

Prior Authorization Requirements for Pennsylvania Medicaid

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General Information

This list contains prior authorization requirements for participating care providers with UnitedHealthcare Community Plan in Pennsylvania for inpatient and outpatient services. To request prior authorization, please submit your request online, or by phone or fax:

- **Online:** Use the Prior Authorization and Notification tool on UnitedHealthcare Provider Portal. Go to [UHCprovider.com](https://uhcprovider.com) and click on the UnitedHealthcare Provider Portal button in the top right corner. Then, select Prior Authorization and Notification on your Provider Portal dashboard.
- **Phone:** 800-600-9007
- **Fax:** 877-310-3826

Prior authorization is not required for emergency or urgent care. Out-of-network physicians, facilities and other health care providers must request prior authorization for all procedures and services, excluding emergent or urgent care, as identified below.

Procedures and services	Additional information	CPT® or HCPCS codes and how to obtain prior authorization			
Abortion	Prior authorization required	59840 59852 59866	59841 59855	59850 59856	59851 59857
Bariatric surgery Bariatric surgery and specific obesity-related services	Prior authorization required	43644 43775 43847	43645 43842 43848	43659 43845 43860	43770 43846
Behavioral health services	These services are carved out and are managed by the Behavioral Health Managed Care Organization (MCO) that covers the member's county of residence. For more information, please call the Member Services number on the back of the ID card.				
Bone growth stimulator Electronic stimulation or ultrasound to heal fractures	Prior authorization required	20975	20979		
BRCA genetic testing	Prior authorization required	81162	81432	81433	

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Breast reconstruction (non-mastectomy) Reconstruction of the breast except when following mastectomy	Prior authorization required	11971	19316	19318	19325
		19328	19330	19340	19342
		19350	19357	19361	19364
		19367	19368	19369	19370
		19371	19380	19396	L8600
Cancer supportive care	Prior authorization required for colony-stimulating factor drugs and bone-modifying agent administered in an outpatient setting for a cancer diagnosis *Codes J1442, J1447, J1448, J2506, Q5101, Q5108, Q5110, Q5111, Q5120, Q5122 and Q5125 also require prior authorization for non-oncology DX. See Injectable medications section below.	<u>Antiemetics</u>			
		Fosaprepitant, 1 mg (Emend for Injection) J1453			
		Fosnetupitant 235 mg and palonosetron 0.25 mg J1454			
		Fosaprepitant (Teva) J1456			
		Granisetron, extended-release J1627			
		<u>Injectable colony-stimulating factor drugs that require prior authorization:</u>			
		Eflapegrastim-xnst (Rovedon®) J1449			
		Filgrastim (Neupogen®) J1442*			
		Filgrastim-aafi (Nivestym™) Q5110*			
		Filgrastim-ayow (Releuko®) Q5125*			
		Filgrastim-sndz (Zarxio®) Q5101*			
		Pegfilgrastim (Neulasta®) J2506*			
		Pegfilgrastim-appf, biosimilar (Nyvepria®) Q5122*			
		Pegfilgrastim-bmez (Ziextenzo®) Q5120*			
		Pegfilgrastim-cbqv (UDENYCA™) Q5111*			
Pegfilgrastim-jmdb (Fulphila™) Q5108*					
Sargramostim (Leukine®) J2820					

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Cancer supportive care (cont.)		Tbo-filgrastim (Granix®) J1447*
		Trilaciclib (Cosela®) J1448*
		<u>Bone-modifying agent that requires prior authorization:</u> Denosumab (Xgeva®) J0897
		<u>Erythropoiesis-Stimulating Agents</u> J0885

Please submit requests online by using the Prior Authorization and Notification tool on UnitedHealthcare Provider Portal. Go to UHCprovider.com and click on the UnitedHealthcare Provider Portal button in the top right corner. Then, select Prior Authorization and Notification on your Provider Portal dashboard. Or, call **888-397-8129**.

Cardiology	Prior authorization required for participating physicians for outpatient and office-based diagnostic catheterizations, electrophysiology implants and stress echoes prior to performance	For prior authorization, please submit requests online by using the Prior Authorization and Notification tool on UnitedHealthcare Provider Portal. Go to UHCprovider.com and click on the UnitedHealthcare Provider Portal button in the top right corner. Then, select Prior Authorization and Notification on your Provider Portal dashboard. Or, call 866-889-8054 .
		For more details and the CPT codes that require prior authorization, please visit UHCprovider.com/PACommunityPlan > Prior Authorization and Notification Resources > Cardiology Prior Authorization and Notification Program

