

## Over 900 Codes Removed

### Molina's Prior Authorization Reduction Update:

The Prior Authorization Code Matrix was recently updated based on thorough review of authorization data.

As a result, 901 CPT/HCPCs codes were removed to improve provider and member experience.

The retrospective effective date of service for these changes is 08/01/2015.

### Q&A's:

#### ***Why did Molina Healthcare make this change?***

- Increase provider satisfaction by reducing administrative burdens
- Decrease the number of CPT/HCPC codes requiring prior authorization
- Decrease claims processing time frame
- Improve members access to care
- Increase member satisfaction

#### ***What is the effective date of this change?***

The effective date of this change is on dates of service 08/01/15 and after.

#### ***Where can I find the updated list that shows Molina Healthcare's Prior Authorization guidelines?***

Molina Healthcare provides a current Codification list online in the Forms Section on the web portal. This list is updated on a quarterly basis.

- **2015 MHU Codification list**

<http://www.molinahealthcare.com/providers/ut/medicaid/forms/Pages/fuf.aspx>

- See Impacted codes attached on page 2-3

### Q&A's Continued

#### ***Will Molina Healthcare automatically reprocess claims that were denied requiring an Authorization that processed before this implementation?***

Yes, Molina Healthcare has implemented a process to have the claims effected by this change to be adjusted accordingly. If you have any claims you feel have not been processed according to these guidelines, please contact your Provider Relations representative.

#### ***What services have been impacted by this change?***

- Outpatient Services

#### ***What Specialty and Categories are included in this change?***

- Dialysis
- Hospice
- Dental Anesthesia
- Durable Medical Equipment (DME)
- Radiation Therapy & Radio Surgery
- PT/OP/ST/Habilitative Therapy
- Sleep Studies
- Wound Therapies
- OP Hospital/ASC procedures
- Prosthetics & Orthotics
- Rehab OP Services
- Cosmetic Plastic & Reconstructive Procedures
- Unlisted/Misc./T Codes
- Neuropsychological & Psychological testing
- Imaging Advanced & Specialty

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