

Provider Memorandum

Molina Retaining Ophthalmology Claims and Utilization Management

Molina Healthcare of Illinois (Molina) announces that it will **keep all ophthalmology services in house**, including Claims and Utilization Management. This includes **all ophthalmology providers and facilities**, and **all medical eye care**, including cataract surgery. It was previously announced that ophthalmology was to be delegated to Avēsis effective January 1, 2022.

All routine vision care and optometry is still delegated to Avēsis as of August 1, 2021. Optometry providers are encouraged to join the Avēsis provider network, as we continually strive to eliminate gaps in care. Contact Avēsis Provider Services at (855) 214-6777 or EyeCareServicesCredentialing@avēsis.com. You can also start the process on the Avēsis Provider Contracting page.

Questions?

We're here to help. Contact your Provider Network Manager or email the Provider Network Management team at MHILProviderNetworkManagement@MolinaHealthcare.com. For help identifying your Provider Network Manager, visit Molina's Service Area page at MolinaHealthcare.com.

Availity Provider Portal

We continue our transition to the Molina Availity Provider Portal, a tool that streamlines your claims management, authorizations, and eligibility/benefit verification. Are you registered yet? <u>Click here</u> to get started.

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Note: Molina's website and documents are best viewed in Google Chrome or Microsoft Edge.