Cardiovascular	Prior authorization required for the codes listed.	37220*	37221*	37224*	37225*
		37226*	37227*	37228*	37229*
		37230*	37231*	93580	
		* Prior authorization not required for the following diagnosis codes:			
		E08.52	E09.52	E10.52	E11.52
		E13.52	I70.221	I70.222	I70.223
		I70.228	I70.229	I70.231	I70.232
		I70.233	I70.234	I70.235	I70.238
		I70.239	I70.241	I70.242	I70.243
		I70.244	I70.245	I70.248	I70.249
		I70.25	I70.261	I70.262	I70.263
		I70.268	I70.269	I70.321	I70.322
		I70.323	I70.329	I70.331	I70.332
		I70.333	I70.334	I70.335	I70.338
		I70.339	I70.341	I70.342	I70.343
		I70.344	I70.345	I70.348	I70.349
		I70.35	I70.361	I70.362	I70.363
		I70.369	I70.421	I70.422	I70.423
		I70.428	I70.429	I70.431	I70.432
		I70.433	I70.434	I70.435	I70.438
I70.439	I70.441	I70.442	I70.443		



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Cardiovascular (cont.)		I70.444	I70.445	I70.448	I70.449
		I70.461	I70.462	I70.463	I70.468
		I70.469	I70.521	I70.522	I70.523
		I70.528	I70.529	I70.531	I70.532
		I70.533	I70.534	I70.535	I70.538
		I70.539	I70.541	I70.542	I70.543
		I70.544	I70.545	I70.548	I70.549
		I70.561	I70.562	I70.563	I70.568
		I70.569	I70.621	I70.622	I70.623
		I70.628	I70.629	I70.631	I70.632
		I70.633	I70.634	I70.635	I70.638
		I70.639	I70.641	I70.642	I70.643
		I70.644	I70.645	I70.648	I70.649
		I70.661	I70.662	I70.663	I70.668
		I70.669	I70.721	I70.722	I70.723
		I70.728	I70.729	I70.731	I70.732
		I70.733	I70.734	I70.735	I70.738
		I70.739	I70.741	I70.742	I70.743
		I70.744	I70.745	I70.748	I70.749
		I70.761	I70.762	I70.763	I70.768
		I70.769	I72.3	I72.4	I72.8
		I72.9	I77.2	I77.70	I77.72
		I77.77	I77.79	I74.3	I74.4
		I74.5	I74.8	I74.9	I75.021
		I75.022	I75.023	I75.029	I75.89
		T82.818A	T82.868A	S81.801A	S81.802A
		S81.809A	S91.301A	S91.302A	S91.309A
		M86.051	M86.052	M86.059	M86.061
		M86.062	M86.069	M86.071	M86.072
		M86.079	M86.08	M86.09	M86.1
		M86.10	M86.151	M86.152	M86.159
		M86.161	M86.162	M86.169	M86.171
		M86.172	M86.179	M86.18	M86.19
		M86.20	M86.251	M86.252	M86.259
		M86.261	M86.262	M86.269	M86.271
		M86.272	M86.279	M86.28	M86.29
		M86.30	M86.351	M86.352	M86.359
		M86.361	M86.362	M86.369	M86.371
		M86.372	M86.379	M86.38	M86.39
		M86.40	M86.451	M86.452	M86.459
		M86.461	M86.462	M86.469	M86.471
		M86.472	M86.479	M86.48	M86.49
		M86.50	M86.551	M86.552	M86.559

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Cardiovascular (cont.)		M86.561	M86.562	M86.571	M86.572
		M86.579	M86.58	M86.59	M86.60
		M86.651	M86.652	M86.659	M86.661
		M86.662	M86.669	M86.671	M86.672
		M86.679	M86.68	M86.69	M86.8X0
		M86.8X5	M86.8X6	M86.8X7	M86.8X8
		M86.8X9	M86.9	I96	L03.115
		L03.116	Q27.30	Q27.32	Q27.39
		Q27.8	Q27.9	Q87.2	S35.511A
		S35.512A	T82.312A	T82.318A	T82.319A
		T82.338A	T82.392A	T82.398A	T82.399A
		T82.898A	I73.00	I73.01	I73.1
		I73.81			
Cerebral seizure monitoring – Inpatient video Electroencephalogram (EEG)	Prior authorization required for inpatient services	95700	95711	95712	95713
		95714	95715	95716	95718
	Prior authorization is not required for outpatient hospital or ambulatory surgical center	95720	95722	95724	95726
Chemotherapy	Prior authorization required for injectable chemotherapy drugs administered in an outpatient setting, including intravenous, intravesical and intrathecal, for a cancer diagnosis	Injectable chemotherapy drugs that require prior authorization: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chemotherapy injectable drugs (J9000 - J9999), Leucovorin (J0640), Levoleucovorin (J0641, J0642), Lupron Depot (J1950) Chemotherapy injectable drugs that have a Q code Chemotherapy injectable drugs that have not yet received an assigned code and will be billed under a miscellaneous Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) code For prior authorization, please submit requests online by using the Prior Authorization and Notification tool on UnitedHealthcare Provider Portal. Go to UHCprovider.com and click on the UnitedHealthcare Provider Portal button in the top right corner. Then, select Prior Authorization and Notification on your Provider Portal dashboard. Or, call 888-397-8129 .			
Cochlear implants and other auditory implants	Prior authorization required	69710	69714	69930	L8614
		L8619	L8690	L8691	L8692
A medical device within the inner ear with an external portion to help persons with profound sensorineural deafness achieve conversational speech					
Continuous glucose monitor	Prior authorization required with Type 2 Diabetes Diagnosis	A4226	A4238	A4239	A9276*
		A9277*	A9278*	E0787	E2102
		E2103			
*This code is for a product that is not reimbursable on the medical benefit. Requests for this product need to be submitted to OptumRx. Please contact the OptumRx Help Desk at 800-711-4555 for more information.					

