

# Prior Authorization Requirements for Pennsylvania CHIP Medicaid

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## General Information

This list contains prior authorization requirements for participating care providers with UnitedHealthcare Community Plan in Pennsylvania CHIP 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 Link. Go to [UHCprovider.com](https://UHCprovider.com) and click on the Link button in the top right corner. Then, select the Prior Authorization and Notification tool on your Link 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.**

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<b>Abortion</b>	Prior authorization required	59840 59852 59866	59841 59855	59850 59856	59851 59857
<b>Bariatric surgery</b> Bariatric surgery and specific obesity-related services	Prior authorization required	43644 43775 43847	43645 43842 43848	43659 43845 43860	43770 43846
<b>Behavioral health services</b>	Prior authorization required  Many of our benefit plans provide coverage for behavioral health services through a designated behavioral health network.	For specific codes requiring prior authorization, please call the number on the back of the member's health plan ID card when referring for mental health and substance abuse/substance use services.			
<b>Bone growth stimulator</b> Electronic stimulation or ultrasound to heal fractures	Prior authorization required	20975	20979		
<b>BRCA genetic testing</b>	Prior authorization required	81162 81166 81217	81163 81212 81432	81164 81215 81433	81165 81216
<b>Breast reconstruction (non-mastectomy)</b> Reconstruction of the breast except when following	Prior authorization required	19316 19330 19357	19318 19340 19361	19325 19342 19364	19328 19350 19367

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Breast reconstruction (non-mastectomy) (continued)		19368	19369	19370	19371
		19380	19396	L8600	

mastectomy

Cancer supportive care	<p>Prior authorization required for colony-stimulating factor drugs and bone-modifying agent administered in an outpatient setting for a cancer diagnosis</p> <p>*Codes J1442, J1447, J2505, Q5101, Q5108, Q5110, Q5111, Q5120 and Q5122 also require prior authorization for non-oncology DX. See <a href="#">Injectable medications</a> section below.</p>	<b><u>Injectable colony-stimulating factor drugs that require prior authorization:</u></b>			
		<b>Filgrastim (Neupogen®)</b>			
		J1442*			
		<b>Filgrastim-aafi (Nivestym™)</b>			
		Q5110*			
		<b>Filgrastim-sndz (Zarxio®)</b>			
		Q5101*			
		<b>Pegfilgrastim (Neulasta®)</b>			
		J2505*			
		<b>Pegfilgrastim-apgf, biosimilar (Nyvepria®)</b>			
		Q5122*			
		<b>Pegfilgrastim-bmez (Ziextenzo®)</b>			
		Q5120*			
		<b>Pegfilgrastim-cbqv (UDENYCA™)</b>			
		Q5111*			
<b>Pegfilgrastim-jmdb (Fulphila™)</b>					
Q5108*					
<b>Sargramostim (Leukine®)</b>					
J2820					
<b>Tbo-filgrastim (Granix®)</b>					
J1447*					
<b><u>Bone-modifying agent that requires prior authorization:</u></b>					
<b>Denosumab (Xgeva®)</b>					
J0897					
Please submit requests online by using the Prior Authorization and Notification tool on Link. Go to <b>UHCprovider.com</b> and click on the Link button in the top right corner. Then, select the Prior Authorization and Notification tool on your Link dashboard. Or, call <b>888-397-8129</b> .					

Cardiology	<p>Prior authorization required for participating physicians for inpatient, outpatient and office-based electrophysiology implants prior to performance</p>	<p>For prior authorization, please submit requests online by using the Prior Authorization and Notification tool on Link. Go to <b>UHCprovider.com</b> and click on the Link button in the top right corner. Then, select the Prior Authorization and Notification tool on your Link dashboard. Or, call <b>866-889-8054</b>.</p> <p>For more details and the CPT codes that require prior</p>
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**Cardiology (continued)**

Prior authorization required for participating physicians for outpatient and office-based diagnostic catheterizations, echocardiograms and stress echoes prior to performance

authorization, please visit [UHCprovider.com/PACommunityplan](https://UHCprovider.com/PACommunityplan) > Prior Authorization and Notification Resources > Cardiology Prior Authorization and Notification Program

**Cardiovascular**

Prior authorization required for the codes listed.

