



MONTANA HEALTHCARE PROGRAMS NOTICE

May 30, 2018

Physicians, Mid-level, Inpatient Hospital, Outpatient Hospital,
Ambulatory Surgical Center

Effective June 1, 2018 **REVISED**

Panniculectomy Criteria

Effective June 1, 2108, there is new criteria for Panniculectomy surgery. [The updated criteria can be found at https://medicaidprovider.mt.gov/priorauthorization](https://medicaidprovider.mt.gov/priorauthorization)

As a Reminder

Per ARM 37.85.207(2)(o) Montana Healthcare Programs do not cover invasive medical procedures undertaken for the purpose of weight reduction such as gastric bypass, gastric banding, or bariatric surgery, including all revisions

Contact Information

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