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Cosmetic and reconstructive	Prior authorization required	11960	14020**	14021**	14061**
Cosmetic procedures that change or improve physical appearance without significantly improving or restoring physiological function		15820	15821	15822	15823
Reconstructive procedures that treat a medical condition or improve or restore physiologic function		15830	15847	15877	15878*
		15879*	17106	17107	17108
		17999	21137	21138	21139
		21172	21175	21179	21180
		21181	21182	21183	21184
		21230	21235	21256	21275
		21280	21282	21295	21740
		21742	21743	28344	30620
		67900	67901	67902	67903
		67904	67906	67908	67909
		67911	67912	67914	67915
		67916	67917	67921	67922
		67923	67924	67950	67961
		67966	Q2026		

*Gender Dysphoria may apply

** Prior authorization not required when billed with the following diagnosis codes:

C43.0	C43.10	C43.111	C43.112
C43.121	C43.122	C43.20	C43.21
C43.22	C43.30	C43.31	C43.39
C43.4	C43.51	C43.52	C43.59
C43.60	C43.61	C43.62	C43.70
C43.71	C43.72	C43.8	C43.9
C44.01	C44.02	C44.09	C44.101
C44.1021	C44.1022	C44.1091	C44.1092
C44.111	C44.1121	C44.1122	C44.1191
C44.1192	C44.121	C44.1221	C44.1222
C44.1291	C44.1292	C44.131	C44.1321
C44.1322	C44.1391	C44.1392	C44.191
C44.1921	C44.1922	C44.1991	C44.1992
C44.201	C44.202	C44.209	C44.211
C44.212	C44.219	C44.221	C44.222
C44.229	C44.291	C44.292	C44.299
C44.300	C44.301	C44.309	C44.310
C44.311	C44.319	C44.320	C44.321
C44.329	C44.390	C44.391	C44.399
C44.40	C44.41	C44.42	C44.49
C44.500	C44.501	C44.509	C44.510
C44.511	C44.519	C44.520	C44.521
C44.529	C44.590	C44.591	C44.599



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Cosmetic and reconstructive (cont.)		C44.601	C44.602	C44.609	C44.611
		C44.612	C44.619	C44.621	C44.622
		C44.629	C44.691	C44.692	C44.699
		C44.701	C44.702	C44.709	C44.711
		C44.712	C44.719	C44.721	C44.722
		C44.729	C44.791	C44.792	C44.799
		C44.80	C44.81	C44.82	C44.89
		C44.90	C44.91	C44.92	C44.99
		C46.0	C4A.0	C4A.10	C4A.111
		C4A.112	C4A.121	C4A.122	C4A.20
		C4A.21	C4A.22	C4A.30	C4A.31
		C4A.39	C4A.4	C4A.51	C4A.51
		C4A.52	C4A.52	C4A.59	C4A.60
		C4A.61	C4A.62	C4A.70	C4A.71
		C4A.72	C4A.8	C4A.9	C79.2
		D03.51	D03.52	D04.0	D04.10
		D04.111	D04.112	D04.121	D04.122
		D04.20	D04.21	D04.22	D04.30
		D04.39	D04.4	D04.5	D04.60
		D04.61	D04.62	D04.70	D04.71
	D04.72	D04.8	D04.9		
Durable medical equipment (DME)	Prior authorization required only for the codes listed with a retail purchase or cumulative rental cost of more than \$500	A9279	A9280	A9900	E0194
		E0265	E0266	E0270	E0277
		E0300	E0328	E0329	E0445
		E0457	E0465	E0466	E0470
	Prosthetics are not DME – see <i>Orthotics and prosthetics</i>	E0471	E0483	E0486	E0620
		E0636	E0637	E0652	E0656
		E0669	E0670	E0675	E0693
		E0694	E0700	E0710	E0745
		E0762	E0764	E0766	E0784
		E0984	E0986	E1002	E1003
		E1004	E1005	E1006	E1007
		E1008	E1009	E1010	E1030
		E1035	E1036	E1130	E1161
		E1229	E1231	E1232	E1233
		E1234	E1235	E1236	E1237
		E1238	E1239	E1825	E2100
		E2227	E2228	E2230	E2300
		E2301	E2310	E2311	E2322
		E2325	E2327	E2329	E2331
		E2351	E2373	E2510	E2511
E2512	E2599	E2626	E2627		
E2628	E2629	E2630	E8000		
E8001	E8002	K0005	K0008		