75710*	75716*
*Prior authorization required for the following diagnosis codes:	
E08.51	E08.52
E08.59	E08.621
E09.51	E09.52
E09.59	E09.621
E10.51	E10.52
E10.59	E10.621
E11.51	E11.52
E11.59	E11.621
E13.51	E13.52
E13.59	E13.621
I70.201	I70.202
I70.203	I70.208
I70.209	I70.211
I70.212	I70.213
I70.218	I70.219
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	I70.291
I70.292	I70.293
I70.298	I70.299
I70.301	I70.302
I70.303	I70.308
I70.309	I70.311
I70.312	I70.313
I70.318	I70.319
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	I70.391
I70.392	I70.393
I70.399	I70.401
I70.402	I70.403
I70.408	I70.409
I70.411	I70.412
I70.413	I70.418
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	I70.444
I70.445	I70.448
I70.449	I70.461
I70.462	I70.463
I70.468	I70.469
I70.491	I70.492
I70.493	I70.498
I70.499	I70.501
I70.502	I70.503
I70.508	I70.509
I70.511	I70.512
I70.513	I70.518
I70.519	I70.521
I70.522	I70.523
I70.528	I70.529
I70.531	I70.532
I70.533	I70.534
I70.535	I70.538



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Cardiovascular (continued)		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	I70.591	I70.592	I70.593
		I70.598	I70.599	I70.601	I70.602
		I70.603	I70.608	I70.609	I70.611
		I70.612	I70.613	I70.618	I70.619
		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
		I70.691	I70.692	I70.693	I70.698
		I70.699	I70.701	I70.702	I70.703
		I70.708	I70.709	I70.711	I70.712
		I70.713	I70.718	I70.719	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	I70.791
		I70.792	I70.793	I70.798	I70.799
		I70.8	I70.90	I70.91	I70.92
		I72.3	I72.4	I72.8	I72.9
		I73.89	I73.9	I74.3	I74.4
		I74.5	I74.8	I74.9	I75.021
		I75.022	I75.023	I75.029	I75.89
		I77.1	I77.2	I77.70	I77.72
		I77.77	I77.79	I96	L03.115
		L03.116	L97.319	L97.329	L97.419
		L97.429	L97.511	L97.512	L97.513
		L97.519	L97.521	L97.522	L97.529
		L97.819	L97.828	L97.829	L97.909
		L97.919	L97.929	L98.491	L98.499
		M79.604	M79.605	M79.606	M79.609
		M79.651	M79.652	M79.659	M79.661
		M79.662	M79.669	M79.671	M79.672
		M79.673	M79.674	M79.675	M79.676
		M86.661	M86.662	M86.669	M86.671
		M86.672	M86.679	M86.8X7	Q27.30
		Q27.32	Q27.39	Q27.8	Q27.9
		Q87.2	R93.6	S35.511A	S35.512A
		S81.801A	S81.802A	S81.809A	S91.301A

