MOLINA[®] QUALITY BULLETIN

Molina Reimburses PCP In-Office Retinal Screenings

Thanks to breakthrough technology, primary care providers can now perform in-office diabetic eye exams with easy-to-use portable handheld retinal scanning cameras – and Molina Healthcare offers reimbursement for these in-office screenings!

Most patients can be imaged without dilation and the camera can be operated by a medical assistant or technician. Retinal images are automatically checked for quality using proprietary software provided by the camera manufacturer. The images are securely uploaded to a telehealth network and evaluated by a board-certified retina expert who reviews the patient information and generates a complete diagnostic report transmitted back to the provider electronically.

Early detection and treatment of diabetic retinopathy can help prevent blindness. The American Diabetes Association recommends an annual retinal eye examination for diabetic eye disease. Join the increasing number of health care providers who want to improve management of their patients with diabetes.

To learn more, contact Howard Cassidy in Molina's Quality Intervention Department at <u>Howard.Cassidy@MolinaHealthcare.com</u>.

In-Home Blood Pressure Program

Molina Healthcare is piloting an in-home blood pressure (BP) monitoring program. Members can take home a BP cuff that connects to their home WiFi. As the member takes his or her BP at home, readings are transmitted directly to a portal that is accessible by providers and designated office staff.

Providers can set alerts to be notified when a member has a reading outside of set parameters, and members can be reminded to take their reading daily.

Members must come in for an office visit to enroll in this program and return for a follow up visit no later than 3 months from enrollment. Members in this program may earn \$50 if they have a compliant reading in office.

To learn more, or to be a part of this pilot program, please email Kalli Votaw at Kalli.Votaw@MolinaHealthcare.com.

PRAF 2.0 Electronic Submission

You can now submit the Prenatal Risk Assessment Form (PRAF) online. The Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM) created a web-based notification system that allows providers to instantaneously alert County Departments of Job and Family Services and Managed Care Plans (MCP) of a woman's pregnancy. This benefits of this new system include:

- 1. Women will be connected with needed services and prevented from an interruption of their Medicaid coverage.
- 2. Providers can submit home heath referrals, fax prescriptions for injectable progesterone to the MCP's specialty pharmacy and print prescription for progesterone when needed to prevent preterm births.
- 3. MCPs can download member information into care management systems for more efficient connection to care.

Find the web-based PRAF at <u>https://www.nurtureohio.com</u>. To learn how to use the system, visit <u>http://medicaid.ohio.gov/Provider/PRAF</u>.

CAVS Member Incentive Program

Molina Healthcare has partnered with the Cleveland Cavaliers to bring members in the Northeast region opportunities to be entered into a drawings to win exciting prizes for completing missing services, like Adolescent Well Care visits, Diabetes Screenings, and more.

Prizes include game tickets, t-shirts, hats, gift cards, and a chance to win a grand prize. Help your members get their needed services – and win big!

If you have questions, contact your Provider Service Representative.

Questions?

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