Medical Necessity



Core provider prior authorization list.

Network providers are required to request prior authorization.

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A-B:

- · Arthroplasty (shoulder, elbow, hip, knee).
- Bariatric surgery.
- Behavioral Health Services such as intensive outpatient, outpatient ECT, and psychologist testing
- · Bone growth stimulator.
- · Breast reconstruction, non-mastectomy.
- BRCA genetic testing program.

C-D:

- Cartilage implants.
- · Clinical trials.
- Cochlear implants and other auditory implants.
- · Cosmetic and reconstructive procedures.
- Durable Medical Equipment (DME) greater than \$1,000.

G-M:

- · Gender Dysphoria.
- Home health care private-duty nursing.
- Injectable medications (Selected).
- Intensity Modulated Radiation Therapy (IMRT).
- MR-guided Focused Ultrasound (MRGFUS) to treat uterine fibroid.

N-O:

- Non-emergency transport Air.
- · Orthognathic surgery.
- Orthotics greater than \$1,000.

P-R-S:

- · Potentially unproven services.
- Prosthetics greater than \$1,000.
- Proton beam therapy.
- Rhinoplasty.
- · Sleep apnea procedures and surgeries.
- · Sleep studies, facility based.
- · Spinal stimulator for pain management.
- · Spine surgeries.

T-V:

- Transplant of tissue or organs.
- Vagus nerve stimulation.
- Vein procedures.
- · Ventricular assist devices.