

MOLINA HEALTHCARE OF TEXAS

Comprehensive Medical Care of Patients with Obesity

Molina Healthcare has adopted the Guidelines for the Comprehensive Medical Care of Patients with Obesity from the American Association of Clinical Endocrinologists (AACE).

The guideline was reviewed and adopted most recently by the Molina Healthcare National Quality Improvement Committee on April 3, 2019.

Clinical guidelines are not used by Molina to decide benefit coverage. The guidelines are an educational tool to aid clinical decision-making. They are not a standard of care. The physician should adapt the guideline when clinical judgment so indicates.

The Clinical Practice Guideline may be accessed at: <u>https://aace.com/files/guidelines/ObesityExecutiveSummary.pdf</u>