

Prior Authorization Requirements for Pennsylvania Medicaid

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General Information

This list contains prior authorization requirements for participating care providers with UnitedHealthcare Community Plan in Pennsylvania 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](https://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:** 800-366-7304
- **Fax:** 800-600-9007

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.

Procedures and Services	Additional Information	CPT® or HCPCS Codes and/or How to Obtain Prior Authorization			
Abortion	Prior authorization required	59840	59841	59850	59851
		59852	59855	59856	59857
		59866			
Bariatric surgery Bariatric surgery and specific obesity-related services	Prior authorization required	43644	43645	43659	43770
		43775	43842	43845	43846
		43847	43848	43860	
Behavioral health services	These services are carved out and are managed by the Behavioral Health Managed Care Organization (MCO) that covers the member's county of residence. For more information, please call the Member Services number on the back of the ID card.				
Bone growth stimulator Electronic stimulation or ultrasound to heal fractures	Prior authorization required	20975	20979		
BRCA genetic testing	Prior authorization required	81162	81163	81164	81165
		81166	81212	81216	81432
		81433			

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Breast reconstruction (non-mastectomy) Reconstruction of the breast except when following mastectomy	Prior authorization required	11971	19316	19318	19325
		19328	19330	19340	19342
		19350	19357	19361	19364
		19367	19368	19369	19370
		19371	19380	19396	L8600

Cancer supportive care	Prior authorization required for colony-stimulating factor drugs and bone-modifying agent administered in an outpatient setting for a cancer diagnosis *Codes J1442, J1447, J1448, J2506, Q5101, Q5108, Q5110, Q5111, Q5120, Q5122 and Q5125 also require prior authorization for non-oncology DX. See Injectable medications section below .	<u>Antiemetics</u>			
		Fosaprepitant, 1 mg (Emend for Injection) J1453			
		Fosnetupitant 235 mg and palonosetron 0.25 mg J1454			
		Fosaprepitant (Teva) J1456			
		Granisetron, extended-release J1627			
		<u>Injectable colony-stimulating factor drugs that require prior authorization:</u>			
		Filgrastim (Neupogen®) J1442*			
		Filgrastim-aafi (Nivestym™) Q5110*			
		Filgrastim-ayow (Releuko®) Q5125*			
		Filgrastim-sndz (Zarxio®) Q5101*			
Pegfilgrastim (Neulasta®) J2506*					
Pegfilgrastim-apgf, biosimilar (Nyvepria®) Q5122*					
Pegfilgrastim-bmez (Ziextenzo®) Q5120*					
Pegfilgrastim-cbqv (UDENYCA™) Q5111*					
Pegfilgrastim-jmdb (Fulphila™) Q5108*					

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Cancer supportive care (continued)		<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> Denosumab (Xgeva®) J0897</p> <p>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>			
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/PACommunityPlan > Prior Authorization and Notification Resources > Cardiology Prior Authorization and Notification Program</p>			
Cardiovascular	Prior authorization required for the codes listed.	37220* 37226* 37230*	37221* 37227* 37231*	37224* 37228* 93580	37225* 37229*
* Prior authorization not 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
		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

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Cardiovascular (continued)		170.439	170.441	170.442	170.443
		170.444	170.445	170.448	170.449
		170.461	170.462	170.463	170.468
		170.469	170.521	170.522	170.523
		170.528	170.529	170.531	170.532
		170.533	170.534	170.535	170.538
		170.539	170.541	170.542	170.543
		170.544	170.545	170.548	170.549
		170.561	170.562	170.563	170.568
		170.569	170.621	170.622	170.623
		170.628	170.629	170.631	170.632
		170.633	170.634	170.635	170.638
		170.639	170.641	170.642	170.643
		170.644	170.645	170.648	170.649
		170.661	170.662	170.663	170.668
		170.669	170.721	170.722	170.723
		170.728	170.729	170.731	170.732
		170.733	170.734	170.735	170.738
		170.739	170.741	170.742	170.743
		170.744	170.745	170.748	170.749
		170.761	170.762	170.763	170.768
		170.769	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
		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

