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eQHealth Solutions

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eQHealth Solutions Implements InterQual® 2016 Criteria

As part of the utilization review process, Healthcare and Family Services (HFS) requires eQHealth to use the most current version of InterQual® criteria. These criteria sets help determine the medical necessity, reasonableness and appropriateness of acute inpatient level of care.

Effective July 25, 2016 eQHealth nurse reviewers will apply the 2016 InterQual® clinical criteria for all acute inpatient medical/surgical, long term acute care (LTAC), detoxification and behavioral health services subject to review. Our nurses will apply 2016 InterQual® procedural criteria for Prior Authorization requests of elective procedures on HFS' Attachment F.

InterQual® screening criteria is licensed by McKesson Health Solutions. For further information, visit www.mckesson.com and type "InterQual 2016" in the search box.

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