

Marketplace National Regional Benefit Interpretation Document

Benefit Name	SERVICES/COMPLICATIONS RELATED TO NON-COVERED SERVICES
Applicable State	California, Florida, Idaho, Illinois, Kentucky, Michigan, Mississippi, Nevada, New Mexico, Ohio, South Carolina, Texas, Utah, Washington, Wisconsin
Benefit Definition	<p>This policy addresses services or costs associated with a non-covered service.</p> <p>Covered benefits are listed in three (3) Sections - A, B and C. All services must be medically necessary. Each benefit plan contains its own specific provisions for coverage, limitations and exclusions as stated in the member's Evidence of Coverage (EOC)/Schedule of Benefits (SOB). If there is a discrepancy between this policy and the member's EOC/SOB, the member's EOC/SOB provision will govern.</p> <div>A. FEDERAL/STATE MANDATED REGULATIONS</div> <p>Note: The most current federal/state mandated regulations for each state can be found in the links below.</p> <p>None</p> <div>B. STATE MARKET PLAN ENHANCEMENTS</div> <p>None</p> <div>C. COVERED BENEFITS</div> <p>IMPORTANT NOTE: Covered benefits are listed in Sections A, B and C. Always refer to Sections A and B for additional covered benefits not listed in this Section.</p> <p>Refer to the member's Evidence of Coverage (EOC) and Schedule of Benefits (SOB) to determine coverage eligibility.</p> <p>ALL STATES: Hyperbaric oxygen therapy covered w/PA for wound treatment.</p>

NEW MEXICO:

Hyperbaric Oxygen: Hyperbaric oxygen therapy is a covered benefit only if the therapy is proposed for a condition recognized as one of the accepted indications as defined by the Hyperbaric Oxygen Therapy Committee of the Undersea and Hyperbaric Medical Society (UHMS) or as medically necessary.

Hypnotherapy (Limited) – Hypnotherapy is only covered when performed by an anesthesiologist or psychiatrists, trained in the use of hypnosis when medically necessary or when:

- Used within two weeks prior to surgery for chronic pain management and
- For chronic pain management when part of a coordinated treatment plan

Molina and Passport will cover medically necessary services directly related to non-covered health care services when complications exceed routine follow-up care such as life-threatening complications.

Covered Benefits would be provided through out other Benefit Interpretation Policies. This Benefit Policy is to address any other items that are not covered for each state. Please refer to the not covered section.

Note: In the marketplace, we have limited benefits and need to make sure we cover those procedures that are clearly beneficial in improving outcomes and are medically necessary. This procedure does not significantly improve patient outcomes and therefore it is not a covered benefit.

Please refer to the MHI Clinical Policy titled Medically Necessary Services: Policy No. 332. This policy is applicable only when there is NO existing definition in the member benefit, health plan contract documents and individual health plan state regulations.

D. NOT COVERED

Refer to the member's Evidence of Coverage (EOC) and Schedule of Benefits (SOB) to determine coverage eligibility.

Note: This is not an all-inclusive list of non-covered services for Marketplace

NON-COVERED SERVICES

CALIFORNIA, FLORIDA, IDAHO, ILLINOIS, KENTUCKY, MICHIGAN, NEW MEXICO, OHIO, SOUTH CAROLINA, TEXAS, UTAH, WASHINGTON:

Molina and Passport will not cover or pay for any expenses incurred for the following:

- Animal-based therapy, including hypnotherapy
- Auditory integration training
- Chelation therapy
- Child-care fees
- Claims that have been determined by MHI to be fraudulent
- Costs for a facility or location or use of a facility or location when treatment, services, or Evidence-Based Therapy are provided outside of the Member's home
- Cranial sacral therapy
- Custodial care
- Treatment rendered by a parent or legal guardian who is otherwise considered a Qualified Provider, Qualified Supervising Provider, Qualified Therapist, Qualified Professional, or Qualified Paraprofessional when the treatment is rendered to his or her own children
- Travel time by Qualified Providers, Qualified Supervising Providers, Qualified Professionals, Qualified Therapists, or Qualified Paraprofessionals

MISSISSIPPI:

Molina will not cover or pay for any expenses incurred for the following:

