

Prior Authorization Requirements for New York Medicaid

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General Information

This list contains prior authorization requirements for care providers who participate with UnitedHealthcare Community Plan in New York for inpatient and outpatient services. To request prior authorization, please submit your request online or by phone.

- **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 the Prior Authorization and Notification tile on your Provider Portal dashboard.
- **Phone:** Call **866-362-3368**.

Note: All planned, elective inpatient service requests require prior authorization.

- **Prior authorization is not required for emergent/urgent care – in network or out of network.**
- **All non-emergent, out-of-network services require prior authorization regardless of the place of service.**

Procedures and Services	Additional Information	CPT® or HCPCS Codes and/or How to Obtain Prior Authorization			
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	Many of our benefit plans only provide coverage for behavioral health services through a designated behavioral health network.	For specific codes requiring prior authorization, please call the number on the member's health plan ID card to refer for mental health and substance abuse/substance use services. For ABA Therapy, submit via fax or Provider Express			
Bone growth stimulator	Prior authorization required	20975	20979		
Electronic stimulation or ultrasound to heal fractures					
Breast reconstruction (non-mastectomy)	Prior authorization required	11971	19316	19318	19325
Reconstruction of the breast except when following mastectomy		19328	19330	19340	19342
		19350	19357	19361	19364
		19367	19368	19369	19370
		19371	19380	19396	L8600

Procedures and Services	Additional Information	CPT® or HCPCS Codes and/or How to Obtain Prior Authorization
Cancer supportive care	<p>Prior authorization is required for colony-stimulating factor drugs and bone-modifying agents administered in an outpatient setting for a cancer diagnosis.</p> <p>*Codes J1442, J1447 J2506, Q5101, Q5108, Q5110, Q5111, Q5120 and Q5122 also require prior authorization for non-oncology DX. See Injectable medications section below.</p>	<p><u>Anti-Emetics that require prior authorization:</u></p> <p>Akynzeo® (palonosetron/fosnetupitant) J1454</p> <p>Cinvanti™ (aprepitant) J0185</p> <p>Emend® (fosaprepitant) J1453</p> <p>Sustol® (granisetron extended release) J1627</p> <p>Injectable colony-stimulating factor drugs that require prior authorization:</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-appgf (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>Filgrastim-ayow (Releuko®) Q5125</p> <p>Bone-modifying agent that requires prior authorization:</p> <p>Denosumab (Xgeva®) J0897</p> <p><u>Antiemetic Drugs:</u> J1456</p>

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Cancer supportive care (cont.)		For prior authorization requests, 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 tile on your Provider Portal dashboard. Or call 888-397-8129
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Cardiology	Prior authorization required for participating physicians for outpatient and office-based diagnostic catheterizations, echocardiograms, electrophysiology implants, and stress echoes prior to performance	93319 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 866-889-8054 . For more details and the CPT codes that require prior authorization, please visit UHCprovider.com/NYcommunityplan >Prior Authorization and Notification Resources > Cardiology Prior Authorization and Notification Program.
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Cardiovascular	Prior authorization required	37220	37221	37224	37225
		37226	37227	37228	37229
		37230	37231	93580	
		Prior authorization required for the following diagnosis codes:			
		E08.52	E09.52	E10.52	E11.52
		E13.52	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

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Cardiovascular (continued)		I70.268	I70.269	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	I70.421	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	I70.521	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	I70.621	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	I70.721	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	I72.3	I72.4	I72.8
		I72.9	I77.2	I77.70	I77.72
		I77.77	I77.79	I74.3	I74.4
		I74.5	I74.8	I74.9	I75.021
		I75.022	I75.023	I75.029	I75.89
		T82.818A	T82.868A	S81.801A	S81.802A
		S81.809A	S91.301A	S91.302A	S91.309A
		M86.051	M86.052	M86.059	M86.061
		M86.062	M86.069	M86.071	M86.072
		M86.079	M86.08	M86.09	M86.1
		M86.10	M86.151	M86.152	M86.159
		M86.161	M86.162	M86.169	M86.171
		M86.172	M86.179	M86.18	M86.19
		M86.20	M86.251	M86.252	M86.259
		M86.261	M86.262	M86.269	M86.271
		M86.272	M86.279	M86.28	M86.29
		M86.30	M86.351	M86.352	M86.359

