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IHCP adds placenta accreta, increta, and percreta to list of approved medical indications for early delivery

In the *Indiana Health Coverage Programs (IHCP) Bulletin <u>BT201421</u>, dated May 5, 2014, the IHCP announced implementation of a new early elective delivery (EED) policy, effective for dates of admission on or after July 1, 2014. Under this new policy, deliveries that are not medically indicated prior to 39 weeks and 0 days, known as EEDs, are not covered. Deliveries that meet one of the approved medical indications for a medically necessary delivery prior to 39 weeks and 0 days remain covered.*

Effective for dates of admission on or after February 1, 2014, the IHCP will add the obstetric indications of placenta accreta, increta, and percreta to the list of approved medical indications for a medically necessary delivery prior to 39 weeks and 0 days of gestation.



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