



Primary Provider Management Company, Inc. (PPMC) services:

CalCare IPA

Crown City Medical Group Los

Angeles Medical Center IPA

Vantage Medical Group

PPMC requires that all utilization related decisions regarding member coverage and or services must be based on appropriateness of care. Also, these decisions may not be influenced by any financial reward or incentive. PPMC will not allow any reward or incentive that could discourage appropriate care.

PPMC does not reward providers or employees for issuing denials of coverage and or service. All denials must be based strictly on a lack of medical appropriateness or benefit coverage.

UM Decisions for members must be based only on appropriateness of care and service and existence of coverage. The IPA does not specifically reward practitioners or other individuals for issuing denials of coverage or service care; financial incentives for UM decision makers do not encourage decisions that result in underutilization. The IPA ensures that contracts with physicians do not encourage or contain financial incentives for denial of coverage or service.