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Cardiovascular (continued)		M86.361	M86.362	M86.369	M86.371
		M86.372	M86.379	M86.38	M86.39
		M86.40	M86.451	M86.452	M86.459
		M86.461	M86.462	M86.469	M86.471
		M86.472	M86.479	M86.48	M86.49
		M86.50	M86.551	M86.552	M86.559
		M86.561	M86.562	M86.571	M86.572
		M86.579	M86.58	M86.59	M86.60
		M86.651	M86.652	M86.659	M86.661
		M86.662	M86.669	M86.671	M86.672
		M86.679	M86.68	M86.69	M86.8X0
		M86.8X5	M86.8X6	M86.8X7	M86.8X8
		M86.8X9	M86.9	I96	L03.115
		L03.116	Q27.30	Q27.32	Q27.39
		Q27.8	Q27.9	Q87.2	S35.511A
		S35.512A	T82.312A	T82.318A	T82.319A
		T82.338A	T82.392A	T82.398A	T82.399A
	T82.898A	I73.00	I73.01	I73.1	
	I73.81				
Cerebral seizure monitoring –	Prior authorization is required for inpatient services.	95700	95711	95712	95713
Inpatient video Electroencephalogram (EEG)	Prior authorization is not required for outpatient hospital or ambulatory surgical center.	95714	95715	95716	95718
		95720	95722	95724	95726
Chemotherapy	Prior authorization is 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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 haven't yet received an assigned code and will be billed under a miscellaneous Healthcare Common Procedure Coding System (HCPCS) code will require prior authorization. <p>For prior authorization, 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 tile on your Provider Portal dashboard. Or call 888-397-8129.</p>			
Cochlear implants and other auditory implants	Prior authorization required	69710	69714	69930	L8614
A medical device within the inner ear with an external portion that helps persons with profound sensorineural deafness achieve conversational speech		L8619	L8690	L8691	L8692
Continuous glucose monitor	Prior authorization required	A4238	A4239	E2102	E2103
Cosmetic and reconstructive	Prior authorization required	11960	14020*	14021*	14061*

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Cosmetic procedures that change or improve physical appearance without significantly improving or restoring physiological function.		15820	15821	15822	15823	
		15830	15847	15877	15878	
		15879	17106	17107	17108	
		17999	21137	21138	21139	
		21172	21175	21179	21180	
	Reconstructive procedures that treat a medical condition to improve or restore physiologic function		21181	21182	21183	21184
			21230	21235	21256	21275
			21280	21282	21295	21740
			21742	21743	28344	30620
			67900	67901	67902	67903
			67904	67906	67908	67909
			67911	67912	67914	67915
			67916	67917	67921	67922
			67923	67924	67950	67961
		67966	Q2026			
<i>*will NOT require prior auth when billed with skin cancer diagnoses</i>						
Durable medical equipment (DME)	Prior authorization is required only for the DME codes listed with a retail purchase or cumulative rental cost of more than \$500.	A4575	A9279	A9280	A9900	
		E0194	E0265	E0266	E0270	
		E0277	E0300	E0328	E0329	
		E0445	E0457	E0465	E0466	
	Prosthetics are not DME – see <i>Orthotics and prosthetics</i> .	E0470	E0471	E0483	E0486	
		E0620	E0636	E0637	E0638	
		E0641	E0642	E0652	E0656	
	Some home health care services may qualify but are not subject to the cost threshold – see <i>Home health services</i> .	E0669	E0670	E0675	E0693	
		E0694	E0700	E0710	E0745	
		E0762	E0764	E0766	E0784	
		E0787	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			

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Durable medical equipment (DME) (cont.)		K0878	K0879	K0880	K0884
		K0885	K0886	K0890	K0891
		S1040	T1999	T5999	V2786
		V5269	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		
Erectile dysfunction	Prior authorization required	37788	37790	54400	54401
		54405	54408	54410	54411
		54416	54417	55870	J0270
		J0275	J0775	J2440	J2760
		L7900	L7902		
Experimental and investigational (and or linked services)	Prior authorization required	33477	36514	55866	64722
		65765	65767	66180	A4226
		A4638	A6000	A9274	E0231
		E1831	S0810	S1030	S1031
		S2102	S9988	S9990	S9991
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	
Genetic and molecular testing to include BRCA	Prior authorization is 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.	81162	81163	81164	81228
		81229	81400	81401	81402
		81403	81404	81405	81406
		81407	81408	81410	81411
		81412	81413	81414	81415
		81416	81417	81420	81431
		81432	81433	81435	81436
		81437	81438	81439	81440
		81445	81448	81460	81465
		81479	81507	81518	81519
		81520	81521	81546	81595
		81599	87505	87506	87507
		0006M	0007M	0018U	0022U
		0023U	0026U	0055U	0060U
		0087U	0088U	0111U	0129U
	Notification/prior authorization is required for BRCA testing before DNA sequencing is	S3870			