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<b>Cardiovascular (continued)</b>		S91.302A T82.319A T82.399A T82.868A	S91.309A T82.338A T82.818A T82.898A	T82.312A T82.392A T82.856A Z95.820	T82.318A T82.398A T82.858A Z98.62
<b>Cerebral seizure monitoring – Inpatient video Electroencephalogram (EEG)</b>	Prior authorization required for inpatient services	95700 95714	95711 95715	95712 95716	95713 95718
	Prior authorization is not required for outpatient hospital or ambulatory surgical center	95720	95722	95724	95726
<b>Chemotherapy</b>	Prior authorization required for injectable chemotherapy drugs administered in an outpatient setting, including intravenous, intravesical and intrathecal, for a cancer diagnosis	<b>Injectable chemotherapy drugs that require prior authorization:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chemotherapy injectable drugs (J9000 - J9999), Leucovorin (J0640), Levoleucovorin (J0641, J0642)</li> <li>Chemotherapy injectable drugs that have a Q code</li> <li>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</li> </ul> For prior authorization, please submit requests online by using the Prior Authorization and Notification tool on Link. Go to <b>UHCprovider.com</b> and click on the Link button in the top right corner. Then, select the Prior Authorization and Notification tool on your Link dashboard. Or, call <b>888-397-8129</b> .			
<b>Cochlear implants and other auditory implants</b> A medical device within the inner ear with an external portion to help persons with profound sensorineural deafness achieve conversational speech	Prior authorization required	69710 69930 L8691	69714 L8614 L8692	69715 L8619	69718 L8690
<b>Continuous glucose monitor</b>	Prior authorization required with Type 2 Diabetes Diagnosis	A4226 E0787	A9276 K0553	A9277 K0554	A9278
<b>Cosmetic and reconstructive</b> Cosmetic procedures that change or improve physical appearance without significantly improving or restoring physiological function	Prior authorization required	11960 15822 15877 17999 21172 21181 21230	11971 15823 17106 21137 21175 21182 21235	15820 15830 17107 21138 21179 21183 21256	15821 15847 17108 21139 21180 21184 21275
Reconstructive procedures that treat a medical condition or improve or restore physiologic function		21280 21742 67900 67904 67911 67916 67923 67966	21282 21743 67901 67906 67912 67917 67924 Q2026	21295 28344 67902 67908 67914 67921 67950	21740 30620 67903 67909 67915 67922 67961

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<b>Durable medical equipment (DME)</b>	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	E0460	E0465	E0466	
		E0470	E0471	E0483	E0486	
		Prosthetics are not DME – see <i>Orthotics and prosthetics</i>	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	K0005	K0008	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					
<b>Enteral services</b> In-home nutritional therapy, either enteral or through a gastrostomy tube	Prior authorization required	B4034	B4035	B4036	B4100	
		B4102	B4103	B4104	B4149	
		B4150	B4152	B4153	B4155	
		B4158	B4159	B4160	B4161	
		B9002	B9998			
<b>Experimental and investigational (and/or linked services)</b>	Prior authorization required	0191T	33477	36514	55866	
		64722	65765	65767	66180	
		A4638	A6000	A9274	E0231	
		E1831	S0810	S1030	S1031	

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Experimental and investigational (and/or linked services) (continued)		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 <b>surgical codes</b> , with the following <b>DX codes</b> :			
		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
		15878	15879	17380	19303
		21083	21087	21120	21122
		21173	21270	21899	31599
		31750	31899	45399	45999
		53410	53430	54125	54520
		54660	54690	55175	55180
		56625	56800	56805	57110
		57335	58150	58180	58260
		58262	58290	58291	58541
		58542	58543	58544	58550
		58552	58553	58554	58570
		58571	58572	58573	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	81105	81106	81107	81108
		81109	81110	81111	81120
		81121	81161	81162	81163

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Genetic and molecular testing (continued)	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.	81164	81165	81166	81167	
		81170	81171	81172	81173	
		81174	81175	81176	81177	
		81178	81179	81180	81181	
		81182	81183	81184	81185	
		81186	81187	81188	81189	
		81190	81200	81201	81202	
		81203	81204	81205	81206	
		81207	81208	81209	81210	
		81212	81215	81216	81217	
		81218	81219	81220	81221	
		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.	81222	81223	81224	81225
			81226	81227	81228	81229
			81230	81231	81232	81233
			81234	81235	81236	81237
			81238	81239	81240	81241
			81242	81243	81244	81245
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			81250	81251	81252	81253
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			81262	81263	81264	81265
			81266	81267	81268	81269
			81270	81271	81272	81273
			81274	81275	81276	81283
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			81288	81289	81290	81291
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		81296	81297	81298	81299	
		81300	81301	81302	81303	
		81304	81305	81306	81310	
		81311	81312	81313	81314	
		81315	81316	81317	81318	
		81319	81320	81321	81322	
		81323	81324	81325	81326	
		81327	81328	81329	81330	
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81361	81362	81363	81364			



