

## Provider Newsflash



A fax bulletin for the Molina Healthcare of Washington Provider Network

## Prior Authorization Change Effective October 1, 2019 (Medicaid)

Effective October 1, 2019, requirements for Prior Authorization (PA) with Molina Healthcare of Washington will change for three CPT codes (see grid below). This change affects Apple Health and IMC lines of business, and does not apply to Marketplace members.

Below is a list of codes that will be changing from "no PA required" to "PA required." Previously, CPT codes 90675, 90691 and 90717 did not require PA. Molina will require submission of a request for PA from both participating and non-participating providers for claims submitted for any place of service. Please submit an invoice detailing cost, along with supporting documentation, at the time of the PA request.

СРТ	DESCRIPTION	UPCOMING CHANGE
90675	Rabies vaccine, for intramuscular use	PA REQUIRED
90691	Typhoid vaccine, Vi capsular polysaccharide (ViCPs), for intramuscular use	PA REQUIRED
90717	Yellow fever vaccine, live, for subcutaneous use	PA REQUIRED

Vaccines are covered only when listed on the CDC immunization schedule for adults and children in the United States. Vaccines recommended or required for the sole purpose of international travel are not covered. Additionally, pre-exposure rabies vaccine is not covered. Post-exposure treatment administration of rabies vaccines is covered, if medically necessary.

As always, clinical notes are required for review and approval of your authorization request. Submitting clinical notes along with the PA request is recommended in order to receive a timely and accurate decision. If PA is required for a requested service, please fax your authorization requests to Molina at (800) 767-7188.

## For Molina PA forms, please see our provider website at:

MolinaHealthcare.com/providers/wa/medicaid/forms/PDF/mhwa-guide-request-form-medicaid-2019.pdf

Our goal is to provide you with excellent customer service. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact your Provider Services Representative at (800) 869-7175, Monday through Friday between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Thank you for your continued service to Molina Healthcare members.