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The TRICARE Management Activity has authorized the following addition(s)/revision(s).

**CHANGE TITLE: WAIVER OF REFERRAL REQUIREMENT FOR H1N1 IMMUNIZATIONS**

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**PAGE CHANGE(S): See page 2.**

**SUMMARY OF CHANGE(S):** In an effort to reduce any impediments TRICARE Prime enrollees may encounter in receiving the H1N1 immunization, requirements that a TRICARE Prime enrollee obtain a referral/authorization from their Primary Care Manager (PCM) to receive the H1N1 immunization from a non-network TRICARE authorized provider has been temporarily waived from October 1, 2009 to May 1, 2010.

**EFFECTIVE AND IMPLEMENTATION DATE: October 1, 2009.**

**This change is made in conjunction with Aug 2002 TOM, Change No. 89.**

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