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Durable medical equipment (DME) (cont.)		K0013	K0108	K0812	K0830
		K0831	K0848	K0849	K0850
		K0851	K0852	K0853	K0854
		K0855	K0856	K0857	K0858
		K0859	K0860	K0861	K0862
		K0863	K0864	K0868	K0869
		K0870	K0871	K0877	K0878
		K0879	K0880	K0884	K0885
		K0886	K0890	K0891	S1040
		T1999	T5999	V2786	V5269
		V5270	V5271	V5272	V5274
		V5281	V5282	V5283	V5286
	V5287	V5288	V5290		
Enteral services	Prior authorization required	B4034	B4035	B4036	B4100
In-home nutritional therapy, either enteral or through a gastrostomy tube		B4102	B4103	B4104	B4149
		B4150	B4152	B4153	B4155
		B4158	B4159	B4160	B4161
		B9002	B9998		
Experimental and investigational (and/or linked services)	Prior authorization required	33477	36514	64722	65765
		65767	66180	A4638	A6000
		A9274	E0231	E1831	S0810
		S1030	S1031	S2102	S9988
		S9990	S9991		
Femoroacetabular impingement syndrome (FAI)	Prior authorization required	29916			
Functional endoscopic sinus surgery (FESS)	Prior authorization required	31240	31253	31254	31255
		31256	31257	31259	31267
		31276	31287	31288	
Gender dysphoria treatment	Prior authorization required	55970	55980		
		These surgical codes , with the following DX codes :			
		F64.0	F64.1	F64.2	F64.8
		F64.9	Z87.890		
		11950	11951	11952	11954
		11980	14000	14001	14041
		15734	15738	15750	15757
		15758	15775	15776	15777
		15780	15781	15782	15783
		15787	15788	15789	15792
		15793	15819	15824	15825
		15826	15828	15829	15832
		15833	15834	15835	15836
		15837	15838	15839	15876
		17380	19303	21083	21087

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Gender dysphoria treatment (cont.)		21120	21122	21173	21270
		21899	31599	31750	31899
		45399	45999	53410	53430
		54125	54520	54660	54690
		55175	55180	56625	56800
		56805	57110	57335	58541
		58554	58661	58720	58940
		58999	64856	64892	64896
	69300	90785	96372		
Genetic and molecular testing	Prior authorization required for genetic and molecular testing performed in an outpatient setting. Care providers requesting laboratory testing will be required to complete the prior authorization/notification process, which includes indicating the laboratory and test name. Payment will be authorized for those CPT codes registered with the Genetic and Molecular Testing Prior Authorization/Notification Program for each specified genetic test. Notification/prior authorization required for BRCA testing before DNA sequencing is performed. The ordering care provider must notify the laboratory conducting the test, and the laboratory will notify UnitedHealthcare.	0018U	0022U	0023U	0026U
		0055U	0060U	0087U	0088U
		0129U	0171U	0173U	0175U
		0179U	0209U	0214U	0215U
		0216U	0217U	0237U	0238U
		0245U	0250U	0262U	0265U
		81163	81164	81228	81229
		81277	81400	81401	81402
		81403	81404	81405	81406
		81407	81408	81410	81411
		81412	81413	81414	81415
		81416	81417	81431	81435
		81436	81437	81438	81439
		81440	81445	81448	81460
		81465	81479	81518	81519
81520	81521	81522	81546		
81595	81599	87505	87506		
87507	S3870				
Home health services	Prior authorization required only in outpatient settings, to include member's home	G0156	G0162	G0299	G0300
		G0493	G0494	G0495	G0496
		S9122	S9123	S9124	S9474
Hospice	Prior authorization required	T2045			
Hysterectomy	Prior authorization required	58150	58152	58180	58260
		58262	58263	58267	58270
		58290	58291	58292	58542
		58543	58544	58550	58552
		58553	58570	58571	58572
		58573			
Human milk bank	Prior authorization required	T2101			
Injectable medications	Prior authorization required*		Actemra®		

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Injectable medications (cont.)

J3262
Acthar®
 J0801
Adakveo®
 J0791
Aduhelm
 J0172
Advate, Kogenate FS, Reombinate
 J7192
Adynovate
 J7207
Afstyla
 J7210
Aldurazyme®
 J1931
Alphanate
 J7186
AlphaNine SD, Mononine
 J7193
Alprolix
 J7201
Amondys 45
 J1426
 Amvuttra ∑
 J0225
 Apretude
 J0739
Aralast® NP, Prolastin-C®, Zemaira®
 J0256
Aranesp
 J0881
Arcalyst
 J2793
Aveed
 J3145
Avsola™
 Q5121
 Benefix, Ixinity
 J7195
Benlysta
 J0490
 Beovu
 J0179

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Injectable medications (cont.)

Berinert
J0597

Boniva (ibandronate)
J1740

Botulinum toxins
J0585 J0586 J0587 J0588

Brineura™
J0567

Briumvi®
J2329

Byooviz
Q5124

Cerezyme®
J1786

Chlorpromazine
J3230

Cimerli®
Q5128

Cimzia®*
J0717

Cinqair®
J2786

Cinryze®
J0598

Coagadex
J7175

Corifact
J7180

Cortrophin® Gel
J0802

Crysvita®
J0584

Cutaquig®
J1551

Depo-Testosterone (testosterone cypionate)
J1071

Durolane
J7318

Elaprase®
J1743

Elelyso®
J3060

Elevidys
J1413

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Injectable medications (cont.)

