Provider types managed by Northwood

✓ Breast prosthesis providers
✓ Durable medical equipment providers
✓ Home care providers* (home health)
✓ Home infusion providers*
✓ Medical supply providers
✓ Mobility providers
✓ Ocular prosthetic providers
✓ Orthotics/prosthetic providers
✓ Oxygen/respiratory equipment providers

*Exception: When home infusion, home care and specialty Rx provider types are billing for medical supplies and equipment related to infusion/parenteral/tube fed nutrition, WellSense manages authorizations/pays for those supplies and/or equipment. Some examples of codes where this is the case include: B4102, B4103, B4149, B4150, B4154, B4160, B4161, B4034, B4035, B4036, B4087 and B4088.

**Exception: When sleep study providers are billing for professional studies supporting sleep services, WellSense manages authorizations/pays for those services.

**NOTE: Authorization for items less than $500.00, based off Northwood’s fee schedule, will no longer be required for dates of service beginning on 10/01/2022.

Provider types managed by WellSense Health Plan

✓ Personal emergency response system (PERS) providers
✓ Pharmacy providers (who distribute/dispense DMEPOS)
✓ Specialty pharmacy providers*
✓ Sleep study providers**
✓ Speech generating device providers
✓ Wig providers

✓ Acute, sub-acute/intermediate care, and rehabilitation hospitals/facilities
✓ Allied health practitioners (including podiatrists, chiropractors, physical therapists, occupational therapists, speech therapists and optometrists)
✓ Ambulance providers
✓ Behavioral health providers (managed by Carelon)
✓ Cardiac monitoring providers
✓ Hearing aid providers
✓ Outpatient facilities (including outpatient hospitals, ambulatory surgery centers, labs, emergency rooms, and urgent care centers)
✓ Physician, mid-level clinicians and corresponding locations

NOTE: These providers may dispense and bill DMEPOS items – WellSense manages authorizations/pays for those supplies/services from the above provider types.