## **GENERAL PROCEDURES AUTHORIZATION**

## Office Visits (CPT 99214):

- APPROVED if:
  - \* Established patient with chronic conditions
  - \* Follow-up for abnormal lab results
  - \* Medication management required
- \* Multiple diagnoses requiring evaluation
- DENIED if:
  - \* Routine annual physical (use 99395)
- \* No medical necessity documented
- \* Simple prescription refills

## **Laboratory Tests:**

- APPROVED if:
  - \* Age >40 annual screening
  - \* Chronic disease monitoring
  - \* Abnormal previous results
  - \* Medication monitoring requirements
- DENIED if:
  - \* Excessive frequency without indication
  - \* Screening in low-risk patients
- \* Duplicate recent testing