

Patient Label



****Please Fax to (757) 395-8626****

I am referring:

Patient Name _____ DOB _____ SS# _____

Address _____

Phone: (H) _____ (C) _____ (W) _____

Weight _____ Height _____

Insurance Name _____ Authorization # _____ Number of Visits _____

Visit Start & End dates _____

For the necessary Diabetes out-patient self-management program:

Diabetes Diagnosis: Type 1 Type 2 IGT Gestational Other _____

Recent HgbA1c: _____ Date: _____ (Attach any pertinent lab work)

Blood Glucose Target Range: _____

GROUP EDUCATION

Health Living with Diabetes: Comprehensive Group program – 10 hours of class includes: Individual Assessment, Understanding Diabetes / Complications / Foot Care / Community Resources / Nutrition Management / Changing Habits / Sick Day Management / Medication / Monitoring / Exercise / Stress / Goal Setting

INDIVIDUAL SESSIONS

Insulin Start: Preparation / Self Injection / Prevention / Treatment of Low / High Blood Sugar
 Insulin Type: _____ Dose: _____ Frequency: _____

Use of Blood Glucose Meter: Operation of Meter, Obtaining Sample of Capillary Blood, Record Keeping Treatment of Low / High Blood Glucose

Gestational Diabetes Management: Diabetes and Pregnancy, Monitoring / Meter, Record Keeping, Individualized Meal Plan

Nutrition Counseling/Medical Nutrition Therapy (special needs related to diabetes):
 Examples: Renal, Gastroparesis, etc. Specify: _____

Advanced Carbohydrate Counting (1 ½ Hours)

Intensive Management (2 Hours)
 Includes Carbohydrate Counting & Insulin Adjustment Training

Insulin Pump Therapy (3 visits / 6 hours)
 Pump Selection/Video Presentations, Pump Operation Training, Carbohydrate Counting, Intensive Management, Trial Pumping Normal Saline

Physician Signature _____ Date/Time _____

Physician Name – please print _____

Address _____ Tel # _____ Fax # _____

Outpatient Reimbursement Criteria (For Insurance Reimbursement)

The criteria below has been developed as a guideline to validate the need for supplemental diabetes self-management training above and beyond the usual, reasonable, and necessary training provided by the physician.

(Mark one or more of the following reasons for patient referral)

A. Poorly Controlled Diabetes or New Onset Diabetes

- Recurrent elevated blood glucose (fasting glucose > 126 mg/dL, recurrent random glucose >200 mg/dL; or HgbA1c>6.5).
- Recurrent Hypoglycemia or Hyperglycemia Unawareness.
- Recent Hospitalization for DKA or HHNK indicating need for supplemental diabetes self management training.
- Recurrent utilization of diabetes services via emergency room, hospital, home health services, physician office or clinic visit.
- Non-compliance to recommended regimen
- Other: _____

B. Diabetes Complications

- Retinopathy Neuropathy Pregnancy Nephropathy
- Dermatopathy Hyperlipidemia Hypertension Cardiovascular Disease
- Other _____

C. Existing barriers that impede the patient's ability to obtain diabetes self-management skills through routine physician office training:

- Learning Disability Visual Impairment Impaired Psychosocial Status Impaired Dexterity
- Impaired Mobility Morbid Obesity Eating Disorders Low Literacy
- Impaired Hearing Other _____

For reimbursement purposes, it is preferred to elaborate on the specific values, severity, and time frames related to any of the above.

NOTE: PLEASE INITIATE THE PROCESS OF PRIOR AUTHORIZATION FOR THE ABOVE REQUEST, IF SPECIFIED AND REQUIRED BY THE CLIENT'S INSURER(S). THANK YOU