

## **NETWORK** Notification

Notice Date: May 20, 2025

To: Michigan Medicaid Providers

From: HAP CareSource™

Subject: HAP CareSource Cardiac and Musculoskeletal Surgical Quality and Safety

Management Program in Partnership with TurningPoint - REVISION

This notification is an update to the network notification posted on August 2, 2024.

#### **Summary**

HAP CareSource™ is pleased to announce the expansion of TurningPoint's Cardiac and Musculoskeletal Surgical Quality and Safety Management Program to our Michigan Medicaid members. The program is designed to work collaboratively with physicians to promote patient safety through the practice of high quality and cost-effective care for HAP CareSource members undergoing Cardiac and Musculoskeletal Surgical Procedures.

#### **Impact**

Effective September 16, 2024, providers will be able to begin submitting requests to TurningPoint for Prior Authorization for dates of service on or after October 1, 2024, for the following populations:

- HAP CareSource Medicaid
- HAP CareSource Children's Special HealthCare Services
- HAP CareSource Healthy Michigan Plan

While it is the responsibility of the rendering physician to obtain prior authorization, facility providers are encouraged to contact TurningPoint to verify the prior authorization has been complete for HAP CareSource members prior to admission.

Providers (in-network and out-of-network) can view Musculoskeletal and Cardiac Surgical policies and guidelines at TurningPoint's website after registration on the TurningPoint Portal by visiting <u>TurningPoint Provider Portal (myturningpoint-healthcare.com).</u>

Prior Authorization for medical necessity and appropriate length of stay (when applicable) has been delegated to **TurningPoint Healthcare Solutions**, **LLC** and will be required for the following surgical procedures in <u>both inpatient and outpatient settings</u>:

#### **CARDIAC SURGERIES & PROCEDURES**

# Including all associated partial, total, and revision surgeries ✓ Coronary Angioplasty/Stenting ✓ Internal Cardiac Monitoring ✓ Coronary Artery Bypass Grafting ✓ Leadless Pacemaker ✓ Implantable Cardioverter Defibrillator ✓ Left Atrial Appendage (LAA) Occluders ✓ ICD Revision or Removal ✓ Non-Coronary Angioplasty/Stenting Valve ✓ Pacemaker Replacement ✓ Pacemaker Revision or Removal ✓ Wearable Cardiac Defibrillator (WCD)

#### **MUSCULOSKELETAL SURGERIES & PROCEDURES**

#### **Key Provisions:**

- Emergency-related procedures do not require authorization
- It is the responsibility of the ordering physician to obtain authorization
- Providers rendering the above services should verify that the necessary authorization has been obtained; failure to do so may result in non-payment of your claims
- Clinical Policies are available by contacting TurningPoint at (866) 422-0800 for access to digital copies

#### Training:

To help you in this transition, several training windows will be scheduled in September and all staff responsible for Musculoskeletal and Cardiac Surgical authorizations are encouraged to participate.

Please register at any of the below links for informational webinars.

- 09/05/2024 12:00-1:00 PM EST https://us06web.zoom.us/j/89846122268
- 09/09/2024 8:30-9:30 AM EST https://us06web.zoom.us/j/84604155940
- 09/13/2024 10:30-11:30 AM EST https://us06web.zoom.us/j/85030342605

For more information, please refer to the Provider Manual or contact HAP CareSource Provider Services at **1-833-230-2102**. You can reach us Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Eastern time (ET).

#### **Procedure Code Lookup Tool:**

Effective October 1, 2024, please refer to the Procedure Code Lookup Tool to check whether a service requires prior authorization. All services that require prior authorization from HAP CareSource should be authorized prior to service delivery. HAP CareSource is not able to pay claims for services in which prior authorization is required, but not obtained by the provider.

#### Appeals:

Clinical appeals, claims disputes and claims appeals will continue to be submitted to HAP CareSource. Please click <u>here</u> for Claims and Grievance & Appeals information. Please call TurningPoint's Peer-to-Peer coordination line at 1-800-581-3920 to submit peer-to-peer review requests.

#### **Medical Policies:**

Please visit <u>TurningPoint's policy page</u> for more information about TurningPoint.

#### **Importance**

#### PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDE:

- ✓ Administrative Tools to support an efficient, user-friendly request process for obtaining medical necessity prior authorizations for procedures which require precertification. Easy and efficient post-procedural documentation submission which will be shared with CareSource to facilitate timely claims payment.
- ✓ Specialized "Peer to Peer" Engagement, where a TurningPoint physician (from the same specialty) engages the provider regarding authorization requests that require additional clinical discussion to validate the clinical appropriateness of the procedure specific to the patient's needs and current condition.
- ✓ Clinical Support Tools to assist in the tracking and monitoring of patient outcomes and education around patient risks and preventive measures to better coordinate care for the member and reduce infection rates and complications due to patient comorbidities.
- ✓ Reporting, and Analytics that gives physicians and practice administrators greater visibility and transparency into their performance compared to the practice as a whole, as well as the rest of the market.
- ✓ FDA Recall Tracking and Monitoring to facilitate timely and consistent notification to the physician, patient, and to HAP CareSource when a member has received or needs a revision surgery due to a Class I or II FDA device recall.

#### Questions?

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We appreciate your support and look forward to your cooperation in assuring that HAP CareSource members receive high quality, cost-effective care for these surgical procedures.

### TURNINGPOINT'S UTILIZATION MANAGEMENT & PRECERTIFICATION CONTACT INFORMATION:

Web Portal Intake: <a href="http://www.myturningpoint-healthcare.com">http://www.myturningpoint-healthcare.com</a>

Telephonic Intake: 855-513-4270 | 313-221-8575 Facsimile Intake: 313-335-1933

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