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Response Form

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Treatment Plan Number
8108650

Batch # 165265 Provider # 44967

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Patient's Name: TIFFANY ANDERSON Patient's Health Plan ID Number: 0007891964 01 1
Health Plan: KAISER PERMANENTE Employer Group Number: 0000000030305@CHIO5

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Received Date: 7/28/2007
Returned Date: 06/28/2007
Fax Number: 1-209/368-9005

Procedure	Subm	App	Procedure	Subm	App	CPT Codes
New Pt Exam	0	0	DME	0	0	
Est Pt Exam	1	1	Cervical X-Ray	0	0	
OV/Adjustment	6	4	Lumbar X-Ray	0	0	
Therapies	4	4	Thoracic X-Ray	0	0	
Submitted: 03/21/2007 - 05/21/2007			Other X-ray	0	0	
Approved: 03/21/2007 - 05/21/2007			Lab	0	0	

ICD-9 Code: 729.2 Services approved on this response form are for the condition described by this ICD-9 code. Please note that when billing, you must submit claims with all ICD-9 codes documented to the highest level of specificity per HIPAA coding standards.

Clinical Service Manager: Administrative Review Phone Ext: This response is not a guarantee of payment; final payment is subject to group benefit limits and member eligibility.

This facsimile notification will serve as written notice and a mailed copy will not follow.

- If you would like to discuss the submitted services decision above, there are 3 options:
- For questions concerning any clinical modifications or denials, you may contact the Clinical Service Manager noted on this form at 800-972-4226 or submit additional information and/or clarification on a Reconsideration form.
- Questions concerning administrative modifications or denials should be directed to a Provider Services representative at 800-972-4226.
- You may contact the Clinical Service Manager and request an appeal or submit your appeal in writing, within 365 days of the Returned Date above, to the address above, attention Appeals Coordinator.

Your patient has been notified of this decision and has been advised of the member appeal process available under the terms of his/her health benefit plan.

Note: All clinical decisions are made by appropriately licensed Clinical Service Managers. Decisions to approve only clinically necessary services are made considering all pertinent historical, examination and outcomes data submitted for review. Clinical Service Managers are not provided any type of incentive to modify or deny services. A general overview of clinical guidelines may be found within the Provider Operations manual or on www.ashcompanies.com. Did you know? You can verify member eligibility, submit and check the status of treatment submissions and claims on the Internet! Incentives are available to providers who use our internet services. Many other benefits exist when using electronic transactions. Just go to www.ashcompanies.com and click on ASHLINK to find out more and how to register.

The following is the clinical rationale on which the decision was based and was also provided to your patient:

This is in response to a reconsideration of services submitted by your provider. The request for a reconsideration of services submitted by your provider was not received within 30 days of the last date of the treatment plan period or within 30 days of the receipt of the response form. If any non-approved services have already been provided, you are not responsible for the charges, including member co-payments, unless you agreed with your provider in writing and in advance of the service that you would be financially responsible for payment.

The following is for your information and was not included in the patient response:

This is in response to a Reconsideration and reflects the total number of services approved both as part of the initial request and the reconsideration (365).

Denied - write up 5/3/07 took to write report