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# DATE OF REVIEW: X

# IRO CASE #: X

#### DESCRIPTION OF THE SERVICE OR SERVICES IN DISPUTE

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### A DESCRIPTION OF THE QUALIFICATIONS FOR EACH PHYSICIAN OR OTHER HEALTH CARE PROVIDER WHO REVIEWED THE DECISION

This case was reviewed by a Medical Doctor licensed by the Texas State Board of Medical Examiners. X

# **REVIEW OUTCOME**

Upon independent review the reviewer finds that the previous adverse determination/adverse determinations should be:

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# **INFORMATION PROVIDED TO THE IRO FOR REVIEW**

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# PATIENT CLINICAL HISTORY [SUMMARY]:

The claimant is a X who was X, in a X. The claimant was diagnosed with X. A X was recommended and requested on

X. X were reported to the X. Treatment had included X. A X on X, noted the claimant was X. The claimant was recommended for X.

#### ANALYSIS AND EXPLANATION OF THE DECISION INCLUDE CLINICAL BASIS, FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS USED TO SUPPORT THE DECISION. IF THERE WAS ANY DIVERGENCE FROM DWC'S POLICIES/GUIDLEINES OR THE NETWORK'S TREATMENT GUIDELINES, THEN INDICATE BELOW WITH EXPLANATION.

The request was previously noncertified on X, due to lack of medical necessity. No additional medical documentation was submitted. The request remains noncertified. The guidelines would not support X for those who are a candidate for X. The records indicate the claimant was a candidate for possible X. There should be evidence of an X. In addition, the guidelines note that the X. There is no documentation provided supporting that the claimant is not a candidate for additional treatment, such X. Therefore, the medical necessity of X has not been established. The request for X is not certified.

### A DESCRIPTION AND THE SOURCE OF THE SCREENING CRITERIA OR OTHER CLINICAL BASIS USED TO MAKE THE DECISION:

XX DWC- DIVISION OF WORKERS COMPENSATION POLICIES OR GUIDELINES

XX MEDICAL JUDGEMENT, CLINICAL EXPERIENCE AND EXPERTISE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ACCEPTED MEDICAL STANDARDS

XX ODG- OFFICIAL DISABILITY GUIDELINES & TREATMENT GUIDELINES