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Genetic and molecular testing (continued)		81370	81371	81372	81373
		81374	81375	81376	81377
		81378	81379	81380	81381
		81382	81383	81400	81401
		81402	81403	81404	81405
		81406	81407	81408	81410
		81411	81412	81413	81414
		81415	81416	81417	81430
		81431	81432	81433	81434
		81435	81436	81437	81438
		81439	81440	81442	81445
		81448	81460	81465	81470
		81471	81479	81518	81519
		81520	81521	81546	81595
		81599	87481	87482	87505
		87506	87507	87510	87511
		87512	87623	87797	87798
		87799	87800	87801	0004M
		0001U	0012U	0013U	0014U
		0016U	0017U	0018U	0022U
		0023U	0026U	0027U	0030U
		0031U	0032U	0033U	0034U
		0040U	0046U	0049U	0055U
		0060U	0068U	0070U	0071U
	0072U	0073U	0074U	0075U	
	0076U	0084U	0087U	0088U	
	0097U	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			
Injectable medications	Prior authorization required	<b>Actemra®</b>			
		J3262			
		<b>Acthar®</b>			
		J0800			
		<b>Adakveo®</b>			
		J0791			
		<b>Aldurazyme®</b>			
		J1931			
		<b>Aralast® NP, Prolastin-C®, Zemaira®</b>			
		J0256			

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Injectable medications (continued)	<b>Avsola™</b>				
	Q5121				
	<b>Benlysta</b>				
	J0490				
	<b>Berinert</b>				
	J0597				
	<b>Botulinum toxins</b>				
	J0585	J0586	J0587	J0588	
	<b>Brineura™</b>				
	J0567				
	<b>Cerezyme®</b>				
	J1786				
	<b>Cimzia®*</b>				
	J0717				
	<b>Cinqair®</b>				
	J2786				
	<b>Cinryze®</b>				
	J0598				
	<b>Crysvita®</b>				
	J0584				
	<b>Elaprase®</b>				
	J1743				
	<b>Elelyso®</b>				
	J3060				
	<b>Entyvio®</b>				
	J3380				
	<b>Evenity™</b>				
	J3111				
	<b>Exondys 51™</b>				
	J1428				
	<b>Fabrazyme®</b>				
	J0180				
	<b>Fasenra™</b>				
	J0517				
	<b>Feraheme®</b>				
	Q0138				
	<b>Gamifant®</b>				
	J9210				
	<b>Givlaari®</b>				
	J0223				
	<b>Glassia</b>				
	J0257				
	<b>Ilaris®</b>				

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Injectable medications (continued)	J0638			
	<b>Ilumya™</b>			
	J3245			
	<b>Inflectra®</b>			
	Q5103			
	<b>Injectafer®</b>			
	J1439			
	<b>IVIG</b>			
	90283	90284	J1459	J1554
	J1555	J1556	J1557	J1559
	J1561	J1566	J1568	J1569
	J1572	J1575	J1599	
	<b>Kalbitor®</b>			
	J1290			
	<b>Kanuma®</b>			
	J2840			
	<b>Krystexxa®</b>			
	J2507			
	<b>Lemtrada®</b>			
	J0202			
	<b>Lumizyme®</b>			
	J0221			
	<b>Luxturna™</b>			
	J3398			
	<b>Makena®</b>			
	J1726	J1729	J2675	
	<b>Mepsevii®</b>			
	J3397			
	<b>Monoferric®</b>			
	J1437			
<b>Naglazyme®</b>				
J1458				
<b>Nucala®</b>				
J2182				
<b>Ocrevus™</b>				
J2350				
<b>Onpattro™</b>				
J0222				
<b>Orencia®</b>				
J0129				
<b>Parsabiv™</b>				
J0606				
<b>Probuphine®</b>				

