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Attention Provider Type 22 (Dentist):

Claim Processing for Dental Services Rendered in an Inpatient Setting

Effective with claims processed on or after July 18, 2022, dental services provided in an inpatient setting where there is an approved inpatient prior authorization (PA) on file will no longer require prior authorization. The Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS) will look for a corresponding inpatient PA for the same recipient and same date of service and will adjudicate the dental claim without requiring a separate authorization.

Please note: If no approved inpatient PA is on file and no PA for the dental code is included on the claim as required, the claim will deny.