

Prior Authorization Requirements for Rhode Island Medicaid

Effective August 1, 2022

General Information

This list contains prior authorization requirements for UnitedHealthcare Community Plan in Rhode Island participating care providers 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 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:** 866-604-3267

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.

Facilities must provide admission notification even if advance notification was provided by a physician and a pre-service coverage approval is on file.

Prior authorization is the process where health care providers seek approval before rendering a service, as required by UnitedHealthcare policy. It's required under the direction of the UnitedHealthcare Health Services Department and is an essential part of any managed care organization. Advance notification is a requirement of care providers to give UnitedHealthcare timely communication of services so we can do a prospective, concurrent and retrospective care review.

Procedures and Services	Additional Information	CPT® or HCPCS Codes and/or How to Obtain Prior Authorization			
Adult day services	Prior authorization required	S5102			
Bariatric surgery	Prior authorization required	43644	43645	43659	43770
Bariatric surgery and specific obesity-related services		43775	43842	43845	43846
		43847	43848	43860	
Behavioral health services	Prior authorization is not required for routine outpatient services.	For specific codes requiring prior authorization, please call the number on the member's health plan ID card when referring for mental health and substance abuse/substance use services			
Behavioral health services through a designated behavioral health network	Many of our benefit plans provide coverage for behavioral health services through a designated behavioral health network.				
Bone growth stimulator	Prior authorization required	20975	20979		
Electronic stimulation or ultrasound to heal fractures					
Breast reconstruction (non-mastectomy)	Prior authorization required	19316	19318	19325	19328
		19330	19340	19342	19350

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Breast reconstruction (non-mastectomy) (continued)	Reconstruction of the breast, except when following mastectomy	19357	19361	19364	19367
		19368	19369	19370	19371
		19380	19396	L8600	
Cancer supportive services	<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, J1448, J2506, Q5101, Q5108, Q5110, Q5111, Q5120 and Q5122 also require prior authorization for non-oncology DX. See Injectable medications section below.</p>	<p><u>Injectable colony-stimulating factor drugs that require prior authorization:</u></p> <p>Filgrastim (Neupogen®) J1442*</p> <p>Filgrastim-aafi (Nivestym™) Q5110*</p> <p>Filgrastim-sndz (Zarxio®) Q5101*</p> <p>Pegfilgrastim (Neulasta®) J2506*</p> <p>Pegfilgrastim-appf, biosimilar (Nyvepria®) Q5122*</p> <p>Pegfilgrastim-bmez (Ziextenzo®) Q5120*</p> <p>Pegfilgrastim-cbqv (UDENYCA™) Q5111*</p> <p>Pegfilgrastim-jmdb (Fulphila™) Q5108</p> <p>Sargramostim (Leukine®) J2820</p> <p>Tbo-filgrastim (Granix®) J1447*</p> <p>Trilaciclib (Cosela®) J1448*</p> <p><u>Bone-modifying agent that requires prior authorization:</u></p> <p>Denosumab (Xgeva®) J0897</p> <p><u>Antiemetic codes That Require Prior Authorization:</u> J0185 J1453 J1454 J1627</p>			

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Procedures and Services	Additional Information	CPT® or HCPCS Codes and/or How to Obtain Prior Authorization			
Cardiology	Prior authorization required for participating physicians for outpatient and office-based diagnostic catheterizations, echocardiograms, electrophysiology implants and stress echoes, prior to performance	<p>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/RIcommunityplan > Prior Authorization and Notification Resources > Cardiology Prior Authorization and Notification Program.</p>			
Cardiovascular	Prior authorization required for lower extremities angiogram	37220	37221	37224	37225
		37226	37227	37228	37229
		75710*	75716*	93580	
		*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

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Cardiovascular (continued)		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
		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	

Procedures and Services	Additional Information	CPT® or HCPCS Codes and/or How to Obtain Prior Authorization			
Cardiovascular (continued)		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
		S91.302A	S91.309A	T82.312A	T82.318A
		T82.319A	T82.338A	T82.392A	T82.398A
		T82.399A	T82.818A	T82.856A	T82.858A
Cerebral seizure monitoring – Inpatient video Electroencephalogram (EEG)	Prior authorization required for inpatient services	95700	95711	95712	95713
	Prior authorization is not required for outpatient hospital or ambulatory surgical center	95714	95715	95716	95718
		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: 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 and other auditory implants 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	69714	69930	L8614
		L8619	L8690	L8691	L8692
Continuous glucose monitor	Prior authorization required with Type 2 Diabetes Diagnosis	A4226 E0787	A9276* K0553*	A9277* K0554*	A9278*
		*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.			
Cosmetic and reconstructive	Prior authorization required	11960	11971	14020	14021
		14061	15820	15821	15822
		15823	15830	15847	15877

