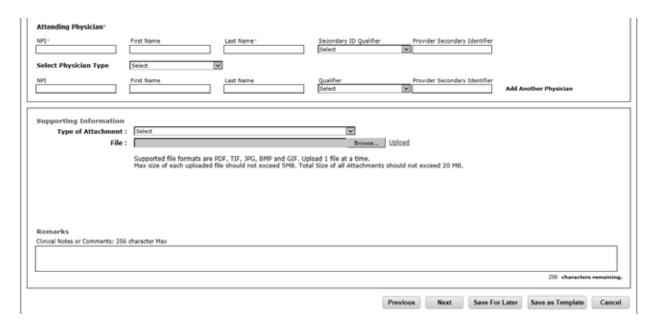
*Authorization Number* – The authorization number is printed on the Prior Authorization form

Diagnosis codes – The diagnosis code is printed on the Prior Authorization form

POA - (Present on Admission) is not a required field



Complete the physician information.



Select the "Next" button from the bottom of the screen.



At this point, the "Expand All" button can be utilized to view the completed UB04.

After reviewing the claim, select "submit claim".

# **Provider Training Events**

Join us and learn more about being a Molina STAR+PLUS and MMP Nursing Facility Provider. Molina's Provider Training sessions offer an opportunity to learn about upcoming changes and information on Care Coordination, Prior Authorizations, Claims, Billing and the benefits of being a Molina provider. Molina representatives will be available to answer your questions.

#### Webinar

Friday, May 5, 2017 10:00 a.m. CST

Go to: <a href="https://molina.webex.com/molina/j.php?MTID">https://molina.webex.com/molina/j.php?MTID</a>

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US Toll Free: 855-665-4629 Meeting Number: 806 583 473

#### Webinar

Friday, June 16, 2017 10:00 a.m. CST

Go to: <a href="https://molina.webex.com/molina/j.php?MTID">https://molina.webex.com/molina/j.php?MTID</a>

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US Toll Free: 855-665-4629 Meeting Number: 804 886 510

#### Webinar

Friday, July 28, 2017 10:00 a.m. CST

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US Toll Free: 855-665-4629 Meeting Number 806 714 559

#### Webinar

Friday, September 8, 2017

10:00 a.m. CST

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Toll Free: 855-665-4629 Meeting Number: 804 900 468

#### Webinar

Friday, October 20, 2017

10:00 a.m. CST

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Toll Free: 855-665-4629 Meeting Number: 808 839 527

#### Webinar

Friday, December 1, 2017

10:00 a.m. CST

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Toll Free: 855-665-4629

Meeting Number: 805 253 869

If you have any questions, please email Molina Healthcare Nursing Facility Provider Services at NFProviderservices@molinahealthcare.com.

#### **Resources and Links:**

NFProviderServices@MolinaHealthcare.com – any questions related to nursing facilities can be directed to this email box. The box is monitored daily and questions are routed to the most appropriate department to provide the response.

#### **Nursing Facilities Partners in Care Spring 2015 Newsletter**

Common Reasons for NF Claims Denials

http://www.molinahealthcare.com/providers/tx/medicaid/comm/PDF/TX-medicaid-provider-newsletterspring-2015.pdf

#### **Nursing Facilities Partners in Care Fall/Winter 2015 Newsletter**

- Common Reasons for NF Claims Denials
- Correcting Denied Claims in the Molina E-Portal
- Claims Report in Excel
- NF Provider Issue Log
- NOMNC Process
- Non-Emergency Ambulance Transportation Authorizations

http://www.molinahealthcare.com/providers/tx/medicaid/comm/PDF/Nursing-Facility-Fall-2015.pdf

#### **Nursing Facilities Partners in Care Fall 2016 Newsletter**

- Prior Authorization SNF and Therapy
- Market Place Plans
- Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT)
- "Money Follows the Person" program (MFP)
- Claim Tid-Bits
- Claim Correction Tips
- Claim Appeals

http://www.molinahealthcare.com/providers/tx/medicaid/comm/PDF/Fall-Newsletter-2016.pdf

# Add-On Therapy Services (formerly known as Goal Directed Therapy) Prior Authorization and Claim Filing Process

http://www.molinahealthcare.com/providers/tx/PDF/Medicaid/Nursing-Facility-STAR-PLUS-Add-on-therapy-prior-authorization-and-claim-filing-process.pdf

#### **Prior Authorization Guide/Form**

http://www.molinahealthcare.com/providers/tx/medicaid/forms/PDF/MHT-Prior-Auth-Guide-Q1-2017.pdf http://www.molinahealthcare.com/providers/tx/medicaid/forms/PDF/2017-MHT-PA-Code-Matrix-Q1-1-1-17.pdf

#### **Behavioral Heath Prior Authorization Form**

http://www.molinahealthcare.com/providers/tx/medicaid/forms/PDF/ Behavioral-Health-Prior-Authorization-Form.pdf

#### **NF Explanation of Payment Guide**

http://www.molinahealthcare.com/providers/tx/PDF/Medicaid/nursing-facility-explanation-of-payment-guide.pdf

#### **NF Provider Manual**

http://www.molinahealthcare.com/providers/tx/medicaid/manual/PDF/Provider-Manual-Nursing-Facility.pdf

#### **NF Provider Orientation – STAR+PLUS**

http://www.molinahealthcare.com/providers/tx/medicaid/comm/PDF/Provider-Orientation-STARPLUS-Nursing-Facility.pdf

#### **NF Provider Orientation – MMP (Medicare Medicaid Program)**

http://www.molinahealthcare.com/providers/tx/PDF/Medicaid/nursing-facility-medicare-medicaid-plan-provider-training.pdf

#### HHSC Guidance on NF Non-Emergency Transportation (9/4/15)

https://hhs.texas.gov/services/health/medicaid-and-chip/provider-information/contracts-and-manuals/texas-medicaid-and-chip-uniform-managed-care-manual

#### **HHSC regarding CPWC**

https://hhs.texas.gov/sites/hhs/files//documents/laws-regulations/handbooks/sph/policy-updates/16-04-11\_003.pdf

#### The Molina "Contract Request Form"

http://www.molinahealthcare.com/providers/tx/medicaid/forms/PDF/33216\_TX\_%20Medicaid\_Contract\_Request\_Form\_Final.pdf



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