Elfabrio
J2508

Eloctate
J7205

Enjaymo™
J1302

Entyvio®
J3380

Epogen, Procrit
J0885

Esperoct
J7204

Euflexxa
J7323

EvenityΣ
J3111

Evkeeza™
J1305

Exondys 51™
J1428

Eylea
J0178

Fabrazyme®
J0180

Fasenra™
J0517

Feiba NF
J7198

Fensolvi®
J1951

Feraheme®
Q0138

Fibryga
J7177

Firmagon®
J9155

Fylintra®
Q5130

Gamifant®
J9210

Gelsyn-3
J7328

Geodon (ziprasidone mesylate)

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Injectable medications (cont.)

	J3486				
	Givlaari®				
	J0223				
	Glassia				
	J0257				
	Haloperidol Decanoate				
	J1631				
	Hemgenix®				
	J1411				
	Hemlibra				
	J7170				
	Hemophilia clotting factor, not otherwise classified				
	J7199				
	Humate-P				
	J7187				
	Idelvion				
	J7202				
	Ilaris®				
	J0638				
	Ilumya™				
	J3245				
	Inflectra®				
	Q5103				
	Injectafer®				
	J1439				
	IVIG				
	90283	90284	J1459	J1554	
	J1555	J1556	J1557	J1559	
	J1561	J1566	J1568	J1569	
	J1572	J1575	J1599		
	Ixinity				
	J7213				
	Jivi				
	J7208				
	Kalbitor®				
	J1290				
	Kanuma®				
	J2840				
	Koate, Hemofil M				
	J7190				
	Kovaltry				
	J7211				
	Korsuva®				
	J0879				

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Injectable medications (cont.)

Krystexxa®			
J2507			
Lamzede®			
J0217			
Lanreotide			
J1932			
Lemtrada®			
J0202			
Leqembi®			
J0174			
Leqvio®			
J1306			
Lucentis			
J2778			
Lumizyme®			
J0221			
Lupron Depot®			
J1950			
Lupron Depot, Eligard®			
J9217			
Luxturna™			
J3398			
Makena®			
J1726		J1729	J2675
Mepsevii®			
J3397			
Miacalcin (calcitonin)			
J0630			
Mircera			
J0888			
Monoferric®			
J1437			
Naglazyme®			
J1458			
Nexviazyme®			
J0219			
Novoeight			
J7182			
NovoSeven RT			
J7189			
Nplate®			
J2796			
Nucala®			

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Injectable medications (cont.)

- J2182
- Nuwiq**
- J7209
- Obizur**
- J7188
- Ocrevus™**
- J2350
- Octreotide Acetate**
- J2354
- Onpattro™**
- J0222
- Orencia®**
- J0129
- Oxlumo™**
- J0224
- Panzyga®**
- J1576
- Parsabiv™**
- J0606
- Phenergan (promethazine)**
- J2550
- Profilnine**
- J7194
- Prolia® *****
- J0897
- Qalsody™**
- J1304
- Radicava®**
- J1301
- Rebinyn**
- J7203
- Reblozyl®**
- J0896
- Reclast, Zoledronic Acid**
- J3489
- Releuko®**
- Q5125
- Remicade®**
- J1745
- Renflexis®**
- Q5104
- Retacrit**
- Q5106

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Injectable medications (cont.)

Riabni™				
Q5123				
RiaSTAP				
J7178				
Rituxan®				
J9312				
Rituxan Hycela®				
J9311				
Rixubis				
J7200				
Roctavian				
J1412				
Rolvedon™				
J1449				
Ruconest®				
J0596				
Ruxience®				
Q5119				
Ryplazim®				
J2998				
Rystiggo				
J9333				
Sandostatin® LAR				
J2353				
Saphnelo®				
J0491				
Scenesse®				
J7352				
SevenFACT				
J7212				
Signifor® LAR				
J2502				
Simponi Aria®				
J1602				
Skyrizi®				
J2327				
Sodium Hyaluronate				
J7320	J7321	J7322	J7324	
J7325	J7326	J7327	J7329	
J7331	J7332			
Soliris®				
J1300				
Somatuline® Depot				

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Injectable medications (cont.)

	J1930	
	Spinraza™	
	J2326	
	Spravato®	
	S0013	
	Spevigo®	
	J1747	
	Stelara	
	J3358	
	Stimufend®	
	Q5127	
	Sublocade™	
	Q9991	Q9992
	Sunlenca®	
	J1961	
	Supprelin® LA	
	J9226	
	Susvimo	
	J2779	
	Syfovre®	
	J2781	
	Synagis®	
	90378	
	Tepezza®	
	J3241	
	Testopel	
	S0189	
	Testosterone Enanthate	
	J3121	
	Tezspire™	
	J2356	
	Therapeutic radiopharmaceuticals	
	A9607	
	Tigan	
	J3250	
	Trelstar®	
	J3315	
	Tretten	
	J7181	
	Triptodur®	
	J3316	
	Trogarzo™	
	J1746	

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Injectable medications (cont.)

