

WVCH—Physical, Occupational and Speech Therapy Evaluations

Physical and Occupational Therapy:

Effective for Dates of Service starting 10/01/2015

Prior Authorization will no longer be required and claims will adjudicate claims for the following CPTs, per DMAP OAR 410-131-0120(3) (a) (b).

Members will be allowed:

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- Up to a total of 2 evaluations: 97001 and/or 97003, any combination of those codes, to total 2, within a 12 month period
 - Up to a total of 4 re-evaluations: 97002 and/or 97004, any combination of those codes to total 4, within that same 12 month period.
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12 month period will start from Date of Service on first claim submitted.

*No modalities will be reimbursed when billed with the above evaluation/re-evaluation codes without a Prior Auth.

Speech Therapy:

Effective for Dates of Service starting 10/01/2015

Prior Authorization will no longer be required and claims will adjudicate claims for the following SLP services, per DMAP OAR 410-129-0070 (1) (c) (A-G)

Member will be allowed:

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- Up to Two (2) SLP evaluations in a 12-month period;
 - Up to Two (2) evaluations for dysphagia in a 12-month period
 - Up to four (4) re-evaluations in a 12-month period;
 - One (1) evaluation for speech-generating/augmentative communication system or device shall be reimbursed per recipient in a 12-month period;
 - One (1) evaluation for voice prosthesis or artificial larynx shall be reimbursed in a 12-month period;
 - Purchase, repair or modification of electrolarynx;
 - Supplies for speech therapy shall be reimbursed up to two times in a 12month period, not to exceed \$5.00 each;
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12 month period for the above CPTs will start from the Date of Service on the first claim submitted.

*No modalities will be reimbursed when billed with the above evaluation/re-evaluation codes without a Prior Auth.

Continued Therapy Sessions:

Requests for continued therapy will be submitted as Pre-Authorizations, with pertinent chart notes, to MM Team or Salem Clinic. 12 month time frame for continued therapy sessions begins the first date of therapy sessions as determined by claims or chart notes when re-requests are submitted.