- Animal-based therapy, including hypnotherapy
- Auditory integration training
- Chelation therapy
- Child-care fees
- Claims that have been determined by Us to be fraudulent
- Costs for a facility or location or use of a facility or location when treatment, services, or Evidence-Based Therapy are provided outside of the Member's home
- Cranial sacral therapy
- Custodial care
- Treatment rendered by a parent or legal guardian who is otherwise considered a Qualified Provider, Qualified Supervising Provider, Qualified Therapist, Qualified Professional, or Qualified Paraprofessional when the treatment is rendered to his or her own children
- Travel time by Qualified Providers, Qualified Supervising Providers, Qualified Professionals, Qualified Therapists, or Qualified Paraprofessionals

NEVADA:

Molina will not cover or pay for any expenses incurred for the following:

- Animal-based therapy, including hypnotherapy
- Auditory integration training (Covered if medically necessary)
- Chelation therapy
- Child-care fees
- Claims that have been determined by MHI to be fraudulent
- Costs for a facility or location or use of a facility or location when treatment, services, or Evidence-Based Therapy are provided outside of the Member's home
- Cranial sacral therapy
- Custodial care
- Treatment rendered by a parent or legal guardian who is otherwise considered a Qualified Provider, Qualified Supervising Provider, Qualified Therapist, Qualified Professional, or Qualified Paraprofessional when the treatment is rendered to his or her own children
- Travel time by Qualified Providers, Qualified Supervising Providers, Qualified Professionals, Qualified Therapists, or Qualified Paraprofessionals

WISCONSIN:

Non-Covered Services related to Autism Spectrum Disorder:

Molina will not cover or pay for any expenses incurred for the following:

- Acupuncture
- Animal-based therapy, including hypnotherapy
- Auditory integration training
- Chelation therapy
- Child-care fees
- Claims that have been determined by Us to be fraudulent
- Costs for a facility or location or use of a facility or location when treatment, services, or Evidence-Based Therapy are provided outside of the Member's home
- Cranial sacral therapy
- Custodial care
- Special diets or supplements
- Therapy, treatment, or services provided to a Member who is residing in a residential treatment center, inpatient treatment facility, or day treatment facility
- Treatment rendered by a parent or legal guardian who is otherwise considered a Qualified Provider, Qualified Supervising Provider, Qualified Therapist, Qualified Professional, or Qualified Paraprofessional when the treatment is rendered to his or her own children

- Travel time by Qualified Providers, Qualified Supervising Providers, Qualified Professionals, Qualified Therapists, or Qualified Paraprofessionals

NON-HEALTHCARE ITEMS AND SERVICES

CALIFORNIA:

Non-Healthcare Items and Services: Molina does not cover services that are not healthcare services, for example:

- Teaching manners and etiquette
- Teaching and support services to develop planning skills such as daily activity planning and project or task planning
- Items and services that increase academic knowledge or skills, teaching and support services to increase intelligence
- Academic coaching or tutoring for skills such as grammar, math, and time management
- Teaching Members how to read, if they have dyslexia
- Educational testing
- Teaching art, dance, horse riding, music, play or swimming, unless medically necessary for treatment of a mental health or substance use disorder.
- Teaching skills for employment or vocational purposes
- Vocational training or teaching vocational skills
- Professional-growth courses
- Training for a specific job or employment counseling
- Examinations related to job, athletic (sports physicals), or recreational performance

FLORIDA, IDAHO, ILLINOIS, KENTUCKY, MICHIGAN, MISSISSIPPI, NEVADA, OHIO, SOUTH CAROLINA, UTAH, WASHINGTON, WISCONSIN:

Non-Healthcare Items and Services: Molina and Passport do not cover services that are not healthcare services, for example:

- Teaching manners and etiquette
- Teaching and support services to develop planning skills such as daily activity planning and project or task planning
- Items and services that increase academic knowledge or skills, teaching and support services to increase intelligence
- Academic coaching or tutoring for skills such as grammar, math, and time management
- Teaching Members how to read if they have dyslexia
- Educational testing
- Teaching art, dance, horse riding, music, play or swimming
- Teaching skills for employment or vocational purposes
- Vocational training or teaching vocational skills

- Professional-growth courses
- Training for a specific job or employment counseling
- Aquatic therapy and other water therapy
- Examinations related to job, athletic (sports physicals), or recreational performance

NEW MEXICO:

Non-Healthcare Items and Services: Molina does not cover services that are not healthcare services, for example:

