

# Magellan ABA Authorizations

## \* Identify Need via Comprehensive Diagnostic Eval. (CDE)

- Conducted by a qualified health care professional (QHCP) to determine the medical necessity for ABA services
- Includes a clinical history, direct observation of the recipient, review of records, valid diagnosis, justification for ABA services, and recommendations for additional treatment or evaluations

## ✓ Request Authorization for Behavior Treatment Planning

- Fax to Magellan (**1-888-656-5703**) the request to perform a functional assessment and develop a behavior treatment plan
- Include the CDE conducted and supporting documentation, such as the recipient's IEP

## ● Develop Behavior Treatment Plan

- Person-centered and based on the outcomes of the CDE
- Includes specific goals and objectives, the schedule of services, care coordination and parent/caregiver training, and interventions aligned with ABA techniques

## ▶ Request Authorization for ABA Services

- Fax to Magellan (1-888-656-5703) a request to enact the Behavior Treatment Plan
- Include the CDE, behavior treatment plan, and other supporting documentation such as the IEP and/or waiver plan profile table and schedule

## ▶▶ Continue Care / Subsequent Requests

- Fax updated treatment plan or the Magellan ABA treatment plan/concurrent review form to **1-888-656-5703**
- Only **new** or **expired** authorizations need to be sent to Magellan
- **Updates** to existing authorizations are to be sent to Louisiana Healthcare Connections



### Forms & Info

MagellanProvider.com/LHC



### Questions

1-866-595-8133



### Fax Request

1-888-656-5703