Truxima®				
Q5115				
Tysabri®				
J2323				
Tzield™				
J9381				
UltomirisΣ				
J1303				
Unclassified codes**				
C9159	C9160	C9162		J3490
J3590				
Uplizna®				
J1823				
Vabysmo				
J2777				
Viltepso™				
J1427				
Vimizim®				
J1322				
Visudyne				
J3396				
Vonvendi				
J7179				
VPRIV®				
J3385				
Vyepti™				
J3032				
Vyjuvek				
J3401				
Vyondys 53®				
J1429				
Vyvgart™				
J9332				
Vyvgart Hytrulo				
J9334				
White blood cell colony stimulating factors***				
J1442	J1447	J1448		J2506
Q5101	Q5108	Q5110		Q5111
Q5120	Q5122			
Wilate				
J7183				
Xembify®				
J1558				
Xenpozyme™				

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Injectable medications (cont.)

- J0218
- Xolair®**
- J2357
- Xyntha**
- J7185
- Zinplava**
- J0565
- Zoladex®**
- J9202
- Zolgensma®**
- J3399

*For prior authorization, please submit requests online by using the Prior Authorization and Notification tool on UnitedHealthcare Provider Portal. Go to UHCprovider.com and click on the UnitedHealthcare Provider Portal button in the top right corner. Then, select the Prior Authorization and Notification tool on your Provider Portal dashboard. Or call 888-397-8129.

** For unclassified and temporary codes C9151, C9160, C9162, J3490 and J3590, prior authorization is only required for Adzynma (eff 04/01/24), Daxxify (eff 04/01/24), Eylea HD (eff 04/01/24), Izervay, Nulibry, Revcovi and Veopoz

*** For code J0897, prior authorization is required for non oncology indications.

Please check our *Review at Launch for New to Market Medications* policy for the most up-to-date information on drugs newly approved by the Food & Drug Administration (FDA) and included on our *Review at Launch Medication List*. Pre-determination is highly recommended for the drugs on the list. The *Review at Launch for New to Market Medications* policy is available at **UHCprovider.com** > Menu > Policies and Protocols > Community Plan Policies > Medical & Drug Policies and Coverage Determination Guidelines for Community Plan.

Inpatient admission	Notification required for admissions	Prior authorization and notification of admission date required for these facilities providing post-acute inpatient services: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Acute care hospitals • Acute inpatient rehabilitation • Critical access hospitals • Long-term acute care hospitals • Skilled nursing facilities 			
Joint replacement	Prior authorization required	23470	23472	23473	23474
Joint, total hip and knee replacement procedures		24360	24361	24362	24363
		24370	24371	27120	27125
		27130	27132	27134	27137
		27138	27412	27446	27447
		27486	27487	29866	29867
Joint replacement (cont.)		29868	J7330	S2112	
Non-emergent air ambulance transport	Prior authorization required	A0430	A0431	A0435	A0436
		S9960	S9961		

Procedures and services	Additional information	CPT® or HCPCS codes and how to obtain prior authorization			
Orthognathic surgery Treatment of maxillofacial/jaw functional impairment	Prior authorization required	21121	21123	21125	21127
		21141	21142	21143	21145
		21146	21147	21150	21151
		21154	21155	21159	21160
		21188	21193	21194	21195
		21196	21198	21199	21206
		21208	21209	21210	21215
		21240	21242	21244	21245
		21246	21247	21248	21249
		21255	21296	21299	
Orthotics and prosthetics	Prior authorization required only for orthotics and prosthetic codes listed with a retail purchase or cumulative rental cost of more than \$500	L0112	L0170	L0456	L0462
		L0464	L0480	L0482	L0484
		L0486	L0624	L0629	L0631
		L0632	L0634	L0636	L0637
		L0638	L0640	L0700	L0710
		L0810	L0820	L0830	L0859
		L1000	L1005	L1200	L1300
		L1310	L1499	L1680	L1685
		L1700	L1710	L1720	L1730
		L1755	L1820	L1832	L1834
		L1840	L1844	L1845	L1846
		L1860	L1945	L1950	L1970
		L2000	L2005	L2010	L2020
		L2030	L2034	L2036	L2037
		L2038	L2060	L2106	L2108
		L2126	L2136	L2350	L2510
		L2526	L2627	L2628	L3230
		L3265	L3649	L3671	L3674
		L3720	L3730	L3740	L3763
		L3764	L3900	L3901	L3904
		L3905	L3961	L3971	L3975
		L3976	L3977	L3999	L4000
		L4010	L4020	L4631	L5010
		L5020	L5050	L5060	L5100
		L5105	L5150	L5160	L5200
		L5210	L5220	L5230	L5250
		L5270	L5280	L5301	L5312
		L5321	L5331	L5341	L5400
L5420	L5460	L5500	L5505		
L5510	L5520	L5530	L5535		
L5540	L5560	L5570	L5580		
L5585	L5590	L5595	L5600		

