

# **Katie Beckett Letter of Medical Necessity**

#### What is it?

Families in the Katie Beckett Part B program that have the Health Reimbursement Account (HRA) service must submit a Letter of Medical Necessity (LOMN) to justify purchases made for their child. The purpose of this LOMN is to **justify** and **explain how** the expense is treating the child's medical condition.

## Simple, right? Wrong.

Inspira requires a Letter of Medical Necessity (LOMN) Form from the healthcare provider confirming the expenses are needed to treat a specific diagnosis. It must be completed by *child's physician or therapist, including - but not limited to - pediatrician, specialist, medical doctor, physician's assistant, licensed/registered nurse practitioner, and occupational/physical/speech therapist.* 

To view the LOMN form, please click, <u>Inspira Letter of Medical Necessity Form</u>

### Tips for completing the form:

#### Section A: Child's Information

- o Child's Name
- HRA Cardholder's Name (Parent/guardian)
- o Child's SSN
- Employer Name: State of Tennessee Katie Beckett HRA

## • Section B: Treatment Recommendations (to be completed by Health Care Provider)

- o List ALL the child's medical conditions here
  - Example: Autism, Hypotonia, Sleep Apnea, etc.
- Recommended Treatment (select all that apply)
  - Includes a list of categories that the Health Care Provider can check off, however they still <u>must</u> provide additional detail in the empty box below.
    - The health care provider must list out in the empty box below:
      - What is the item?
      - What condition is it treating?
      - o How will it treat the condition?

#### • Examples:

- Sensory swing for his Autism to treat his gross motor development and to advance therapeutic goals.
- Stroller wagon for his Autism and Hypotonia due to elopement and mobility concerns to aid in community integration.

**Tip:** The provider **CAN** include multiple items on one form. If you do not have enough space to list everything out the <u>provider can sign and date additional pages</u>. **BE SPECIFIC!!** 

## Once you think you are specific enough, be even more specific.

This LOMN is valid (choose this answer below):

# ☐ For the duration of the time the child is receiving Katie Beckett, Part B services

# Items that are frequently covered in the program by a LOMN:

- Non-traditional therapies such as: hippotherapy, music therapy, aquatic therapy, art therapy, Neurofeedback, etc.
- Diapers/wipes/formula
- Orthotics
- ABA therapy
- Sensory Items: such as swings, fidgets, etc.
- Communication devices/assistive technology
- Tablets (such as iPads), cases, headphones
- Specialized car seat/equipment
- WonderFold wagon
- School tuition, homeschool supplies, tutoring services
- Fence/security equipment for elopement risk
- AngelSense
- Pool for aquatic therapy
- Cubby Bed
- Vitamins, probiotics
- Specialty toothbrush

#### Website to buy sensory items that DO NOT require a LOMN:

**Autism Community Store** 

**Fun & Function** 

**Harkla** 

**National Autism Resources** 

<u>eSpecial Needs</u>

**Ark Theraputics** 

**Autism Products** 

Websites recommended by families: (as of 9/3/24)
FSA Store
HSA Store
<u>Carewell</u>
<u>Medline</u>
<u>Vitality Medical</u>
<u>Therapy Shoppe</u>
Adaptive Mall
<u>Tadpole Adaptive</u>
Baby's On Broadway
<u>CBO</u>
<u>Special Kids Company</u>