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Dear Valued Culinary Provider:

Culinary Health Fund will be implementing a new oncology program that will take effect October 15, 2009.

In an effort to provide continuity of care, Culinary Health Fund will be implementing a mandatory pre-approval plan on all chemotherapy and radiation therapy treatments related to cancer. Proposed treatments will be reviewed by an oncology specialist. This will allow oncology patients to be automatically referred into a specialized case management program that will be able to provide additional assessment, education and resources.

Proposed treatment must be submitted to American Health Holdings, Inc. (AHH) via their toll free number (866) 330-2307 or website at <u>.americanhealthholdings.com</u> prior to services being rendered. Please note that failure to submit treatment plans may result in reimbursement for treatment being delayed or denied.

We look forward to working with you as we implement this program and work toward a comprehensive case management approach for our participants.

If you have any questions regarding this communication please contact our Provider Services Department at (702) 892-7313.

Sincerely,

Shelli Lara

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