

# **Insurance Pre-Authorization Update #5**

# Beginning April 1st, 2018 Swedish Radia Imaging Center will be contracted with Premera Med Advantage

**Does Premera Med Advantage require authorization for Advanced Imaging?** Yes, pre-authorization is required for MRI and CT.

### Can Swedish Radia Imaging Center help obtain the authorization?

Yes, AIM will allow Radia to begin the process of obtaining the prior authorization for your patient. After you have sent the exam order to scheduling, fax **relevant chart notes** to our pre-authorization specialist at fax number **425-670-8690**. Providing physical therapy and chiropractic treatment notes and dates is appreciated.

# What if AIM requires additional information or a Peer to Peer review?

If Radia requires more information or AIM has requested a Peer to Peer review, our pre-authorization specialist will contact your office by phone or fax. A list of clinical appropriate guidelines for advanced imaging is available on aimspecialtyhealth.com/PDF/Guidelines/2018/Mar12/AIM\_Guidelines.pdf

# What if you want to do the authorization yourself?

You can still do the authorizations through AIM yourself online at providerportal.com. Please just note the **authorization number** on the order form or make a note on the order stating: *office will obtain the authorization*. Swedish Radia Imaging Edmonds Tax ID:20-3355320 and NPI 1003894999.

If you have any questions about AIM authorizations or any authorizations please call 425-640-4800 to speak with a pre-authorization specialist

21700 Highway 99 Edmonds, WA 98026

Pre-authorization direct line: (425) 640-4800

Fax: (425) 670-8690