# **Care Coordination Alert**



## **News of interest from UCare**

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Issues of *Care Coordination Alert* often refer to several different UCare forms. Please note that UCare care coordination forms are on the UCare website under the <u>Care Coordination and Care Management</u> web page.

### Please send care coordination-related questions to the Clinical Liaison mailbox:

MSC/MSHO: <u>MSC MSHO ClinicalLiaison@ucare.org</u> or by phone: 612-294-5045 or 1-866-613-1395 Connect/Connect + Medicare: <u>SNBCClinicalliaison@ucare.org</u> or by phone: 612-676-6625 or 1-833-951-3190 toll free.

### 7/1/25 Requirement Grids DRAFT

Connect/Connect + Medicare and MSC+/MSHO

Please take time to review the entire requirements grid(s) to ensure knowledge of all care coordination requirements. Changes/revisions are noted in YELLOW highlight on the grids. Below are some of the more significant changes:

#### Connect/Connect + Medicare

#### **Care Coordination Requirements Grid**

- Updated initial and annual contact requirements for Connect+ Medicare and Connect. Updated actionable attempts definition and added Connect outreach attempts definition.
- Added in-person assessment requirements for Connect+ Medicare and Connect
- Added Members on CAC/CADI/DD/BI Waiver section and provided clarification on dual roles
- Updated DTR process for supplemental benefits and ILOS

#### MSC+/MSHO

#### **Community Elderly Waiver Care Coordination Requirements Grid**

- Initial assessments are valid for 365 days from the initial assessment interview date to establish EW eligibility
- Added Community First Services & Supports (CFSS) section
- Updated Elderly Waiver Provider Signature requirements and Change in Elderly Waiver Services/Providers requirements (new letter and signature timeline clarification)
- Notification to Behavioral Health Home staff upon transitions of care
- Updated DTR process for supplemental benefits and ILOS
- Updated actionable attempts requirement to include first attempt must be a phone call and one attempt must be a letter



#### **Community Non-Elderly Waiver Care Coordination Requirements Grid**

- Initial assessments are valid for 365 days from the initial assessment interview date to establish EW eligibility
- Added Community First Services & Supports (CFSS) section
- Notification to Behavioral Health Home staff upon transitions of care
- Added Members on CAC/CADI/DD/BI Waiver section and provided clarification on dual roles
- Updated DTR process for supplemental benefits and ILOS
- Updated actionable attempts requirement to include first attempt must be a phone call and one attempt must be a letter

#### **Institutionalized Care Coordination Requirements Grid**

- Notification to Behavioral Health Home staff upon transitions of care
- Updated DTR process for supplemental benefits
- Updated actionable attempts requirement to include first attempt must be a phone call and one attempt must be a letter

Please reach out to the Clinical Liaisons with any questions or feedback you may have. Thank you for all you do to support UCare members!

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