**IMPORTANT!** Molina Provider News:

# **Change in Behavioral Health Benefit Management for Molina Healthcare**

Please be advised that effective **February 1, 2022**, behavioral health and substance abuse services for **MMA and Comprehensive (MMA & LTC)** members will no longer be managed by Beacon. Effective February 1, 2022, behavioral health and substance abuse services for these members will be managed and coordinated directly by Molina Healthcare of Florida.

## Behavioral Health and Substance Abuse Service Authorizations

For behavioral health and substance abuse services rendered to MMA and Comprehensive members prior to February 1, 2022, providers should continue to submit requests for authorization to Beacon. Providers can contact Beacon at 1-855-371-3945.

For behavioral health and substance abuse services rendered to MMA and Comprehensive members on or after February 1, 2022, providers must follow Molina's Prior Authorization process. This includes updates to existing open authorizations for upcoming services to be rendered on or after February 1, 2022.

Authorizations may be requested via the secure Molina Provider Portal or via fax, as listed below:

- Outpatient/Pre-Cert Requests (TCM, TBOSS, Psychosocial Rehab, IOP, Day Treatment)
  - > Medicaid Members (MMA and Comprehensive) Fax: 866-440-9791
- Inpatient & Concurrent Review
  - Medicaid Members (MMA and Comprehensive) Fax: 866-440-9791 Submit Concurrent Review and Clinical notes to 866-440-9791

To request authorization or verify authorization status via the Molina Provider Web Portal for all members, please visit <u>Welcome to Molina Healthcare, Inc - ePortal Services</u>

### Peer to Peer request process and information:

You can request a Peer to Peer for services by:

- ✓ E-mail (all LOBs) to: CAM-HCS Peer to Peer <u>CAM-HCSPeertoPeer@MolinaHealthCare.Com</u>. If emailing please remember to add: Member Name, DOS, MD Name that will be conducting the P2P, MD Number, and Availability (include at least 2 intervals with date and time)
- ✓ Phone at 866-422-2541 for Medicaid Members

To Login or Register for the MFL Provider Portal: https://provider.molinahealthcare.com/Provider/Login

You may view the MFL Prior Authorization Guide/Form here.

#### Pharmacy Requests

Medicaid (MMA and Comprehensive Members)

Submit an authorization request via fax at 866-236-8531.

**General Exclusions:** Inpatient Requests or 23-hour Observation, IV Antibiotics/Infusion Therapy or Medications used for Testing/Diagnostic/Stimulation Tests/Operational Procedures should be submitted to the Utilization Management Department via the Provider Web Portal or via fax at **866-440-9791**.

For ANY/ALL questions related to **ANY / ALL PHARMACY** authorization requests, please contact **MFLPharmacyTech@molinahealthcare.com** or **888-562-5442** extension **752211**.

#### **Continuity of Care**

Medicaid and Comprehensive members will use the Molina Healthcare of FL provider network for all behavioral health and substance abuse services on or after 2/1/22. Members who are in active treatment prior to 2/1/22 may qualify for a 60-day continuity of care period if their treating provider is not participating in the Molina network and the member wishes to continue treatment with the non-participating provider. Authorizations must be obtained from Molina Healthcare for all continued care services rendered by non-participating providers once the continuity of care period expires.

#### <u>Claims</u>

For behavioral health and substance abuse services rendered to MMA and Comprehensive members prior to February 1, 2022, providers should continue to submit claims to Beacon. Providers can contact Beacon at 1-855-371-3945.

For date of services on or after 2/1/22, claims for behavioral health and substance abuse services must be submitted to Molina Healthcare. Claims may be submitted in one of the following formats:

- Electronic claims submission (EDI) Change Healthcare (formerly Emdeon)
  - o Molina Payer ID: 51062
- Provider Portal <u>https://provider.molinahealthcare.com/Provider/Login</u>
- Paper

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For additional information, please view our provider handbook at <u>www.molinahealthcare.com</u>.

If you need further assistance, please contact Molina Healthcare at: 855-322-4076, Monday through Friday, 8am – 5pm.

Thank you for your continued care to our members!

Molina Healthcare of Florida