

Behavioral Health Prior Authorization Requirements for UnitedHealthcare Community Plan of Nebraska

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UnitedHealthcare Community Plan of Nebraska provides coverage for behavioral health services through a designated behavioral health network. This list contains prior authorization review requirements for participating care providers.

To request prior authorization, please submit your request online or by phone:

- **Link:** Sign in to UHCprovider.com using your Optum ID, then select the Prior Authorization and Notification tool.
- **Phone:** 866-604-3267

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

The following behavioral health services require prior authorization:

Procedures and Services	CPT Codes
Inpatient Mental Health and Substance Use Services, including Residential Services	H0012, H0018-HF, H0018-HH, H0019, H0019-HE, H0019-TT, H2013, H2018-HK, H2018-TG, H2020, H2034, T2033, T2048
Partial Hospitalization and Day Treatment Services	H2012, H2012-52, H2012-HB, H2017, H2018, H2027
Intensive Outpatient Services	H2014, S9480, H0015
Community Treatment Aide Services	H0036
Community Support Services	H2015-HE, H2015-HK
Assertive/Alternative Community Treatment (ACT) Services	H0040, H0040-52
Electroconvulsive Therapy	90870
Psychological Testing	96130, 96131, 96136, 96137, 96138, 96139
Risk Assessment for Youth who Sexually Harm and Addendum Services	H2000, H2000-SK
Applied Behavioral Analysis (ABA)	97151, 97152, 97153, 97154, 97155, 97156, 97158

If you have any questions, call **866-604-3267**.

Thank you.