You may check to see if a Prior Authorization/Notification is required through the Prior Authorization and Notification Link application. **Note:** This app is **not** used for referrals. Referrals should be submitted through the eligibility Link app.

**Get Started**

1. From [UHCprovider.com](https://www.UHCprovider.com), click **Link** and sign in

2. Select **Prior Authorization and Notification**

3. The first time you access this self-service tool, you must select the Care Provider you represent from the pull-down menus then click **Continue**.

**Check if a Prior Authorization is Required**

1. Select **Check if a Prior Authorization is Required**

   **Note:** The Provider Information will default to the last selected, but you may change the provider by **Selecting a Different Provider**.

2. Enter the **Date**

3. Select a **Search Method** to identify the Member (Member ID and DOB, Member ID and Name or Member Name, DOB and State)

4. Enter the required information

5. Click **Search**
Service Details

1. Choose the **Place of Service** and **Address** from the pull-down menus then click **Continue**

Inquiry Form

After completing the above steps, the **Patient Details** will appear at the top of the **Inquiry form**. Consult the following pages for detailed information.
Diagnosis and Procedure Details

Type in a Diagnosis Code/Procedure Code or keyword, then select from the drop-down menu.

Add up to a total of 10 Diagnosis Codes and/or 14 Procedure Codes.*

Complete additional details, if prompted.

Click Continue, at the bottom of the form.
Response

Review the response and record the Decision ID #

NOTE: If a Notification or Prior Authorization is not required, or your request cannot be processed, the Decision ID # serves as your reference number which may be needed if there are any claim issues.

Bottom of the response screen

Proceed with Submission, if desired

Additional Help Resources are available at the Link Resource Library and UHC on Air