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Cosmetic and reconstructive (continued)		15878	15879	17106	17107	
		17108	17999	21137	21138	
		21139	21172	21175	21179	
		21180	21181	21182	21183	
	Cosmetic procedures that change or improve physical appearance without significantly improving or restoring physiological function	21184	21230	21235	21256	
		21275	21280	21282	21295	
		21740	21742	21743	28344	
		30620	67900	67901	67902	
		67903	67904	67906	67908	
		67909	67911	67912	67914	
	Reconstructive procedures that treat a medical condition or improve or restore physiologic function	67915	67916	67917	67921	
		67922	67923	67924	67950	
		67961	67966	Q2026		
Durable medical equipment (DME)	Prior authorization required only for DME 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	
		Prosthetics are not DME – see <i>Orthotics and prosthetics.</i>	E0470	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	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			
T1999	T5999	V2786	V5269			

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Durable medical equipment (DME) (continued)		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		
Femoroacetabular impingement syndrome (FAI)	Prior authorization required	29914	29915	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

14000 14001 14041 15734
15738 15750 15757 15758
19303 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 64856
64892 64896

Genetic and molecular testing to include BRCA gene 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.	81105	81106	81107	81108
		81109	81110	81111	81120
		81121	81161	81162	81163
		81164	81165	81166	81167
		81168	81170	81171	81172
		81173	81174	81175	81176
		81177	81178	81179	81180
		81181	81182	81183	81184
		81185	81186	81187	81188
		81189	81190	81191	81192
		81193	81194	81200	81201
		81203	81204	81205	81208
		81209	81212	81216	81218
	Notification/prior authorization required for BRCA testing before DNA sequencing is performed. The				

Procedures and Services	Additional Information	CPT® or HCPCS Codes and/or How to Obtain Prior Authorization			
Genetic and molecular testing to include BRCA gene testing (continued)	ordering care provider must notify the laboratory conducting the test and the laboratory will notify UnitedHealthcare.	81220	81222	81223	81224
		81225	81226	81227	81228
		81229	81230	81231	81232
		81233	81234	81236	81237
		81238	81239	81240	81241
		81242	81243	81244	81245
		81246	81247	81248	81249
		81250	81251	81252	81253
		81254	81255	81256	81257
		81258	81259	81260	81261
		81262	81263	81264	81265
		81266	81267	81268	81269
		81271	81272	81273	81274
		81276	81278	81279	81283
		81284	81285	81286	81287
		81288	81289	81290	81291
		81292	81294	81295	81297
		81298	81300	81302	81303
		81304	81305	81306	81307
		81309	81310	81312	81313
		81314	81315	81316	81317
		81318	81319	81320	81321
		81322	81323	81324	81325
		81326	81327	81328	81329
		81330	81331	81332	81333
		81334	81335	81336	81337
		81338	81339	81340	81341
		81342	81343	81344	81345
		81346	81347	81348	81349
		81350	81351	81352	81353
		81355	81357	81360	81361
		81362	81363	81364	81370
		81371	81372	81373	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	81419	81420	81430
81431	81432	81433	81434		
81435	81436	81437	81438		
81439	81440	81442	81445		
81448	81460	81465	81470		
81471	81479	81507	81518		
81519	81520	81521	81522		
81523	81546	81554	81595		

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Genetic and molecular testing to include BRCA gene testing (continued)		81599	87481	87482	87505
		87506	87507	87510	87511
		87512	87623	87797	87798
		87799	87800	87801	0001U
		0004M	0006M	0007M	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	0111U
		0129U	0136U	0137U	0154U
		0155U	0157U	0158U	0159U
		0160U	0161U	0168U	0169U
		0170U	0171U	0172U	0173U
		0175U	0177U	0179U	0180U
		0181U	0182U	0183U	0184U
		0185U	0186U	0187U	0188U
		0189U	0190U	0191U	0192U
		0193U	0194U	0195U	0196U
		0197U	0198U	0199U	0200U
		0201U	0203U	0205U	0209U
		0214U	0215U	0216U	0217U
		0218U	0221U	0222U	0229U
		0230U	0231U	0232U	0234U
		0235U	0236U	0237U	0238U
		0245U	0246U	0250U	0252U
		0253U	0254U	0258U	0260U
		0262U	0264U	0265U	0266U
		0267U	0268U	0269U	0270U
		0271U	0272U	0273U	0274U
	0276U	0277U	0278U	0282U	
	0285U	0286U	0287U	0288U	
	0289U	0290U	0291U	0292U	
	0293U	0294U	0296U	0297U	
	0298U	0299U	0300U	S3870	
Home health care	Prior authorization required only in outpatient settings, to include member's home	G0299	G0300	G0493	G0494
		G0495	G0496	S9122	S9123
		S9124	S9474		
Hospice	Prior authorization required	T2042	T2043	T2044	T2045

