

Memo

To: Our Valued Therapy Providers

From: El Paso First Health Plans

Date: July 16, 2014

Re: TP1 and TP2 Forms

Providers are encouraged to submit the new revised therapy forms along with the El Paso First Outpatient Prior Authorization Form.

Effective July 1, 2014, El Paso First will not accept incorrect forms.

Form changes

The <u>Request for Outpatient Physical, Occupational, or Speech Therapy (PT, OT,</u> <u>and ST) Special Medical Prior Authorization Form</u> must be used for all acute PT, OT, and ST prior authorization requests.

The Request for Initial Outpatient Therapy (Form TP-1) and Request for Extension of Outpatient Therapy (Form TP-2) prior authorization forms have been discontinued. A new form, the <u>Request for CCP Outpatient Therapy</u>, will replace the TP-1 and TP-2 forms. The Request for CCP Outpatient Therapy form should now be used to request prior authorization for CCP therapy services.

For more detailed information please see TMHP notification posted on 03/28/2014 http://www.tmhp.com/Pages/Medicaid/Medicaid_news_archives.aspx

Questions or concerns please contact El Paso First Provider Relations Department at 915-532-3778 x1507.