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Genetic and molecular testing to include BRCA (continued)	performed. The ordering care provider must notify the laboratory conducting the test and the laboratory will notify UnitedHealthcare.				
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	58661	58720
		58940	64856	64892	64896
Home health care	Prior authorization is required only in outpatient settings, to include member's home.	G0156	G0162	G0299	G0300
		G0493	G0494	G0495	G0496
		S9122	S9123	S9124	S9474
Hysterectomy	Prior authorization required	58150	58152	58180	58260
		58262	58263	58267	58270
		58275	58290	58291	58292
		58541	58542	58543	58544
		58550	58552	58553	58554
		58570	58571	58572	58573
Injectable medications	Prior authorization required	Actemra® J3262 Acthar® J0800 Adakveo® J0791 Aduhelm® J0172 Aldurazym® J1931 Amondys 45 J1426 Amvuttra™ J0225 Apretude™ J0739 Aralast NP® J0256 Avsola™			

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Injectable medications (continued)		Q5121			
	Benlysta	J0490			
	Beriner[®]	J0597			
	Botulinum toxins				
		J0585	J0586	J0587	J0588
	Brineura[™]	J0567			
	Cabenuva[™]	J0741			
	Cerezyme[®]	J1786			
	Cimerli[®]	Q5128			
	Cimzia^{®*}	J0717			
	Cinqair[®]	J2786			
	Cinryze[®]	J0598			
	Crysvita[®]	J0584			
	Cutaquig[®]	J1551			
	Elaprase[®]	J1743			
	Elelyso[®]	J3060			
	Enjaymo[®]	J1302			
	Entyvio[®]	J3380			
	Erythropoiesis-Stimulating Agents^{****}	J0885			
	Evenity[™]	J3111			
	Evkeeza[™]	J1305			
	Exondys 51[™]	J1428			
	Fabrazyme[®]	J0180			
	Fasenra[™]				

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Injectable medications (continued)		J0517			
	Fensolvi®				
		J1951			
	Feraheme®				
		Q0138			
	Firmagon®				
		J9155			
	Fynetra®				
		Q5130			
	Gamifant®				
		J9210			
	Givlaari®				
		J0223			
	Hemgenix®				
		J1411			
	Hyaluronic Acid				
		J7318	J7320	J7321	J7322
		J7323	J7324	J7325	J7326
		J7327	J7328	J7329	J7331
		J7332			
	Ilaris®				
		J0638			
	Ilumya™				
		J3245			
	Inflectra®				
		Q5103			
	Injectafer®				
		J1439			
	IVIG				
		90283	90284	J1459	J1554
		J1555	J1556	J1557	J1559
		J1561	J1566	J1568	J1569
	J1572	J1575	J1599		
Kalbitor®					
	J1290				
Kanuma®					
	J2840				
Korsuva®					
	J0879				
Krystexxa®					
	J2507				
Lanreotide™					
	J1932				
Lemtrada®					

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Injectable medications (continued)		J0202		
		Leqembi®		
		J0174		
		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			
	Onpattro™			
	J0222			
	Orencia®			
	J0129			
	Oxlumo™			
	J0224			
	Panzyga®			
	J1576			
	Parsabiv™			
	J0606			
	Prolastin-C®			
	J0256			
	Prolia®			

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Injectable medications (continued)		J0897 Radicava® J1301 Reblozyl® J0896 Releuko® Q5125 Remicade® J1745 Renflexis® Q5104 Revcovi® J3590 Riabni™ Q5123 Rituxan® J9312 Rituxan Hycela® J9311 Rolvedon® J1449 Ruconest® J0596 Ruxience® Q5119 Ryplazim™ J2998 Sandostatin® LAR J2353 Saphnelo® J0491 Scenesse® J7352 Signifor® LAR J2502 Simponi Aria® J1602 Skyrizi® J2327 Soliris® J1300 Somatuline® Depot J1930 Spevigo®

