Administrative changes for UnitedHealthcare Medicare Advantage members in Oregon

Quick reference guide

For dates of service beginning Jan. 1, 2023, Optum® Care Network, an affiliate of UnitedHealthcare, will manage certain administrative services for certain UnitedHealthcare® Medicare Advantage benefit plans listed below. This reference guide provides an overview of the administrative processes:

- Verifying member eligibility
- Referrals
- Prior authorization requests
- · Hospital admission notifications
- Claims submission
- Claims reconsideration

The following benefit plans will be newly administered by Optum Care Network, effective Jan. 1, 2023:

Plan name	CMS contract number	Group number
UnitedHealthcare Chronic Complete Assure (PPO C-SNP)	H0271-036-000	90304

The following benefit plans will continue to be administered by Optum Care Network, effective Jan. 1, 2023:

Plan name	CMS contract number	Group number
AARP® Medicare Advantage Choice (PPO)	H2228-029-000	90081
AARP® Medicare Advantage Choice (PPO)	H2228-029-000	90604
AARP® Medicare Advantage Walgreens (PPO)	H2228-084-000	90083
AARP® Medicare Advantage Walgreens (PPO)	H2228-084-000	90084
AARP® Medicare Advantage Walgreens (PPO)	H2228-084-000	90605
AARP® Medicare Advantage Walgreens (PPO)	H2228-084-000	90606
AARP® Medicare Advantage Patriot (PPO)	H2228-088-000	90085
AARP® Medicare Advantage Patriot (PPO)	H2228-088-000	90607
AARP® Medicare Advantage Plan 1 (HMO-POS)	H3805-001-000	HCFAO2-OW5
AARP® Medicare Advantage Plan 2 (HMO-POS)	H3805-036-000	HCFA93-OS9
Home Builders Association	H3805-803-000	005470-ILQ
Harrison Electrical SH Plus	H3805-803-000	005477-ILH
Machinist H&W Trust	H3805-803-000	005557-ILH
Pacific Coast Shipyards	H3805-803-000	006697-IJN
Wester Teamsters Welfare	H3805-803-000	006705-IJR
Oregon Laborers	H3805-803-000	006818-IJR
UFCW Local 555	H3805-803-000	034513-ILH
San Diego Unified Port	H3805-803-000	041227-IJS
The Boeing Company	H3805-803-000	900092-IAE
The Boeing Company	H3805-803-000	900094-IAE





Verifying member eligibility

You can verify member eligibility online or by phone:

- Online: Through the UnitedHealthcare Provider Portal, go to UHCprovider.com and click Sign In at the top-right corner. Then, click Eligibility and enter member information.
- Phone: Call 877-842-3210 and select the Eligibility and Benefits option



Referral requests

For plans that require referrals, submit referral requests online at optumproportal.com.



Prior authorization requests

Prior authorization may be required for certain services based on the member's plan. Inpatient and outpatient services generally don't require prior authorization when members are referred to health care professionals who participate with UnitedHealthcare Medicare Advantage.

General/specialist services that require prior authorization will be listed at **UHCprovider.com/priorauth** > Advance Notification and Plan Requirement Resources. Submit your request at least 14 days before the planned date of service.

- Online: Submit your request at optumproportal.com. Please include any clinical information associated with the requested service.
- Phone: Call 866-565-3664

Post-acute care services prior authorizations will be submitted online to naviHealth. You can electronically share documentation and communicate with naviHealth clinicians.

- Online: Submit your request using the nH Access link at optumproportal.com, or directly at navihealth.com/nhaccess. Please include any clinical information associated with the requested service.
- Phone: Call 855-851-1127Fax: Send to 844-244-9482

You don't need to submit additional prior authorization requests to Optum Care Network if a request was previously reviewed and approved by UnitedHealthcare for dates of service starting Jan. 1, 2023, and after. Optum Care Network will reimburse services approved by UnitedHealthcare.



Hospital admission notifications

Please notify Optum Care Network of hospital admissions no later than 1 business day after admission by calling **866-565-3664**.



Claim submissions

Please submit claims for UnitedHealthcare members to Optum Care Network using the following electronic Payer ID or mailing address:

- Electronic: Payer ID LIFE1
- Mail: P.O. Box 30788, Salt Lake City, UT 84130-0788

To check the status of your claim submission, sign in at optumproportal.com.

For any other claim questions, call **866-565-3664.** Please don't submit duplicate claims unless you haven't received payment or an explanation of payment within 45 days of submission.





Claim reconsiderations

 You can submit claim disputes by calling 866-565-3664, using the contact option on the portal, optumproportal.com or by mail:

Optum Provider Dispute Resolution P.O. Box 30788 Salt Lake City, UT 84130-0788



Member ID cards

Members in the affected plans will get new member ID cards that show the Payer ID LIFE 1 and will have the delegate website, optum.com, listed as the care provider contact. You can download a copy of the member ID card when you verify eligibility and benefits in the UnitedHealthcare Provider Portal.

New for 2023 — UnitedHealthcare UCard (member ID)

- Nearly all UnitedHealthcare Individual Medicare Advantage plan members, including D-SNP, will receive a UnitedHealthcare UCard[®] (some plan exclusions may apply)
- UnitedHealthcare UCard makes it easier for members to access their benefits and programs, so they can take advantage of their plan offerings
- UCard doesn't need to be activated for you to verify eligibility or provide care services or for members to receive medical, dental, prescription, vision and hearing care services
- · Starting Jan. 1, 2023, impacted members will present their redesigned member card
- UCard will have the information you need to verify eligibility and should be used in the same manner as any other UnitedHealthcare member ID card
- UCard cannot be used for member out-of-pocket expenses, including copays, coinsurance or deductibles
- Each UCard will include an S3 number, security code and scannable barcode for in-store purchases providers don't need to scan the barcode to provide medical, dental, prescription, vision or hearing services to the member
- · For questions, members should visit their plan website or call the Customer Service number on their UCard
- For a description of the information displayed on the UCard, refer to Chapter 2 of the UnitedHealthcare Care Provider Administrative Guide. Group Retiree cards will remain the same.















Sample member ID cards for illustration only; actual information varies depending on payer, plan and other requirements.



We're here to help

If you have questions, please call 877-842-3210. Thank you.

