



Changes to Prior Authorization Requirements

July 30, 2019

Dear Provider,

Molina Healthcare of New York, Inc. is pleased to announce changes to the current prior authorization requirements. The authorization changes will take effect on 10/1/2019. The details of those changes are outlined below.

Effective: 10/1/2019

The following CPT/HCPCS codes will require prior authorization before the services are rendered.

81221	Genetic Testing
81205	Genetic Testing

64450	Pain Management
76810	OB Ultrasound

Children’s Home and Community Based Services (HCBS)

Prior authorization will be required for the following CPT/HCPCS codes for Children’s Health and Community Based Services (HCBS). List of codes is continued on the next page:

H2014	Caregiver Family Supports and Services
T2015	Prevocational Services
H2015	Community Advocacy and Support
H2023	0

97124	Palliative Care Massage Therapy
96152	Palliative Care Expressive Therapy
S5150*	Planned Respite; Individual (up to 4 hours); *Concurrent auth is required if utilization within a calendar year is greater than 7 days
S5151*	Crisis Respite; per diem (12+ hours, less than 24 hours); *Concurrent auth is required if utilization within a calendar year is greater than 7 days



Children’s Home and Community Based Services (HCBS) Continued

Prior authorization will be required for the following CPT/HCPCS codes for Children’s Health and Community Based Services (HCBS):

99342	Palliative Care Pain and Symptom Management; 30 minutes
99347	Palliative Care Pain and Symptom Management; 15 minutes
90832	Palliative Care Bereavement Services
T2039	Vehicle Modifications

T2020	Day HCBS Habilitation
H2014	Community HCBS Habilitation
S5165	Environmental Modifications
T2028	Adaptive and Assistive Equipment

The Codification Matrix on our website has been updated and posted with the above referenced changes. In addition, this notification will be posted to our website for future reference. Should you have any questions regarding the new prior authorization requirements, please contact Molina Healthcare’s Utilization Management Department at 1-877-872-4716. Thank you for your continued cooperation.

Sincerely,

Utilization Management
Molina Healthcare of New York, Inc.