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Orthotics and prosthetics (cont.)		L5610	L5613	L5614	L5616
		L5639	L5640	L5642	L5643
		L5644	L5646	L5647	L5648
		L5649	L5651	L5653	L5661
		L5673	L5682	L5683	L5700
		L5702	L5703	L5705	L5706
		L5716	L5718	L5722	L5724
		L5726	L5728	L5780	L5790
		L5795	L5811	L5812	L5814
		L5816	L5818	L5822	L5824
		L5826	L5828	L5830	L5845
		L5848	L5857	L5858	L5930
		L5950	L5960	L5961	L5962
		L5964	L5966	L5968	L5973
		L5976	L5979	L5980	L5981
		L5982	L5984	L5986	L5987
		L5988	L5990	L5999	L6000
		L6010	L6020	L6050	L6055
		L6100	L6110	L6120	L6130
		L6200	L6205	L6250	L6300
		L6310	L6320	L6350	L6360
		L6370	L6380	L6382	L6384
		L6400	L6450	L6500	L6550
		L6570	L6580	L6582	L6584
		L6586	L6588	L6590	L6621
		L6623	L6624	L6646	L6648
		L6686	L6687	L6689	L6690
		L6692	L6693	L6694	L6695
		L6696	L6697	L6704	L6707
		L6708	L6709	L6711	L6712
		L6713	L6714	L6715	L6880
		L6881	L6882	L6883	L6884
		L6885	L6895	L6900	L6905
		L6910	L6915	L6920	L6925
		L6930	L6935	L6940	L6945
		L6950	L6955	L6960	L6965
		L6970	L6975	L7007	L7008
		L7009	L7040	L7045	L7170
		L7180	L7181	L7185	L7186
		L7190	L7191	L7405	L8040
	L8042	L8043	L8044	L8045	
	L8046	L8047	L8499	L8609	
	L8610	L8612	L8631	L8659	

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Pediatric day services (PDHC)	Prior authorization required	T1024			
Private duty nursing	Prior authorization required	T1000	T1002	T1003	
Potentially unproven services	Prior authorization required	33289	C2624		
Prostate procedures	Prior authorization required	37243	52441	52442	53850
		53852	55866*	55873	55874
		* Prior authorization not required eff 04/01/24			

Proton beam therapy Focused radiation therapy using beams of protons, which are tiny particles with a positive charge	Prior authorization required	77520	77522	77523	77525
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Radiology	Prior authorization required for participating physicians who request these advanced outpatient imaging procedures: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Certain CT, MRI, MRA and PET scans Nuclear medicine and nuclear cardiology procedures 	<p>Care providers ordering an advanced outpatient imaging procedure are responsible for providing notification prior to scheduling the procedure. To request prior authorization, please call 866-889-8054. For prior authorization, please submit requests online by using the Prior Authorization and Notification tool on UnitedHealthcare Provider Portal. Go to UHCprovider.com and click on the UnitedHealthcare Provider Portal button in the top right corner. Then, select Prior Authorization and Notification on your Provider Portal dashboard. Or, call 866-889-8054.</p> <p>For more details and the CPT codes that require prior authorization, please visit UHCprovider.com/PACommunityPlan > Prior Authorization and Notification Resources > Radiology Prior Authorization and Notification Program.</p>			
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Rhinoplasty and septoplasty Treatment of nasal functional impairment and septal deviation	Prior authorization required	30400	30410	30420	30430
		30435	30450	30460	30462
		30465			

Sinuplasty	Prior authorization required	31295	31296	31297	31298
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Site of service (SOS) – outpatient hospital	Prior authorization only required when requesting service in an outpatient hospital setting Prior authorization not required if performed at a participating Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC)	Auditory system					
			69205				
		Cardiovascular system					
			36590	36832			
		Carpal tunnel surgery					
			64721				
		Cataract surgery					
			66821	66982	66984		
		Colonoscopy					
			45378	45380	45384	45385	
	Cosmetic and reconstructive						
	13101	13132	14040	14060			



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		14301	21552	21931		
Site of service (SOS) – outpatient hospital (cont.)	Digestive system					
		42415	42440	43200	43236	
		43237	43238	43242	43245	
		43246	43247	43248	43251	
		43254	43255	43259	44360	
		44361	45171	45334	45335	
		45381	45390	45990	46020	
		46040	46050	46200	46220	
		46221	46250	46255	46261	
		46270	46275	46288	46505	
		46750	46910	46946		
		Ear, nose and throat (ENT) procedures				
			21320	30140	30520	69436
			69631			
		Eye and ocular adnexa				
			65710	65820	66250	66710
			66711	66825	66986	66987
			66988	67010	67041	67042
			67105	67108	67113	67840
			68110	68115	68320	68720
			68815			
		Female genital system				
			57240	57250	57461	57520
			58561	58562		
		Gynecologic procedures				
			57522	58353	58558	58563
			58565			
		Hemic and lymphatic system				
			38500	38510	38525	
		Hernia repair				
			49505	49650	49651	
		Integumentary system				
			10121	11440	11450	11624
		11770	13121	15100	15120	
		15240	19020	19120	19125	
	Liver biopsy					
		47000				
	Male genital system					
		54840				
	Miscellaneous					

