

Provider Newsflash



A fax bulletin for the Molina Healthcare of Washington Provider Network

Prior Authorization Changes: Cardiac - (Medicaid and Marketplace) -

Effective <u>January 1, 2019</u>, prior authorization will be required for the following outpatient hospital procedures: Cardiac Rhythm Implantable Devices (Insertion)

This impacts both Medicaid and Marketplace members. We are sending this notice to provide you with information about these changes.

What is changing?

- Insertion of Cardiac Rhythm Implantable Devices, if performed as a scheduled inpatient procedure, has always required prior authorization review
- This change impacts the insertion of this device when performed as an outpatient procedure
- The following codes are impacted: 33206; 33207; 33208; 33224; 33225; 33230; 33231; 33240; 33249; and 33270

For the most current list of CPT/HCPC codes that require prior authorization, please visit Molina Healthcare's secure online provider portal at https://eportal.molinahealthcare.com/Provider/login and view the Prior Authorization by CPT Code Guide.

You can submit a prior authorization request via our secure provider portal. By using the portal for authorization submission, you can upload clinical notes and view the status of your request at any time.

You can also fax your prior authorization request. Clinical notes are required for review and approval of your authorization request. Submitting clinical notes is recommended in order to receive a timely and accurate decision. Please fax your prior authorization request to:

• Medical/Behavioral Health Service: (800) 767-7188

As always, our goal is to provide you with excellent customer service and support. If you have any questions, please call Healthcare Services at (855) 322-4082, Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Thank you for your continued service to Molina members.

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