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Cardiovascular (continued)		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 – Inpatient video Electroencephalogram (EEG)	Prior authorization required for inpatient services	95700	95711	95712	95713
		95714	95715	95716	95718
	Prior authorization is not required for outpatient hospital or ambulatory surgical center	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: <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 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 implants 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	A4239	A9276*	A9277*
		A9278*	E0787	E2102	E2103
*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					

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		information.			
Cosmetic and reconstructive	Prior authorization required	11960	14020	14021	14061
Cosmetic procedures that change or improve physical appearance without significantly improving or restoring physiological function		15820	15821	15822	15823
Reconstructive procedures that treat a medical condition or improve or restore physiologic function		15830	15847	15877	15878*
		15879*	17106	17107	17108
		17999	21137	21138	21139
		21172	21175	21179	21180
		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		

*Gender Dysphoria may apply

Durable medical equipment (DME)	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	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

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Durable medical equipment (DME) (continued)		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	V5270
		V5271	V5272	V5274	V5281
		V5282	V5283	V5286	V5287
		V5288	V5290	S1040	E0766
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		
Experimental and investigational (and/or linked services)	Prior authorization required	33477	36514	64722	65765
		65767	66180	0191T	A4638
		A6000	A9274	E0231	E1831
		S0810	S1030	S1031	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 surgical codes , with the following DX codes :			
		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

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Gender dysphoria treatment (continued)		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	58541
		58554	58661	58720	58940
		58999	64856	64892	64896
	69300	90785	96372		
Genetic and molecular testing	Prior authorization required for genetic and molecular testing	81105	81106	81107	81108
	performed in an outpatient setting	81109	81110	81111	81120
	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.	81121	81161	81162	81163
		81164	81165	81166	81167
		81170	81171	81172	81173
		81174	81175	81176	81177
		81178	81179	81180	81181
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		81186	81187	81188	81189
		81190	81200	81201	81203
		81204	81205	81208	81209
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		81234	81236	81237	81238
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		81263	81264	81265	81266
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	81302	81303	81304	81305	
	81306	81310	81312	81313	
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Genetic and molecular testing (continued)		81334	81335	81336	81337
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		81344	81345	81346	81350
		81355	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	81430
		81431	81432	81433	81434
		81435	81436	81437	81438
		81439	81440	81442	81445
		81448	81460	81465	81470
		81471	81479	81518	81519
		81520	81521	81522	81546
		81595	81599	87481	87482
		87505	87506	87507	87510
		87511	87512	87623	87797
		87798	87799	87800	87801
		0001U	0004M	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	0129U	0171U
		0173U	0175U	0179U	0209U
		0214U	0215U	0216U	0217U
	0237U	0238U	0245U	0250U	
	0262U	0265U	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			
Hysterectomy	Prior authorization required	58150	58152	58180	58260
		58262	58263	58267	58270
		58275	58290	58291	58292
		58542	58543	58544	58550
		58552	58553	58570	58571

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Hysterectomy (continued)		58572 58573
Human milk bank	Prior authorization required	T2101
Injectable medications	Prior authorization required*	Actemra® J3262 Acthar® J0800 Adakveo® J0791 Advate, Kogenate FS, Reombinate J7192 Adynovate J7207 Afstyla J7210 Aldurazyme® J1931 Alphanate J7186 AlphaNine SD, Mononine J7193 Alprolix J7201 Amondys 45 J1426 Amvuttra™ J0225 Apretude J0739 Aralast® NP, Prolastin-C®, Zemaira® J0256 Aranesp J0881 Arcalyst J2793 Aveed J3145 Avsola™ Q5121 Benefix, Ixinity J7195 Benlysta J0490