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Injectable medications (continued)		J0570			
	<b>Radicava®</b>				
		J1301			
	<b>Reblozyl®</b>				
		J0896			
	<b>Remicade®</b>				
		J1745			
	<b>Renflexis®</b>				
		Q5104			
	<b>Rituxan®</b>				
		J9312			
	<b>Rituxan Hycela®</b>				
		J9311			
	<b>Ruconest®</b>				
		J0596			
	<b>Ruxience®</b>				
		Q5119			
	<b>Scenesse®</b>				
		J7352			
	<b>Simponi Aria®</b>				
		J1602			
	<b>Sodium Hyaluronate</b>				
		J7320	J7321	J7322	J7324
		J7325	J7326	J7327	J7329
		J7331	J7332		
	<b>Soliris®</b>				
		J1300			
	<b>Spinraza™</b>				
		J2326			
	<b>Spravato®</b>				
		S0013			
	<b>Stelara</b>				
		J3358			
<b>Sublocade™</b>					
	Q9991	Q9992			
<b>Synagis®*</b>					
	90378				
<b>Tepezza®</b>					
	J3241				
<b>Trogarzo™</b>					
	J1746				
<b>Truxima®</b>					
	Q5115				

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<b>Tysabri®</b>				
J2323				
<b>Ultomiris™</b>				
J1303				
<b>Unclassified codes**</b>				
C9399	J3490	J3590		
<b>Uplizna®</b>				
J1823				
Viltepso™				
J1427				
<b>Vimizim®</b>				
J1322				
<b>VPRIV®</b>				
J3385				
<b>Vyepti™</b>				
J3032				
<b>Vyondys 53®</b>				
J1429				
<b>White blood cell colony stimulating factors***</b>				
J1442	J1447	J2505	Q5101	
Q5108	Q5110	Q5111	Q5120	
Q5122				
<b>Xembify®</b>				
J1558				
<b>Xolair®*</b>				
J2357				
<b>Zolgensma®</b>				
J3399				

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](http://UHCprovider.com) > Menu > Policies and Protocols > Community Plan Policies > Medical & Drug Policies and Coverage Determination Guidelines for Community Plan.

\* Please obtain prior notification for Cimzia, Synagis and Xolair through OptumRx prior notifications services at **800-310-6826**.

\*\* For unclassified codes C9399, J3490 and J3590, prior authorization is only required for Cutaquig®, and Revcovi.

\*\*\*Codes J1442, J1447, J2505, Q5101, Q5108, Q5110, Q5111, and Q5122; White blood cell colony stimulating factors, prior authorization is required for both oncology and non-oncology DX. For oncology DX, please see Cancer supportive care section above. For non-oncology DX, submit online at [UHCProvider.com](http://UHCProvider.com) > Link > Prior Authorization and Notification

