

## Provider types managed by Northwood

- ✓ Breast prosthesis providers
- ✓ Durable medical equipment providers
- ✓ Home care providers\* (home health)
- ✓ Home infusion providers\*
- ✓ Medical supply providers
- ✓ Mobility providers
- ✓ Ocular prosthetic providers
- ✓ Orthotics/prosthetic providers
- ✓ Oxygen/respiratory equipment providers
- ✓ Personal emergency response system (PERS) providers
- ✓ Pharmacy providers (who distribute/dispense DMEPOS)
- ✓ Specialty pharmacy providers\*
- ✓ Sleep study providers\*\*
- ✓ Speech generating device providers
- ✓ Wig providers

**\*Exception:** When home infusion, home care and specialty Rx provider types are billing for medical supplies and equipment related to infusion/parenteral/tube fed nutrition, WellSense manages authorizations/pays for those supplies and/or equipment. *Some examples of codes where this is the case include: B4102, B4103, B4149, B4150, B4154, B4160, B4161, B4034, B4035, B4036, B4087 and B4088.*

**\*\*Exception:** When sleep study providers are billing for professional studies supporting sleep services, WellSense manages authorizations/pays for those services.

**\*\*NOTE:** Authorization for items less than \$500.00, based off Northwood's fee schedule, will no longer be required for dates of service beginning on 10/01/2022.

## Provider types managed by WellSense Health Plan

- ✓ Acute, sub-acute/intermediate care, and rehabilitation hospitals/facilities
- ✓ Allied health practitioners (including podiatrists, chiropractors, physical therapists, occupational therapists, speech therapists and optometrists)
- ✓ Ambulance providers
- ✓ Behavioral health providers (managed by Carelon)
- ✓ Cardiac monitoring providers
- ✓ Hearing aid providers
- ✓ Outpatient facilities (including outpatient hospitals, ambulatory surgery centers, labs, emergency rooms, and urgent care centers)
- ✓ Physician, mid-level clinicians and corresponding locations

**NOTE:** These providers may dispense and bill DMEPOS items – WellSense manages authorizations/pays for those supplies/services from the above provider types.