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Injectable medications (continued)	Beovu				
	J0179				
	Berinert				
	J0597				
	Boniva (ibandronate)				
	J1740				
	Botulinum toxins				
	J0585	J0586	J0587	J0588	
	Brineura™				
	J0567				
	Byooviz				
	Q5124				
	Cerezyme®				
	J1786				
	Chlorpromazine				
	J3230				
	Cimzia®				
	J0717				
	Cinqair®				
	J2786				
	Cinryze®				
	J0598				
	Coagadex				
	J7175				
	Corifact				
	J7180				
	Crysvita®				
	J0584				
	Cutaquig®				
	J1551				
	Depo-Testosterone (testosterone cypionate)				
	J1071				
	Durolane				
J7318					
Elaprase®					
J1743					
Elelyso®					
J3060					
Eloctate					
J7205					
Enjaymo™					
J1302					
Entyvio®					
J3380					

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Injectable medications
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Epogen, Procrit
J0885

Esperoct
J7204

Euflexxa
J7323

Evenity™
J3111

Evkeeza™
J1305

Exondys 51™
J1428

Eylea
J0178

Fabrazyme®
J0180

Fasenra™
J0517

Feiba NF
J7198

Fensolvi®
J1951

Feraheme®
Q0138

Fibryga
J7177

Firmagon®
J9155

Fluphenazine Decanoate
J2680

Gamifant®
J9210

Gelsyn-3
J7328

Geodon (ziprasidone mesylate)
J3486

Givlaari®
J0223

Glassia
J0257

Haloperidol Decanoate
J1631

Hemlibra
J7170

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Injectable medications (continued)	Hemophilia clotting factor, not otherwise classified				
	J7199				
	Humate-P				
	J7187				
	Idelvion				
	J7202				
	Ilaris®				
	J0638				
	Ilumya™				
	J3245				
	Inflectra®				
	Q5103				
	Injectafer®				
	J1439				
	IVIG				
	90283	90284	J1459	J1554	
	J1555	J1556	J1557	J1559	
	J1561	J1566	J1568	J1569	
	J1572	J1575	J1599		
	Jivi				
	J7208				
	Kalbitor®				
	J1290				
	Kanuma®				
	J2840				
	Koate, Hemofil M				
	J7190				
	Kovaltry				
	J7211				
	Korsuva®				
	J0879				
	Krystexxa®				
	J2507				
Lemtrada®					
J0202					
Leqvio®					
J1306					
Lucentis					
J2778					
Lumizyme®					
J0221					
Lupron Depot®					
J1950					

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Injectable medications (continued)

Lupron Depot, Eligard®			
J9217			
Luxturna™			
J3398			
Makena®			
J1726	J1729	J2675	
Mepsevii®			
J3397			
Miacalcin (calcitonin)			
J0630			
Mircera			
J0888			
Monoferric®			
J1437			
Naglazyme®			
J1458			
Nexviazyme®			
J0219			
Novoeight			
J7182			
NovoSeven RT			
J7189			
Nplate®			
J2796			
Nucala®			
J2182			
Nuwiq			
J7209			
Obizur			
J7188			
Ocrevus™			
J2350			
Octreotide Acetate			
J2354			
Onpattro™			
J0222			
Orencia®			
J0129			
Oxlumo™			
J0224			
Parsabiv™			
J0606			
Phenergan (promethazine)			

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Injectable medications (continued)		J2550
	Probuphine®	
		J0570
	Profilnine	
		J7194
	Prolia® ***	
		J0897
	Radicava®	
		J1301
	Rebinyn	
		J7203
	Reblozyl®	
		J0896
	Reclast, Zoledronic Acid	
		J3489
	Releuko®	
		Q5125
	Remicade®	
		J1745
	Renflexis®	
		Q5104
	Retacrit	
		Q5106
	Riabni™	
		Q5123
	RiaSTAP	
		J7178
	Rituxan®	
		J9312
	Rituxan Hycela®	
		J9311
	Rixubis	
		J7200
	Ruconest®	
		J0596
	Ruxience®	
	Q5119	
Ryplazim®		
	J2998	
Sandostatin® LAR		
	J2353	
Saphnelo®		
	J0491	

