

## **Guide for Calling Your Insurance Company**

Please use this resource to guide you through knowing what questions to ask your insurance company regarding therapy coverage for your child. Call us at 479-252-3321 for any questions you have.

- 1. Locate your child's diagnosis code information found on the top of your child's evaluation report. Diagnosis codes are used by insurance to determine eligibility for services.
- 2. Know provider group information used to establish in-network or out-of-network claims status under our provider group, Fusion Therapy Center, LLC. NPI 1801552435.
- 3. Ask the following questions:
  - a. Does my plan provide coverage for physical, occupational, or speech therapy services?
  - b. Are there any exclusions or services not covered for my plan (Ex., exclusions for Developmental Delay, or a Specific Diagnosis, Age, etc.)?
  - c. Is Habilitative Therapy (therapy performed to gain new skill rather than to recover skills that have been lost) covered by my plan? Yes No
  - d. Is Rehabilitative Therapy (therapy performed to recover skills lost due to accident, injury, or illness) covered by my plan? Yes No
  - e. If the services **are** covered:
    - i. Do I need to meet my deductible before insurance will begin to pay for therapy services?\_\_\_\_\_
    - ii. If Yes, what is the deductible for the year? \_\_\_\_\_
    - iii. How much is currently left before I hit the deductible?
    - iv. When does my deductible reset? \_\_\_\_\_
    - v. Once insurance begins to pay, what is my patient responsibility?
    - vi. Co-Pay Amount \_\_\_\_\_
    - vii. Is the Copayment Amount Per Visit or Per Day? (sometimes there may be multiple visits per day) \_\_\_\_\_
    - viii. Is there a Co-insurance percentage instead of copayment amount? Yes No
    - ix. How many ST, OT or PT visits are covered per year?
      - 1. Speech
      - 2. Occupational
      - 3. Physical
    - x. Are any of these visit counts combined (i.e., OT & PT)? Yes No
    - xi. Once I have hit my visit limit for the year, is there any way I can request more visits if therapy is still needed?
  - f. Keep a Record of Your Call(s). Record the date of the call and ask for a reference number for your call. Date of call: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Reference #:\_\_\_\_\_\_

## FYI—Common Treatment Billing (CPT) Codes:

Physical Therapy: 97110

Occupational Therapy: 97530

Speech Therapy: Articulation/Language Therapy 92507, Feeding/Oral Motor Therapy 92526