

SAMPLE LETTER OF MEDICAL NECESSITY

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[Physician's Letterhead] [Date]

[City, State, ZIP Code]

RE: Coverage for Health and Wellness Coaching

Patient: [Patient Name]

Date of Birth: [Date]

Diagnosis: [Diagnosis], [ICD-10-CM]

Dear HSA/FSA Plan:

I am writing on behalf of my patient, [Patient Name], to document the medical necessity to treat their [Diagnosis] with [Coach name, a National Board Certified Health and Wellness Coach at (Coach Business LLC Name / NPI: xxxxxxxxx / EIN: xx-xxxxxx/ Health and Wellness Coaching Taxonomy code: 71400000X)].

This letter serves to document my patient's medical history and diagnosis and to summarize my treatment rationale. Please refer to the [List any Enclosures] enclosed with this letter.

Summary of Patient's Medical History and Diagnosis

[Patient Name] is [Age] years old and was initially diagnosed with [Diagnosis] [ICD-10-CM] on [Date]. [Patient Name] has been in my care since [Date].

[Provide a discussion of the patient's clinical history, current symptoms and condition, any potential contraindications, and any relevant laboratory test results, highlighting the factors leading you to recommend use of the service]

Rationale for Treatment

[Include your clinical rationale and reasons for prescribing the service]

In summary, [Service Name] is medically necessary and reasonable to treat [Patient Name's] [Diagnosis], and I ask you to please consider coverage of [Service Name] on [Patient Name's] behalf. Please refer to the enclosed supporting documents for further details, and do not hesitate to call me at [Phone Number] if you have any questions or if you require additional information.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

[Provider Signature]

[Prescribing Physician Name and Credentials] [NPI Number]

Enclosures: [List any Enclosures]