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**ATTACHMENT J.16**

**UTILIZATION REVIEWS AND QUALITY  
IMPROVEMENT ACTIVITIES**

**FY-11 & FY-12**

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**Utilization Reviews/Quality Improvement Actions**

**FY-11 & FY-12**

<b>TYPE OF REVIEW</b>		<b>FY11</b>	<b>FY12</b>
<b>Prior Authorization</b>		<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>
Acute Care Hospitals	Each Admission	<b>1,436</b>	<b>1,271</b>
Bordering Counties	Each Admission	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>
Gastric By-pass	Each Admission	<b>43</b>	<b>28</b>
Outpatient Medical and Surgical Procedures	Each Admission	<b>1288</b>	<b>1383</b>
Extended Home Health (PCA State Plan)	Each Service	<b>5008</b>	<b>15384</b>
Hearing Aids and Artificial Larynxes	Each Service	<b>270</b>	<b>331</b>
Optical Services	Each Service	<b>6,354</b>	<b>5,819</b>
Dental and Orthodontic Service	Each Service	<b>1,871</b>	<b>2,061</b>
Durable Medical Equipment	Each Service	<b>3,527</b>	<b>3,288</b>
<b>Pre-Admission Reviews</b>			
Medlink and Hadley Memorial Hospitals	Each Admission	<b>590</b>	<b>452</b>
National Rehabilitation Hospital	Each Admission	<b>447</b>	<b>356</b>
Hospital for Sick Children	Each Admission	<b>27</b>	<b>11</b>
<b>Emergency Admissions Reviews</b>			
Acute Care Hospitals	Each Admission	<b>12,061</b>	<b>10,287</b>
Acute Care Hospitals Bordering Counties	Each Admission	<b>1,321</b>	<b>1,086</b>
<b>Continued Stay Reviews</b>			
Medlink and Hadley Memorial Hospitals	Each CSR	<b>1,532</b>	<b>1,535</b>
National Rehabilitation Hospital	Each CSR	<b>655</b>	<b>626</b>
Hospital for Sick Children	Each CSR	<b>65</b>	<b>25</b>
Non-DRG Acute Care Hospitals	Each CSR	<b>1,658</b>	<b>1,321</b>
Pediatric Specialty Hospitals-Maryland Cumberland	Each CSR	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
Pediatric Specialty Hospitals-Maryland Kennedy Kreiger	Each CSR	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Retrospective Reviews</b>			
Transfers Acute Care Hospital to Acute Care Hospital	Each Admission	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>