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<b>Injectable medications (continued)</b>		tool on your Link dashboard or call 877-842-3210.			
<b>Inpatient admission</b>	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"> <li>• Acute care hospitals</li> <li>• Acute inpatient rehabilitation</li> <li>• Critical access hospitals</li> <li>• Long-term acute care hospitals</li> <li>• Skilled nursing facilities</li> </ul>			
<b>Joint replacement</b> Joint, total hip and knee replacement procedures	Prior authorization required	23470 24360 24370 27125 27137 27447 29867	23472 24361 24371 27130 27138 27486 29868	23473 24362 27120 27132 27412 27487 J7330	23474 24363 27122 27134 27446 29866 S2112
<b>Non-emergent air ambulance transport</b>	Prior authorization required	A0430 S9960	A0431 S9961	A0435	A0436
<b>Orthognathic surgery</b> Treatment of maxillofacial/jaw functional impairment	Prior authorization required	21121 21141 21146 21154 21188 21196 21208 21240 21246 21255	21123 21142 21147 21155 21193 21198 21209 21242 21247 21296	21125 21143 21150 21159 21194 21199 21210 21244 21248 21299	21127 21145 21151 21160 21195 21206 21215 21245 21249
<b>Orthotics and prosthetics</b>	Prior authorization required only for orthotics and prosthetic codes listed with a retail purchase or cumulative rental cost of more than \$500	L0112 L0464 L0486 L0632 L0638 L0810 L1000 L1310 L1700 L1755 L1840 L1860 L2000 L2030 L2038 L2126	L0170 L0480 L0624 L0634 L0640 L0820 L1005 L1499 L1710 L1820 L1844 L1945 L2005 L2034 L2060 L2136	L0456 L0482 L0629 L0636 L0700 L0830 L1200 L1680 L1720 L1832 L1845 L1950 L2010 L2036 L2106 L2350	L0462 L0484 L0631 L0637 L0710 L0859 L1300 L1685 L1730 L1834 L1846 L1970 L2020 L2037 L2108 L2510

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Orthotics and prosthetics (continued)		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
		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	

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<b>Orthotics and prosthetics (continued)</b>		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	
<b>Pediatric day services (PDHC)</b>	Prior authorization required	T1024			
<b>Private duty nursing</b>	Prior authorization required	T1000	T1002	T1003	
<b>Proton beam therapy</b> Focused radiation therapy using beams of protons, which are tiny particles with a positive charge	Prior authorization required	77520	77522	77523	77525
<b>Radiology</b>	<p>Prior authorization required for participating physicians who request these advanced outpatient imaging procedures:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Certain CT, MRI, MRA and PET scans</li> <li>Nuclear medicine and nuclear cardiology procedures</li> </ul>	<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 <b>866-889-8054</b>.</p> <p>For prior authorization, please submit requests online by using the Prior Authorization and Notification tool on Link. Go to <b>UHCprovider.com</b> and click on the Link button in the top right corner. Then, select the Prior Authorization and Notification tool on your Link dashboard. Or, call <b>866-889-8054</b>.</p> <p>For more details and the CPT codes that require prior authorization, please visit <b>UHCprovider.com/PACommunityPlan</b> &gt; Prior Authorization and Notification Resources &gt; Radiology Prior Authorization and Notification Program.</p>			
<b>Rhinoplasty and septoplasty</b> Treatment of nasal functional impairment and septal deviation	Prior authorization required	30400 30435 30465	30410 30450	30420 30460	30430 30462
<b>Sinuplasty</b>	Prior authorization required	31295	31296	31297	31298
<b>Site of service (SOS) –</b>	Prior authorization only required when requesting service in an outpatient	<b>Auditory System</b> 69205  <b>Cardiovascular System</b>			



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<b>Site of service (SOS) – outpatient hospital (continued)</b>	hospital setting	36590	36832		
	Prior authorization not required if performed at a participating Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC)	<b>Carpal tunnel surgery</b>			
		64721			
		<b>Cataract surgery</b>			
		66821	66982	66984	
		<b>Colonoscopy</b>			
		45378	45380	45384	45385
		<b>Cosmetic and reconstructive</b>			
		13101	13132	14040	14060
		14301	21552	21931	
		<b>Digestive System</b>			
		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	
		<b>Ear, nose and throat (ENT) procedures</b>			
		21320	30140	30520	69436
		69631			
		<b>Eye and Ocular Adnexa</b>			
		65710	65820	66250	66710
		66711	66825	66986	66987
		66988	67010	67041	67042
		67105	67108	67113	67840
		68110	68115	68320	68720
		68815			
		<b>Female Genital System</b>			
		57240	57250	57461	57520
	58561	58562			
	<b>Gynecologic procedures</b>				
	57522	58353	58558	58563	
	58565				
	<b>Hemic and Lymphatic System</b>				
	38500	38510	38525		
	<b>Hernia repair</b>				
	49505	49585	49587	49650	

