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Dear Colleague:

eviCore healthcare is pleased to announce its partnership with Moda Health to provide authorization services for members enrolled in Moda Health programs.

Effective March 27, 2017, Moda Health members will require prior authorization from eviCore healthcare for dates of service beginning April 1, 2017. Services performed without authorization may be denied for payment, and you may not seek reimbursement from members.

Prior authorization is required for

- ✓ CT
- ✓ MR
- ✓ PET
- ✓ Nuclear Cardiac/MPI
- ✓ Scheduled Diagnostic Heart Catheterization
- ✓ Scheduled Cardiac Rhythm Implantable Devices
- ✓ Stress Echo
- ✓ Non-OB Ultrasound

- ✓ OB Ultrasound
- ✓ Physical Therapy
- ✓ Occupational Therapy
- ✓ Speech Therapy
- ✓ Massage Therapy
- ✓ Acupuncture
- ✓ Chiropractic
- ✓ Interventional Pain Management
- ✓ Spine Therapy
- ✓ Scheduled Joint Surgery Management

Services performed in conjunction with an emergency room visit, 23 hour observation, or most inpatient stays (some inpatient procedures may require authorization) are not subject to authorization requirements.

To request an authorization, log onto www.evicore.com, to submit your request.

**For urgent requests:** If services are required in less than 48 hours due to medically urgent conditions, please call our toll-free number for expedited authorization reviews. Be sure to tell our representative the authorization is for medically urgent care.

We recommend that ordering physicians secure authorizations and pass the authorization numbers to the rendering facilities at the time of scheduling. Authorizations contain authorization numbers and one or more CPT codes specific to the services authorized. If the service requested is different than what is authorized, the rendering facility must contact us for review and authorization prior to claim submission.

**Have questions about requesting authorizations?** Attend our online orientation! The orientation schedule and program training resources are available at <a href="https://www.evicore.com/healthplan/moda">https://www.evicore.com/healthplan/moda</a>. eviCore healthcare's criteria and request forms are available at <a href="https://www.evicore.com">www.evicore.com</a>. Please call our Customer Service department at 844-303-8451 if you have any questions or need more information.

Sincerely,

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