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Injectable medications	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.	Actemra® J3262 Acthar® J0800 Adakveo® J0791 Aldurazyme® J1931 Amondys 45 J1426 Apretude J0739 Aralast NP, Prolastin – C, Zemaira J0256 Avsola™ Q5121 Benlysta J0490 Berinert® J0597 Botulinum toxins J0585 J0586 J0587 J0588 Brineura™ J0567 Cabenuva J0741 Cerezyme® J1786 Cimzia®* J0717 Cinqair® J2786 Cinryze® J0598 Crysvita® J0584 Cutaquig® J1551 Elaprase® J1743 ElELYso® J3060			

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Injectable medications (continued)		Entyvio®	J3380		
		Erythropoiesis Stimulating Agents****	J0885		
		Evenity™	J3111		
		Evkeeza	J1305		
		Exondys 51™	J1428		
		Fabrazyme®	J0180		
		Fasenra™	J0517		
		Fensolvi®	J1951		
		Feraheme®	Q0138		
		Firmagon®	J9155		
		Gamifant®	J9210		
		Givlaari®	J0223		
		Glassia®	J0257		
		Ilaris®	J0638		
		Ilumya™	J3245		
		Inflectra®	Q5103		
		Injectafer®	J1439		
		IVIG	90283	90284	J1459
			J1555	J1556	J1557
			J1561	J1566	J1568
			J1572	J1575	J1599
		Kalbitor®	J1290		
		Kanuma®			

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Injectable medications (continued)		J2840	
		Krystexxa®	
		J2507	
		Lemtrada®	
		J0202	
		Leqvio®	
		J1306	
		Lumizyme®	
		J0221	
		Lupron Depot®	
		J1950	
		Lupron Depot, Eligard®	
		J9217	
		Luxturna™	
		J3398	
		Makena®	
		J1726	J1729 J2675
		Mepsevii®	
		J3397	
		Monoferric®	
		J1437	
		Naglazyme®	
		J1458	
		Nexviazyme®	
		J0219	
		Nplate®	
		J2796	
		Nucala®	
		J2182	
		Ocrevus™	
		J2350	
		Octreotide Acetate	
		J2354	
		Onpatro™	
		J0222	
		Orencia®	
		J0129	
		Oxlumo™	
		J0224	
		Parsabiv™	
		J0606	
		Probuphine®	

Procedures and Services	Additional Information	CPT® or HCPCS Codes and/or How to Obtain Prior Authorization			
Injectable medications (continued)		J0570			
		Radicava®			
		J1301			
		Reblozyl®			
		J0896			
		Remicade®			
		J1745			
		Renflexis®			
		Q5104			
		Riabni™			
		Q5123			
		Rituxan®			
		J9312			
		Rituxan Hycela®			
		J9311			
		Ruconest®			
		J0596			
		Ruxience®			
		Q5119			
		Ryplazim®			
		J2998			
		Sandostatin® LAR			
		J2353			
		Saphnelo®			
		J0491			
		Scenesse®			
		J7352			
		Signifor® LAR			
		J2502			
		Simponi Aria®			
		J1602			
		Sodium Hyaluronate			
		J7320	J7321	J7322	J7324
		J7325	J7326	J7327	J7329
		J7331	J7332		
		Soliris®			
		J1300			
		Somatuline® Depot			
		J1930			
		Spinraza™			
		J2326			
		Spravato®			

