



# Provider Newsflash



A fax bulletin for the Molina Healthcare of Washington Provider Network

## Prior Authorization Changes – July 1, 2018 Genetic Testing

Effective July 1, 2018, prior authorization will be required for genetic testing (Medicaid and Marketplace). We are sending this notice to provide you with information about these changes.

### What is changing?

- CPT 81407 Molecular pathology procedure level 8 - Genetic Testing (Medicaid and Marketplace): These tests are used to analyze nucleic acid for abnormalities that may be indicative of a variety of disorders. These tests are reviewed for medical necessity.
- These test aligns with Molina Clinical Policy 051 Genetic Testing.

For the most current list of CPT/HCPC codes that require prior authorization, please visit our Provider Portal at <https://eportal.molinahealthcare.com/Provider/login> and view the Prior Authorization by CPT Code Guide.

You can submit a prior authorization request via Molina's secure online provider web portal. By using the web portal for authorization submission, you can upload clinical notes and see the status of your request at any time.

You can also fax your prior authorization request. As always, clinical notes are required for review and approval of your authorization request. Submitting clinical notes is recommended to receive a timely and accurate decision. Please fax your prior authorization request to:

- Medical/Behavioral Health Service: (800) 767-7188

As always, our goal is to provide you with excellent customer service and support. If you have any questions, please call Healthcare Services at (855) 322-4082, Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Thank you for your continued service to Molina Healthcare members.