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Site of service (SOS) – outpatient hospital (cont.)		Musculoskeletal system			
		20552	20553	21012	21013
		21336	21554	21555	21556
		21930	22902	22903	23071
		23075	24071	27327	27337
		27632	28035	28039	28041
		28060	28080	28090	28104
		28110	28118	28119	28124
		28285	28289	28292	28296
		28297	28298	28299	29806
		29807	29819	29822	29823
		29824	29825	29826	29827
		29828	29835	29840	29845
		29846	29848	29861	29875
		29876	29877	29879	29880
		29881	29882	29888	29893
		G0260			
		Nervous system			
		64561	64640		
		Ophthalmologic			
	65426	65730	65855	66170	
	66761	67028	67036	67040	
	67228	67311	67312		
	Respiratory system				
	30802	30930	31525	31535	
	31536	31541	31624		
	Tonsillectomy and adenoidectomy				
	42820	42821	42825	42826	
	42830				
	Upper and lower gastrointestinal endoscopy				
	43235	43239	43249		
	Urinary System				
	52276	52287	52320	52344	
	Urologic procedures				
	50590	52000	52005	52204	
	52224	52234	52235	52260	
	52281	52310	52332	52351	
	52352	52353	52356	54161	
	55040	55700	57288		

Sleep apnea procedures and surgeries	Prior authorization required	21685	41599	42145
Maxillomandibular				

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advancement and oral-pharyngeal tissue reduction for treatment of obstructive sleep apnea

Spinal surgery	Prior authorization required	22100	22101	22102	22110
		22112	22114	22206	22207
		22210	22212	22214	22220
		22224	22510	22511	22512
		22513	22514*	22515	22532
		22533	22548	22551	22554
		22556	22558	22586	22590
		22595	22600	22610	22612
		22630	22633	22800	22802
		22804	22808	22810	22812
		22818	22819	22830	22849
		22850	22852	22855	22856
		22861	63003	63005	22899
		63001	63015	63016	63011
		63012	63030	63040	63017
		63020	63046	63047	63042
		63045	63056	63064	63050
		63055	63081	63085	63075
		63077	63101	63102	63087
		63090	63173	63185	63170
63172	63200	63250	63190		
63191	63265	63267	63251		
63252	63271	63272	63268		
63270	63301	63302	63286		
63300	63305	63306	63303		
63304	0098T	63307	63308		

*SOS also applies

Stimulators Implantation of a device that sends electrical impulses	Prior authorization required	Bone growth stimulator			
		E0747	E0748	E0749	E0760
		Neurostimulator			
		43648	43881	43882	61863
		61864	61867	61868	61885
		61886	63650	63655	63685
		64553	64555	64568	64570
		64590	L8680	L8682	L8685
		L8686	L8687	L8688	

Transplants Prior authorization required For transplant and CAR T-cell therapy services, including Abecma®



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Transplants (cont.)

(Idecaptogene Cicleucel), Breyanzi® (Lisocabtagene Maralucecl), Kymriah™ (tisagenlecleucel), Tecartus™ (brexucabtagene autoleucel) and Yescarta™ (axicabtagene ciloleucel), please call the UnitedHealthcare Community and State Transplant Case Management Team at **888-936-7246** or the notification number on the back of the member's health plan ID card.

32850	32851	32852	32853
32854	32855	32856	33930
33933	33935	33940	33944
33945	38208	38209	38210
38212	38213	38214	38215
38232*	38240	38241	38242
44132	44133	44135	44136
44137	44715	44720	44721
47133	47135	47140	47141
47142	47143	47144	47145
47146	47147	48551	48552
48554	50300	50320	50323
50325	50340	50360	50365
50370	50547	S2060	S2061
S2152			

CAR T-Cell therapy

0537T	0538T	0539T	0540T
Q2041	Q2042	Q2053	Q2054
Q2055	Q2056		

Gene therapy

C9399**	J3490**	J3590**	
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*Code 38232 will only require prior authorization for an oncology diagnosis

** : For unclassified codes C9399, J3490 and J3590 Casgev (eff 04/01/24), Lantidra (eff 04/01/24), Skysona™ and Zynteglo™ will require prior authorization through Optum Transplant.

Vein procedures	Prior authorization required	36468*	36473	36475	36478
Removal and ablation of the main trunks and named branches of the saphenous veins for treating venous disease and varicose veins of the extremities		37700	37718	37722	37765
		37766	37780		

* Prior authorization not required eff 04/01/24

Ventricular assist devices (VAD)	Prior authorization required	Please call the notification number on the back of the member's ID card. Then, fax the form provided by the nurse to the Optum VAD Case Management Team at 855-282-8929 .			
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A mechanical pump that takes over the function of the damaged ventricle of the heart and restores normal blood flow		33927	33928	33929	33975
		33976	33979	33981	33982
		33983	Q0507	Q0508	Q0509



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Wound vac	Prior authorization required	E2402