- Teaching manners and etiquette
- Teaching and support services to develop planning skills such as daily activity planning and project or task planning
- Items and services that increase academic knowledge or skills, teaching and support services to increase intelligence
- Academic coaching or tutoring for skills such as grammar, math, and time management
- Teaching Members how to read, if they have dyslexia
- Educational testing
- Teaching art, dance, horse riding, music, play or swimming
- Teaching skills for employment or vocational purposes
- Vocational training or teaching vocational skills
- Professional-growth courses
- Training for a specific job or employment counseling
- Aquatic therapy and other water therapy
- Examinations related to job, athletic (sports physicals), or recreational performance
- Personal convenience items

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Non-Healthcare Items and Services: Molina does not cover services that are not healthcare services, for example:

- Academic coaching or tutoring for skills, such as grammar, math and time management
- Aquatic therapy and other water therapy
- Educational testing
- Items and services that increase academic knowledge or skills
- Professional-growth courses
- Teaching and support services to develop planning skills such as daily activity planning and project or task planning
- Teaching and support services to increase intelligence
- Teaching art, dance, horse riding, music, play or swimming
- Teaching manners and etiquette
- Teaching skills for employment or vocational purposes

- Teaching the Member how to read, whether or not they have dyslexia
- Training for a specific job or employment counseling
- Vocational training or teaching vocational skills

SERVICES RELATED TO A NON-COVERED SERVICE

CALIFORNIA:

Services Related to a Non-Covered Service When a service is not covered, all services related to the non-Covered Service are not covered. This exclusion does not apply to services Molina would otherwise cover to treat complications of the non-Covered Service. Molina cover all Medically Necessary basic health services for complications for a non-Covered Service.

FLORIDA:

Services Related to a Non-Covered Service When a service is not covered, all services related to the non-Covered Service are not covered. This exclusion does not apply to services Molina would otherwise cover to treat complications of the non-Covered Service. Molina cover all Medically Necessary basic health services for complications for a non-Covered Service unless stated otherwise in this Agreement or another Benefit Interpretation Policy. If a Member later suffers a life-threatening complication such as a serious infection, this exclusion will not apply. Molina and Passport would cover any services that Molina or Passport would otherwise cover to treat that complication.

IDAHO, ILLINOIS, KENTUCKY, MICHIGAN, MISSISSIPPI, NEVADA, NEW MEXICO, OHIO, TEXAS, UTAH, WASHINGTON, WISCONSIN:

Services Related to a Non-Covered Service When a service is not covered, all services related to the non-Covered Service are not covered. This exclusion does not apply to services Molina and Passport (KY) would otherwise cover to treat complications of the non-Covered Service. Molina and Passport (KY) cover all Medically Necessary basic health services for complications for a non-Covered Service. If a member later suffers a life-threatening complication such as a serious infection, this exclusion will not apply. Molina and Passport will cover any services that Molina or Passport would otherwise cover to treat that complication.

SOUTH CAROLINA:

Services Related to a Non-Covered Service: When a service is not covered, all services related to the non-Covered Service are not covered. This exclusion does not apply to services Molina would otherwise cover to treat complications of the non-Covered Service. Molina covers all Medically Necessary basic health services for complications for a non-Covered Service.

For example, if a Member has a non-covered bariatric surgery or cosmetic surgery, Molina will not cover services the Member receives in preparation for the surgery or for follow-up care. If the Member later suffers a complication such as a serious infection, this exclusion will not apply, and Molina would cover any services that would otherwise be covered as Medically Necessary to treat that complication.

TRAVEL AND LODGING

ALL STATES:

Travel and Lodging Expenses: Travel and lodging expenses are not covered. Molina and Passport may pay certain expenses that Molina or Passport preauthorizes in accordance with Molina or Passports' travel and lodging guidelines.

E. DEFINITIONS

[See Glossary](#)

F. POLICY HISTORY/REVISION INFORMATION

Date	Action/Description
7/1/2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Added NV 2024 EOC Language

Prior Authorization

For the MHI PA Matrix, if a code is NOT listed, it could EITHER be:

- Covered and No PA Required
- Not Covered

You cannot use the MHI PA Matrix to make coverage determinations.

[PA Lookup Tool](#)

Approval

Departments	Product	CIM	Clinical Management
Date	12/17/2021	3/31/2022	11/30/2021
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