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Site of service (SOS) – outpatient hospital (continued)		49651	49652	49653	49654
		49655			
		<b>Integumentary System</b>			
		10121	11440	11450	11624
		11770	13121	15100	15120
		15240	19020	19120	19125
		<b>Liver biopsy</b>			
		47000			
		<b>Male Genital System</b>			
		54840			
		<b>Miscellaneous</b>			
		20680			
		<b>Musculoskeletal System</b>			
		20552	20553	21012	21013
		21336	21554	21555	21556
		21930	22514	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		
		<b>Nervous System</b>			
		64561	64640		
		<b>Ophthalmologic</b>			
		65426	65730	65855	66170
		66761	67028	67036	67040
		67228	67311	67312	
		<b>Respiratory System</b>			
		30802	30930	31525	31535
		31536	31541	31624	
		<b>Tonsillectomy and adenoidectomy</b>			
		42820	42821	42825	42826
		42830			

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Site of service (SOS) – outpatient hospital (continued)		<b>Upper and lower gastrointestinal endoscopy</b>			
		43235	43239	43249	
		<b>Urinary System</b>			
		52276	52287	52320	52344
		<b>Urologic procedures</b>			
		50590	52000	52005	52204
		52224	52234	52235	52260
		52281	52310	52332	52351
		52352	52353	52356	54161
		55040	55700	57288	
<b>Sleep apnea procedures and surgeries</b>	Prior authorization required	21685	41599	42145	
Maxillomandibular advancement and oral-pharyngeal tissue reduction for treatment of obstructive sleep apnea					
<b>Spinal surgery</b>	Prior authorization required	0095T	0098T	0164T	22100
		22101	22102	22110	22112
		22114	22206	22207	22210
		22212	22214	22220	22224
		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	22864	22865
		22899	63001	63003	63005
		63011	63012	63015	63016
		63017	63020	63030	63040
		63042	63045	63046	63047
		63050	63055	63056	63064
		63075	63077	63081	63085
		63087	63090	63101	63102
		63170	63172	63173	63185
63190	63191	63194	63195		
63196	63198	63199	63200		
63250	63251	63252	63265		
63267	63268	63270	63271		
63272	63286	63300	63301		
63302	63303	63304	63305		

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<b>Spinal surgery (continued)</b>		63306	63307	63308	
<b>Stimulators</b>	Prior authorization required	<b>Bone growth stimulator</b>			
Implantation of a device that sends electrical impulses		E0747	E0748	E0749	E0760
		<b>Neurostimulator</b>			
		0312T	0313T	0314T	0315T
		0316T	0317T	43648	43881
		43882	61863	61864	61867
		61868	61885	61886	63650
		63655	63685	64553	64555
		64568	64570	64590	L8680
		L8682	L8685	L8686	L8687
		L8688			
<b>Transplants</b>	Prior authorization required	For transplant and CAR T-cell therapy services, including Kymriah™ (tisagenlecleucel), Tecartus™ (brexucabtagene autoleucel) and Yescarta™ (axicabtagene ciloleucel), please call the UnitedHealthcare Community and State Transplant Case Management Team at <b>888-936-7246</b> 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	50380	50547	S2060
		S2061	S2152		
		<b>CAR T-Cell Therapy</b>			
		0537T	0538T	0539T	0540T
		Q2041	Q2042	Q2053	
		*Code 38232 will only require prior authorization for an oncology diagnosis			
<b>Vein procedures</b>	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	37780

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<b>Ventricular assist devices (VAD)</b> A mechanical pump that takes over the function of the damaged ventricle of the heart and restores normal blood flow	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 <b>855-282-8929</b> .			
		33927	33928	33929	33975
		33976	33979	33981	33982
		33983	Q0507	Q0508	Q0509
<b>Wound vac</b>	Prior authorization required	E2402			