

## **Prior Authorization Update**

As part of our continuing effort to reduce the administrative burden for your practice, effective July 1, 2020, Hometown Health has updated the prior-authorization requirements for our Senior Care Plus, Commercial HMO, PPO, Individual and Family Plans, and Renown Health Self-funded plans for the following procedures.

## Authorization is no longer required for:

- Cardiac Rehabilitation
- Dialysis treatment
- Home Health & Hospice
- Nutrition-Medical Therapy
- Pulmonary Rehabilitation
- Supervised Exercise Therapy (SET)
- Emergent Air Ambulance
- Ostomy Supplies

**Wound Care Services** – All Biological Skin and Hyperbaric Therapies require prior authorizations. General Wound Care Services greater than 12 visits per calendar year require prior authorization. Durable Medical Equipment (DME):

- Authorization **is required** for DME over \$500 billed charges
- Authorization **is required** for Orthotics and prosthetics over \$800

To review the complete Authorization Matrices for all Hometown Health plans, login to the Hometown Health provider portal HealthConnect.

For more information, call 775-982-3232

