



Dear Provider:

This notice shall serve as a reminder that all Inpatient Only Procedures for Medicare Advantage members must be done in an inpatient setting that is now required by Medicare. Appropriate clinical and inpatient orders will still be needed and requested by the hospital to support all Medicare rules and regulations pertaining to inpatient and Inpatient Only Procedures.

Also, SummaCare's website now provides access to the following information and tools per the direction of CMS (Center for Medicare and Medicaid Services):

- Medical and authorization policies
- Criteria utilized for authorizations
- A CPT code look up that will help you identify procedures requiring prior authorization
- 2024 Medicare Inpatient Only List that includes the HCPCS codes and description

This information can be found at summacare.com/providers/utilization-management.

If you have any questions, please contact your Provider Engagement Specialist at **330.996.8400**, prompt 6.

Sincerely,

SummaCare Utilization Management