

Albuquerque, NM 87110

Date: April 29, 2022

To: All Western Sky Community Care Providers

From: Western Sky Community Care Provider Relations

RE: Inpatient Admission Notification Requirements

Dear Western Sky Provider,

This message is a courtesy reminder for Inpatient facilities to follow Western Sky Community Care Authorization requirements. This communication confirms the direction of Western Sky Community Care moving forward.

- These requirements are outlined in the Medicaid Provider manual Pages 61- 65 which is located HERE.
- Medicare Provider Manual pages 37-39 located <u>HERE</u>
- Ambetter (Marketplace) manual pages 33-34 located HERE

Failure to fulfill notification requirements for inpatient admissions will lead to denial of claim reimbursement. These are industry standards within New Mexico and are imperative to facilitate coordination of care for members.

Sincerely,

Western Sky Community Care Provider Relations