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April 17, 2025

**TO: Otorhinolaryngologist Providers**

**RE: Cochlear Implant**

Effective March 1, 2025, the six-month hearing aid trial requirement prior to cochlear implant surgery has been waived and removed from the Cochlear Implant Request form (PA Form: PHY-96-11).

Providers with billing questions may contact the Gainwell Technology Provider Assistance Center at 1-800-688-7989.