



Network Notification

Date: November 28, 2017
To: Kentucky Medicaid Health Care Providers
From: Humana – CareSource®
Subject: Early Elective Deliveries (EED) Prior to 39 Weeks Gestation

The Kentucky Department of Medicaid Services recently released a clarification memorandum stating that early elective inductions or cesarean sections on or before 39 weeks gestation will require prior authorization. As a result of this memorandum, effective 9/1/17, requests for early elective deliveries prior to 39 weeks gestation must be submitted with documented medical necessity for review. If a patient's clinical information does not meet the criteria, the case is forwarded to a medical director for further review and determination.

Please see attached memorandum issued by the Cabinet for Health and Family Services, Department for Medicaid Services.

If you have questions regarding the criteria used in prior authorization determinations, please call the Humana – CareSource Provider Relations department at 1-855-852-7005. Hours of operation are Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Eastern Time.

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