

**APPROVED CRITERIA AND GUIDELINES REFERENCED FOR UTILIZATION MANAGEMENT**

<b>Criteria/ Guideline</b>	<b>Citation Style for Policy Reference</b>	<b>Abbreviation</b>
<a href="#">Medi-Cal Provider Manual / Guidelines</a>	Medi-Cal Guidelines then subsection used and abbreviation  <i>Example:</i> Medi-Cal Guidelines Pathology: Molecular Pathology ( <i>path molec</i> )	--
<a href="#">InterQual® Criteria</a>	InterQual® Criteria including version year and then subset used  <i>Example:</i> InterQual® 2024 DME Criteria – Insulin Pump, Ambulatory	IQ
<a href="#">All Plan Letters from DHCS</a>	Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) All Plan Letter (APL) (2 digit year)-(number) Title (Date) <i>with hyperlink</i>  <i>Example:</i> Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) <a href="#">All Plan Letter (APL) 22-005</a> No Wrong Door for Mental Health Services Policy (03/30/2022)	APL (xx)-(xxx)
<a href="#">CCS Numbered Letters</a>	California Children’s Services (CCS) Numbered Letter (NL) (2 digit year)-(number) Title (Date) <i>with hyperlink</i>  <i>Example:</i> California Children’s Services (CCS) Numbered Letter ( <a href="#">NL 09-0514</a> ) Powered Mobility Devices (PMD) (05/29/2014)	CCS NL (xx)-(xxxx)
<a href="#">Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality</a>	Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality: then guideline used <i>with hyperlink</i>	AHRQ
<a href="#">Centers for Disease Control and Prevention</a>	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC): then guideline or article used <i>with hyperlink</i>  <i>Example:</i> Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC): <a href="#">Epigenetics, Health, and Disease</a>	CDC
<a href="#">National Comprehensive Cancer Network</a>	National Comprehensive Cancer Network (NCCN): then guideline used <i>with hyperlink</i>  <i>Example:</i> National Comprehensive Cancer Network (NCCN): <a href="#">NCCN Guidelines for Treatment of Cancer by Site</a>	NCCN
<a href="#">United States Preventive Services Taskforce</a>	United States Preventive Services Taskforce (USPSTF) guidelines: then guideline used <i>with hyperlink</i>  <i>Example:</i> United States Preventive Services Taskforce (USPSTF): <a href="#">Cervical Cancer: Screening</a>	USPSTF
<a href="#">Up-To-Date</a>	<u>UpToDate:</u> Author(s), Article Title, publishing date <i>with hyperlink</i> or <u>UpToDate:</u> Search Term or Title of Article  <i>Example:</i> <u>UpToDate:</u> D. Kline, Lewis R. MD et al. <a href="#">Clinical Presentation and Diagnosis of OSA in Adults</a> ; published online 9 August 2019. or <u>UpToDate:</u> Obstructive Sleep Apnea	UTD
Other government or specialty society guidelines as noted in PHC policies	Varies	--