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ITEM 4.a.     Nursing facility services (other than services in an institution for mental diseases) for individuals 21 years of age or older: Rehabilitation Center services provided in nursing facilities located outside Vermont for the severely disabled such as head injured or ventilator dependent people require authorization prior to admission from the Medicaid Director or a designee. Coverage of this care is limited to one year.

A review to determine the continued medical necessity of this care may be requested by the Medicaid Director or a designee during the one year period of coverage.

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