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MEMORANDUM

To: LIHP Providers
From: Provider Services Department
Date: 12/18/13
Subject: LIHP Authorizations

On January 1, 2014, Low Income Health Program (LIHP) members will transition into Medi-Cal. These members include all members who are currently participating in ViaCare Monterey County and MediCruz Advantage in Santa Cruz County.

The Alliance will continue to honor existing approved authorizations under the member's LIHP ID number. Providers will not need to resubmit Alliance approved authorizations. Providers may find approved authorizations through the Provider Portal by searching for either the authorization number, or the member ID used at the time the authorization was submitted.

Any new authorization requests after January 1, 2014, should be submitted using the member's new Medi-Cal ID number.

For questions related to authorizations, please contact the Alliance Utilization Management Department, (831) 430-5506.