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LINE OF BUSINESS	<p align="center"> Effective January 1, 2025 Iowa Total Care (Medicaid) Line of Business: HMO Members 18 years of age and older </p>		
<p align="center"> EVOLENT CARDIOVASCULAR SCOPE </p>	SERVICES	COVERAGE	AUTHORIZATION
	<p>The program will apply to all specialties for the following invasive cardiovascular services only:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cardiac catheterization and intervention • Electrophysiology • Vascular radiology and intervention • Cardiac surgery • Vascular surgery 	<p>Place of Treatment:</p> <p>11 - Doctor's office 19 - Outpatient off-campus 21 - Inpatient*** 22 - Outpatient on-campus 24 – Ambulatory</p> <p>***(<i>Professional planned services only</i>)</p>	<p>Authorization is required for:</p> <p>Planned and elective services listed under "Services" and performed in covered "Places of Treatment".</p>

<p>AUTHORIZATION PROCESS</p>	<p>Ordering physician's office must submit treatment request to Evolent for prior authorization.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Log on to the Evolent/NCH provider web portal: https://my.newcenturyhealth.com/. Telephonic intake: 1-888-999-7713 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cardiology - Option 1. Physician discussion: 1-888-999-7713 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Option 1, followed by sub-prompt 9, sub-prompt 2. <p style="text-align: center;">Monday – Friday, 7 a.m. – 7 p.m. CT (Fully Staffed) Saturday, 7 a.m. – 8 p.m. CT (Limited Staff) * Sunday, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. CT (Limited Staff) *</p> <p style="text-align: center;">*After hours call coverage available from Monday – Friday, 8 p.m. – 7 a.m. CT*</p> <p>For questions regarding the Evolent authorization process or to request an Evolent in-service, please contact Evolent Provider Solutions: 1-888-999-7713, option 6 or send an email: providertraining@evolent.com.</p> <p>EVOLENT will be managing approvals and denials. Grievance and appeals will remain a function of the health plan.</p>	
<p>EVOLENT TURNAROUND TIMES</p>	<p>Request Types</p>	<p>Medicaid</p>
	<p>Medical Services</p>	<p>Standard: Within 7 business days. Expedited: Within 72 hours from request.</p>
<p>TRANSITION OF CARE</p>	<p>Health plan approvals issued before January 1, 2025, are effective until the authorization end date. Upon expiration, authorization requests must be submitted to Evolent. For services/treatment that did not require an authorization prior to January 1, 2025, an authorization may be required from Evolent for service/treatment dates on and after January 1, 2025.</p>	
<p>RETRO REQUESTS</p>	<p>Retrospective authorizations are in-scope up to 5 business days after the treatment start date.</p>	
<p>RESOURCES</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Available resources within the Evolent/CarePro Portal: my.newcenturyhealth.com</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CPT-ICD-10 Cardiology Crosswalk Cardiology Pathways Guide 	

<p>PROVIDER SOLUTION MANAGER</p>	<p>Please contact your dedicated Provider Network Manager for questions regarding the Evolent authorization process or to request training by reaching out to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evolent Network Operations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ 1-888-999-7713, option 6 or • Send an email: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ providertraining@evolent.com. <p>Betsy Roberts betsy.roberts@evolent.com Phone: 1-571-261-8621</p>
<p>EVOLENT CLINICAL LEADERSHIP</p>	<p>Andrew Hertler, MD, FACP Chief Medical Officer</p> <p>Antony Kim, MD, Vice President, Cardiovascular Disease</p>
<p>NATIONAL IMAGING ASSOCIATES, INC. (NIA)</p>	<p>The following services will continue to require prior authorization through RadMD:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MRI • CT/CTA • CCTA • PET scan • Myocardial perfusion imaging (MPI) • MUGA scan • Stress echocardiography • Transthoracic echo • Transesophageal echo • Interventional pain management (IPM) • Physical medicine (physical, occupational, and speech therapy) <p><i>*Please see specific educational documents on RadMD for each Medical Specialty Solution Program Services.</i></p>
<p>EXCLUSIONS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DME/Equipment requests • Emergency services • Heart transplants • Laboratory services • Left Ventricular Assist Device (LVAD) • Non-elective inpatient services • Pharmacy services • Places of treatment and services not specifically listed as in-scope • Services outside of included CPT scope