

## **Do outpatient services require review approval or prior authorization?**

Some outpatient services do require prior approval through the Department for Medicaid (DMS) designated Peer Review Organization (PRO). Emergency admissions do not require pre-admission approval. Providers have two working days from the date of the emergency to obtain the approval from the PRO. For more information on services which require a prior authorization in the outpatient setting, refer to the provider resource [page](#).