Procedures and Services	Additional Information	CPT® or HCPCS Codes and/or How to Obtain Prior Authorization			
Injectable medications (continued)		S0013			
	Stelara®				
	J3358				
	Sublocade™				
	Q9991		Q9992		
	Supprelin® LA				
	J9226				
	Synagis®*				
	90378				
	Tepezza®				
	J3241				
	Therapeutic Radiopharmaceuticals***				
	A9513		A9590	A9606	A9699
	Trelstar®				
	J3315				
	Triptodur®				
	J3316				
	Trogarzo™				
	J1746				
	Truxima®				
	Q5115				
	Ultomiris™				
	J1303				
	Unclassified codes**				
	C9399		J3490	J3590	
	Uplizna®				
	J1823				
	Vantas™				
	J9225				
	Viltepso™				
	J1427				
	Vimizim®				
	J1322				
Vyepti™					
J3032					
Vyondys 53®					
J1429					
Vyvgart™					
J9332					
White blood cell colony stimulating factors****					
J1442		J1447	J1448	J2506	
Q5101		Q5108	Q5110	Q5111	

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Injectable medications (continued)		<p>Q5120 Q5122</p> <p>Xembify®</p> <p>J1558</p> <p>Xolair®</p> <p>J2357</p> <p>Zoladex®</p> <p>J9202</p> <p>Zolgensma®</p> <p>J3399</p> <p>Please check our Review at <i>Launch for New to Market Medications</i> policy for the most up-to-date information on drugs newly approved by the Food & Drug Administration (FDA) and included on our <i>Review at Launch Medication List</i>. Pre-determination is highly recommended for the drugs on the list. The Review at <i>Launch for New to Market Medications</i> policy is available at UHCprovider.com > Menu > Policies and Protocols > Community Plan Policies > Medical & Drug Policies and Coverage Determination Guidelines for Community Plan.</p> <p>* Please obtain prior notification for Cimzia®, and Synagis through OptumRx prior notifications services at 800-310-6826.</p> <p>** For unclassified and temporary codes C9090, C9399, J3490 and J3590, prior authorization is required only for Lupaneta Pack™, Nulibry, Purified Cortropin Gel, Revcovi.</p> <p>***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.</p> <p>****For code J0885, prior authorization is required for both oncology and non-oncology DX. Prior authorization is not required for ESRD diagnosis.</p> <p>*****For codes J1442, J1447, J1448, J2506, Q5101, Q5108, Q5110, Q5111, Q5120 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 > Link > Prior Authorization and Notification tool on your link dashboard or call 877-842-3210.</p>
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Inpatient admissions	Notification with service detail required (e.g., CPT/HCPCS code)
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Inpatient admissions – post- acute services	<p>Prior authorization and notification of admission date required for these facilities providing post-acute inpatient services:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Acute care hospitals • Acute inpatient rehabilitation • Critical access hospitals • Long-term acute care hospitals • Skilled nursing facilities
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Procedures and Services	Additional Information	CPT® or HCPCS Codes and/or How to Obtain Prior Authorization			
Joint replacement	Prior authorization required	23470	23472	23473	23474
Joint replacement (continued)		24360	24361	24362	24363
Joint, total hip and knee replacement procedures		24370	24371	27120	27125
		27130	27132	27134	27137
		27138	27412	27446	27447
		27486	27487	29866	29867
		29868	J7330	S2112	
Non-emergent air ambulance transport	Prior authorization required	A0430	A0431	A0435	A0436
		S9960	S9961		
Orthognathic surgery	Prior authorization required	21121	21123	21125	21127
Treatment of maxillofacial/jaw functional impairment		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	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

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Orthotics and prosthetics (continued)		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	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	

Procedures and Services	Additional Information	CPT® or HCPCS Codes and/or How to Obtain Prior Authorization			
Orthotics and prosthetics (continued)		L7040	L7045	L7170	L7180
		L7181	L7185	L7186	L7190
		L7191	L7405	L8040	L8042
		L8043	L8044	L8045	L8046
		L8047	L8499	L8609	L8610
		L8612	L8631	L8659	
Private duty nursing	Prior authorization required	T1000	T1002	T1003	
Prostate procedure	Prior authorization required	37243	52441	52442	53850
		53852	55866	55873	55874
Radiology	Prior authorization required for participating physicians who request these advanced outpatient imaging procedures:	Care providers ordering an advanced outpatient imaging procedure are responsible for providing notification prior to scheduling the procedure.			
	Certain CT, MRI, MRA and PET scans Nuclear medicine and nuclear cardiology procedures	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/Rlcommunityplan > Prior Authorization and Notification Resources > Radiology Prior Authorization and Notification Program			
Radiation therapy	Prior authorization required	IGRT			
		77014	77387	G6001	G6002
		G6017			
		IMRT			
		Intensity-Modulated Radiation Therapy			
		77385	77386	G6015	G6016
		Proton Beam			
		Focused radiation therapy that uses beams of protons (tiny particles with a positive charge)			
		77520	77522	77523	77525
		Special/Associated Services			
		77331	77370	77399	77470
		SRS/SBRT			
		77371	77372	77373	G0339
		G0340			
Standard Radiation Therapy (2D/3D)					
Prior Auth required only when obtained with diagnosis codes in the following ranges: C34.00 – C34.92, C50.011 – C50.929, C61, C79.51 – C79.52, C84.7A, D05.00 – D05.92					
77401	77402	77407	77412		
G6003	G6004	G6005	G6006		
G6007	G6008	G6009	G6010		
G6011	G6012	G6013	G6014		
Y90					
Implantable Beta-Emitting Microspheres for treatment of malignant tumors					

