



REFERRAL GUIDELINE

Asthma Disease Management

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Asthma Disease Management
Program (RADMP)

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	CCWNC (Medicaid / Health Choice Only)	RADMP (grant funded, limited capacity, high risk)
When to Refer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Newly diagnosed/categorized asthmatics in need of disease and/or medication administration education Suspected significant home environmental triggers Patients with significant barriers to self-care Very poorly controlled asthma Significant ED/Hospital utilization 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Very poorly controlled asthma Social determinant screening Significant ED/hospital utilization/school absences
Services Provided	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Care coordination Disease and medication education Medication administration education Medication reconciliation as needed Home visits, remediation recommendations ED/Hospital Follow-up Automated calls – “flu shots”, routine age appropriate visits, etc. Smoking cessation – quit line Note: patient’s participation is voluntary 	<p>Asthma care and education in local settings – homes, childcare centers, schools, and other community sites.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clinical assessments including <ul style="list-style-type: none"> lung spirometry, exhaled nitric oxide (eNO), peak flow meter monitoring Patient education / Self Mgt Medication assessments/Asthma Action Plans Environ assess / Home remediation referrals Care coordination Community based education programs Smoking cessation referrals
Pre-Visit Work Up	<p>Asthma history (duration of diagnosis, ED/hosp hx, co-morbidities) Current medications or Asthma Action Plan Classification: Intermittent, (Mild, Mod, Sev) Persistent</p>	
Primary care co-management	Continued clinical management, both acute and chronic	<p>Assist with acute care Reinforce chronic clinical care per EPR-3</p>
Return to Primary Care Endpoint	Resolution of care management needs	<p>12 month program enrollment goals:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Controlled asthma Subjective improvement in quality of life Decrease school absenteeism Decrease ED/Hosp utilization