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Carelon Medical Benefits Management, Inc. Updates

Please note, this communication applies to Healthy Blue + MedicareSM (HMO-POS D-SNP) offered by Blue Cross and Blue Shield of North Carolina (Blue Cross NC).

Effective September 1, 2024, Blue Cross NC will transition to the following *Carelon Medical Benefits Management, Inc. Clinical Appropriateness Guidelines* for medical necessity/clinical appropriateness reviews for requested interventions:

- Site of Care Guidelines:
 - Site of Care for Advanced Imaging
 - Rehabilitative Site of Care
 - Surgical Site of Care

Please share this notice with other members of your practice and office staff.

https://www.bluecrossnc.com/providers/networks-programs/blue-medicare/healthy-blue-medicare

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