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Injectable medications (continued)		J1747			
		Spinraza™			
		J2326			
		Spravato™			
		S0013			
		Stelara®			
		J3358			
		Stimufend®			
		Q5127			
		Sunlenca®			
		J1961			
		Supprelin® LA			
		J9226			
		Synagis®			
		90378			
		Tepezza®			
		J3241			
		Tezspire™			
		J2356			
		Therapeutic radiopharmaceuticals****			
		A9513	A9590	A9606	A9607
		A9699			
		Trelstar®			
		J3315			
		Triptodur®			
		J3316			
		Trogarzo™			
		J1746			
		Truxima®			
		Q5115			
		Tzield®			
		J9381			
		Ultomiris™			
		J1303			
		Unclassified and temporary codes**			
		C9090	C9094	C9151	C9399
		J3490	J3590		
		Uplizna®			
		J1823			
		VEGF			
	J0178	J0179	J2777	J2778	
	J2779	Q5124	Q5128		
	Viltepso™				
	J1427				

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Injectable medications (continued)		Vimizim®			
		J1322			
		Vyepti™			
		J3032			
		Vyondys 53®			
		J1429			
		Vyvgart™			
		J9332			
		White blood cell colony-stimulating factors***			
		J1442	J1447	J2506	Q5101
		Q5108	Q5110	Q5111	Q5120
		Q5122			
		Xembify®			
		J1558			
		Xenpozyme®			
		J0218			
		Xolair®			
		J2357			
		Zemaira®			
		J0256			
		Zoladex®			
		J9202			
		Zolgensma®			
		J3399			
		<p>Please check our <i>Review at 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 <i>Review at 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, through Magellan prior notifications services at 800-788-4005.</p>			
		<p>**For unclassified and temporary codes C9090, C9149, C9151, C9399, J3490 and J3590 prior authorization is only required for Nulibry™, Purified Cortrophin™ Gel, Syfovre</p>			
		<p>***Codes J1442, J1447 J2506, Q5101, Q5108, Q5110, Q5111, Q5120 and Q5122, White blood cell colony-stimulating factors will require prior authorization for both oncology and non-oncology DX.</p>			
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For oncology DX, please see Cancer supportive care section above. 			
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For non-oncology DX, submit online at UHCprovider.com > UnitedHealthcare Provider Portal > Prior Authorization and Notification tool on your Provider Portal dashboard or call 877-842-3210. 			

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		<p>**** For code J0885, prior authorization is required for both oncology and non-oncology DX. Prior authorization is not required for an ESRD diagnosis</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 the Prior Authorization and Notification tool on your Provider Portal dashboard. Or, call 888-397-8129</p>			
Joint replacement Joint, total hip and knee replacement procedures	Prior authorization required	24360 24370 27130 27138 27486 29868	24361 24371 27132 27412 27487 J7330	24362 27120 27134 27446 29866 S2112	24363 27125 27137 27447 29867
Musculoskeletal	Prior authorization required	23470	23472	23473	23474
Non-emergent air ambulance transport	Prior authorization required	A0430 S9960	A0431 S9961	A0435	A0436
Orthognathic surgery 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
Orthotics and prosthetics	Prior authorization is required only for the 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 L2526 L3265	L0170 L0480 L0624 L0634 L0640 L0820 L1005 L1499 L1710 L1820 L1844 L1945 L2005 L2034 L2060 L2136 L2627 L3649	L0456 L0482 L0629 L0636 L0700 L0830 L1200 L1680 L1720 L1832 L1845 L1950 L2010 L2036 L2106 L2350 L2628 L3671	L0462 L0484 L0631 L0637 L0710 L0859 L1300 L1685 L1730 L1834 L1846 L1970 L2020 L2037 L2108 L2510 L3230 L3674

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Orthotics and prosthetics (continued)