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Radiation therapy (continued)		79445	S2095		
		<p>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 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/RIcommunityplan > Prior Authorization and Notification Resources > Radiology Prior Authorization and Notification Program</p>			

Septoplasty and rhinoplasty 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	Auditory System			
	Prior authorization not required if performed at a participating Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC)	Cardiovascular System 36590 36832 Carpal tunnel surgery 64721 Cataract surgery 66821 66982 66984 66987 66988 Colonoscopy 45378 45380 45384 45385 Cosmetic and reconstructive 13101 13132 14040 14060 14301 21552 21931 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			



Procedures and Services	Additional Information	CPT® or HCPCS Codes and/or How to Obtain Prior Authorization			
Site of service (SOS) – outpatient hospital (continued)		Eye and Ocular Adnexa			
		65710	65820	66250	66710
		66711	66825	66986	67010
		67041	67042	67105	67108
		67113	67840	68110	68115
		68320	68720	68815	
		Gynecologic procedures			
		57240	57250	57461	57520
		57522	58353	58558	58561
		58562	58563	58565	
		Hemic and Lymphatic Systems			
		38500	38510	38525	
		Hernia repair			
		49505	49585	49587	49650
		49651	49652	49653	49654
		49655			
		Integumentary System			
		10121	11440	11450	11624
		11770	13121	15100	15120
		15240	19020	19120	19125
		Liver biopsy			
		47000			
		Male Genital System			
		54840			
		Miscellaneous			
		20680			
		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			

Procedures and Services	Additional Information	CPT® or HCPCS Codes and/or How to Obtain Prior Authorization			
Site of service (SOS) – outpatient hospital (continued)		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	
		Urologic procedures			
		50590	52000	52005	52204
		52224	52234	52235	52260
		52276	52281	52287	52310
		52320	52332	52344	52351
		52352	52353	52356	54161
		55040	55700	57288	
Sleep apnea procedures and surgeries	Prior authorization required	21685	41599	42145	
Maxillomandibular advancement and oral-pharyngeal tissue reduction for treating obstructive sleep apnea					
Sleep studies	Prior authorization required	95805	95807	95808	95810
		95811			
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	22864	22865	22899
		63001	63003	63005	63011
		63012	63015	63016	63017

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Spinal surgery (continued)		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	63200	63250	63251
		63252	63265	63267	63268
		63270	63271	63272	63286
		63300	63301	63302	63303
		63304	63305	63306	63307
		63308	0095T	0098T	0164T
			*SOS also applies		
Stimulators	Prior authorization required	Bone growth stimulator			
		E0747	E0748	E0749	E0760
Implantation of a device that sends electrical impulses		Neurostimulator			
		43648	43881	43882	61885
		63650	63655	63685	64553
		64568	64570	64590	0312T
		0313T	0314T	0315T	0316T
		0317T	L8680	L8682	L8685
		L8686	L8687	L8688	
Transplants	Prior authorization required	For transplant and CAR T-Cell therapy services, including Abecma® (Idecaptagene Cicleucel), Breyanzi® (Lisocabtagene Maralucel), Carvykti (ciltacabtagene autoleucel), 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 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		
		CAR T-Cell Therapy			
		0537T	0538T	0539T	0540T

Procedures and Services	Additional Information	CPT® or HCPCS Codes and/or How to Obtain Prior Authorization			
Transplants (continued)		C9098**	C9399**	J9999**	Q2041
		Q2042	Q2053	Q2054	Q2055
		* Code 38232 will only require prior authorization for an oncology diagnosis			
		** For Unclassified codes C9098, C9399 and J9999 Prior Authorization is only required for Carvykti.			
Vein procedures Removal and ablation of the main trunks and named branches of the saphenous veins for treating venous disease and varicose veins of the extremities	Prior authorization required	36468	36473	36475	36478
		37700	37718	37722	37765
		37766	37780		
Wound vac	Prior authorization required	E2402			