



### **Provider Web Portal Medical Accumulators**

The South Country Health Alliance (South Country) provider web portal currently displays home care skilled nursing, hearing aid, breast pump, hospice election, and chiropractic accumulators.

### **Home Care Accumulators**

Home care accumulators are displayed by showing the number of South Country paid homecare skilled nursing visits (T1030), home health aide (T1021), and home therapies (S9128, S9129, S9131) for members in Families and Children, MinnesotaCare, and SingleCare or SharedCare programs. Members in these programs are allowed **nine visits per calendar year**. Once this limit is met, any additional visits require a service authorization.

Please refer to the *Home Care Services* section of our [Provider Manual](#) for these threshold totals.

### **Hearing aid accumulators**

Hearing aid accumulators are determined by a procedure code that identifies a monaural or set of binaural hearing aids and paid claims data for the **past three years**.

The original dispense date identifies the date of service on which the first monaural or set of binaural hearing aids were dispensed.

Please refer to the [Provider Manual](#) for thresholds.

### **Breast Pump Accumulators**

Breast pump accumulators are determined by the procedure code E0603 for electric breast pump and are limited to **one every year**.

Please refer to the *Equipment and Supplies* section of our [Provider Manual](#) for these threshold totals.

### **Hospice election accumulators**

If a member has elected hospice, the accumulator will display as “*M-Hospice Election Individual*” and will include the date the member elected hospice. If there is no indication under the medical accumulator section of the hospice election, it means South Country has not yet been notified of the member’s hospice election.

Please refer to the *Hospice Services* section of our [Provider Manual](#) for billing requirements.

### **Chiropractic accumulators**

South Country follows the Minnesota Department of Human Services (DHS) requirement

for prior authorization of chiropractic services **after 24 manipulations per year and after 6 manipulations per month**. Note: If the accumulator displays a count over the allowed units, it means South Country Health Alliance has authorized additional units.

Please refer to the *Chiropractic Services* section of our [Provider Manual](#) for these threshold totals.

### **Mammogram Screening**

South Country allows one mammogram screening, every five rolling years, for members enrolled in our **AbilityCare program between the ages of 35-39**. This count will be shown for AbilityCare members in the provider portal.

*\*As a benefit anyone (regardless of product) age 40 and older is allowed 1 in every one rolling year, however this does not display as an accumulator in the portal.*

Please refer to the *(add here)* section of our [Provider Manual](#) for these threshold totals.

### **Program-specific information**

For program specific information, please refer to the program's *Evidence of Coverage* or *Member Handbook*:

- [Families and Children](#) also known as Prepaid Medical Assistance Program or PMAP
- [MinnesotaCare](#)
- [Minnesota Senior Care Plus \(MSC+\)](#)
- [AbilityCare \(HMO SNP\)](#) – Integrated SNBC
- [SingleCare](#) - SNBC
- [SharedCare](#) - SNBC
- [SeniorCare Complete \(HMO SNP\)](#) - MSHO