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
L6692	L6693	L6694	L6695

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Orthotics and prosthetics (continued)		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	
Outpatient therapy	Prior authorization required	97530	92507	97542	S9152
Potentially Unproven Services	Prior authorization required	33289	C2624		
Private duty nursing	Prior authorization required	T1000	T1002	T1003	
Prostate procedures	Prior authorization required	37243	52441	52442	53850
		53852	55873	55874	
Proton beam therapy	Prior authorization required	77520	77522	77523	77525
Focused radiation therapy using beams of protons, which are tiny particles with a positive charge					
Radiology	Prior authorization is required for participating physicians who request these advanced outpatient imaging procedures:	0697T 0712T	0698T 0713T	0710T	0711T
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Certain CT, MRI, MRA and PET scans Nuclear medicine and nuclear cardiology procedures	Care providers ordering an advanced outpatient imaging procedure are responsible for providing notification prior to scheduling the procedure. 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 tile 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/NYcommunityplan > Prior Authorization and Notification Resources > Radiology Prior Authorization and Notification Program.			
Rhinoplasty and septoplasty	Prior authorization required	30400	30410	30420	30430
Treatment of nasal functional impairment and septal deviation		30435	30450	30460	30462
		30465			
Shoulder surgery	Prior authorization required	29805	29806	29807	29819
		29820	29822	29823	29824

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		29825	29826	29827	29828
Sinuplasty	Prior authorization required	31295	31296	31297	31298
Site of service (SOS) – outpatient hospital	Prior authorization is only required when requesting service in an outpatient hospital setting. Prior authorization is not required if performed at a participating Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC).	Auditory System			
		69205			
		Cardiovascular System			
		36590 36832			
		Carpal tunnel surgery			
		64721			
		Cataract Surgery			
		66821 66982 66984			
		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			
		Eye and Ocular Adnexa			
		65710 65820 66250 66710			
		66711 66825 66986 66987			
		66988 67010 67041 67042			
		67105 67108 67113 67840			
68110 68115 68320 68720					
68815					
Female Genital System					
57240 57250 57461 57520					
58561 58562					
Gynecologic Procedures					
57522 58353 58558 58563					
58565					

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Site of service (SOS) – outpatient hospital (continued)		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	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
		29835	29840	29845	29846
		29848	29861	29875	29876
		29877	29879	29880	29881
		29882	29888	29893	G0260
		Nervous System			
		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			

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		Upper and Lower Gastrointestinal Endoscopy			
		43235	43239	43249	
		Urinary System			
		52276	52287	52320	52344
		Urologic Procedures			
		50590	52000	52005	52204
		52224	52234	52235	52260
		52281	52310	52332	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
	Prior authorization is not required for New York Long-Term Services and Supports (LTSS).	95811			
Spinal surgery	Prior authorization required	22100	22101	22102	22110
		22112	22114	22206	22207
		22210	22212	22214	22220
		22224	22510	22511	22512
		22513	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	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

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63301	63302	63303	63304
63305	63306	63307	63308
0095T	0098T	0164T	

Stimulators Implantation of a device that sends electrical impulses	Prior authorization required	E0747	Bone Growth-Stimulator		E0760
			E0748	E0749	
			Neurostimulator		
		43648	43881	43882	61863
		61864	61867	61868	61885
		61886	63650	63655	63685
		64553	64555	64568	64570
		64590	0312T	0313T	0314T
		0315T	0316T	0317T	L8680
		L8682	L8685	L8686	L8687

Transplants	Prior authorization required	For transplant and CAR T-Cell therapy services including Abecma® (Idecaptagene Cicleucel), Breyanzi®, (Lisocabtagene Maralucecel), 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 health plan ID card.			
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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	50547	S2060	S2061
S2152			
CAR-T Cell Therapy			
0537T	0538T	0539T	0540T
J9999	Q2041	Q2042	Q2053
Q2054	Q2055	Q2056	

*Code 38232 will only require prior authorization for an oncology diagnosis.

Gene Therapy**

C9399	J3490	J3590
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Vein procedures	Prior authorization required	36468	36473	36475	36478
		37700	37718	37722	37765



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Removal and ablation of the main trunks and named branches of the saphenous veins for treating venous disease and varicose veins of the extremities		37766	37780		
Ventricular assist devices (VAD) 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 health plan ID card. Then, fax the form provided by the nurse to the Optum VAD Case Management team at 855-282-8929 .			
		33927	33928	33929	33975
		33976	33979	33981	33982
		33983	Q0507	Q0508	Q0509
Wound vac	Prior authorization required	E2402			