

## **Provider Notice**

To: PerformCare SU Intensive Outpatient Providers

From: Dan Eisenhauer, Director of Operations

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Subject: SUD 22 100 SU Intensive Outpatient Registration change

PerformCare previously issued Provider Notice SA 16 100 which outlined the process for SU Intensive Outpatient registration and authorization requirements, and included the prior authorization request form. That process limited the length of an authorization to four weeks or 28 days.

Effective 4/1/2022, PerformCare is changing the length of an authorization for SU Intensive Outpatient to a six months with 494 units of service. This change is a result of our review of internal processes, and a review of our authorization volume and patterns and length of stay in IOP. SU IOP providers must adhere to ASAM requirements for level of care determinations and individually tailored treatment, including the intensity and duration of services.

A revised **Substance Use Disorder IOP Program Prior Authorization Request and Discharge Form** is attached to this notice. Beginning with authorization or reauthorization requests on or after 4/1/2022 providers should use this revised form.

If you have any questions about this notice please contact your Account Executive.

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