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Injectable medications (continued)	Scenesse®				
	J7352				
	SevenFACT				
	J7212				
	Signifor® LAR				
	J2502				
	Simponi Aria®				
	J1602				
	Skyrizi®				
	J2327				
	Sodium Hyaluronate				
	J7320	J7321	J7322	J7324	
	J7325	J7326	J7327	J7329	
	J7331	J7332			
	Soliris®				
	J1300				
	Somatuline® Depot				
	J1930				
	Spinraza™				
	J2326				
	Spravato®				
	S0013				
	Stelara				
	J3358				
	Sublocade™				
	Q9991	Q9992			
	Supprelin® LA				
	J9226				
	Susvimo				
	J2779				
	Synagis® *				
	90378				
Tepezza®					
J3241					
Testopel					
S0189					
Testosterone Enanthate					
J3121					
Tezspire™					
J2356					
Therapeutic Radiopharmaceuticals					
A9607					
Tigan					

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Injectable medications (continued)	J3250				
	Trelstar®				
	J3315				
	Tretten				
	J7181				
	Triptodur®				
	J3316				
	Trogarzo™				
	J1746				
	Truxima®				
	Q5115				
	Tysabri®				
	J2323				
	Ultomiris™				
	J1303				
	Unclassified codes**				
	C9399	J3490		J3590	
	Uplizna®				
	J1823				
	Vabysmo				
	J2777				
	Viltepso™				
	J1427				
	Vimizim®				
	J1322				
	Visudyne				
	J3396				
	Vonvendi				
	J7179				
	VPRIV®				
	J3385				
	Vyepti™				
	J3032				
	Vyondys 53®				
	J1429				
	Vyvgart™				
J9332					
White blood cell colony stimulating factors***					
J1442	J1447	J1448		J2506	
Q5101	Q5108	Q5110		Q5111	
Q5120	Q5122				
Wilate					
J7183					

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Injectable medications (continued)		Xembify® J1558
		Xolair® J2357
		Xyntha J7185
		Zinplava J0565
		Zoladex® J9202
		Zolgensma® J3399
		Zyprexa (olanzapine) S0166

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** For unclassified and temporary codes C9399, J3490 and J3590, prior authorization is only required for Fynetra®, Nulibry, Purified Cortrophin™ Gel, Revcovi, Spevigo™ and Xenpozyme™

*** For code J0897, prior authorization is required for non oncology indications.

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 > Menu > Policies and Protocols > Community Plan Policies > Medical & Drug Policies and Coverage Determination Guidelines for Community Plan.

Inpatient admission	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"> • Acute care hospitals • Acute inpatient rehabilitation • Critical access hospitals • Long-term acute care hospitals • Skilled nursing facilities 			
Joint replacement Joint, total hip and knee replacement procedures	Prior authorization required	23470	23472	23473	23474
		24360	24361	24362	24363
		24370	24371	27120	27125
		27130	27132	27134	27137
		27138	27412	27446	27447
		27486	27487	29866	29867
		29868	J7330	S2112	

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Non-emergent air ambulance transport	Prior authorization required	A0430	A0431	A0435	A0436
		S9960	S9961		
Orthognathic surgery Treatment of maxillofacial/jaw functional impairment	Prior authorization required	21121	21123	21125	21127
		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	
Orthognathic surgery (continued)					
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	L1834
		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	L5220	L5230	L5250
		L5270	L5280	L5301	L5312
L5321	L5331	L5341	L5400		
L5420	L5460	L5500	L5505		
L5510	L5520	L5530	L5535		
L5540	L5560	L5570	L5580		

Procedures and Services	Additional Information	CPT® or HCPCS Codes and/or How to Obtain Prior Authorization			
		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	L7040	L7045	L7170
		L7180	L7181	L7185	L7186
		L7190	L7191	L7405	L8040
		L8042	L8043	L8044	L8045
		L8046	L8047	L8499	L8609

Orthotics and prosthetics (continued)

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		L8610	L8612	L8631	L8659
Pediatric day services (PDHC)	Prior authorization required	T1024			
Private duty nursing	Prior authorization required	T1000	T1002	T1003	
Prostate procedures	Prior authorization required	37243 53852	52441 55866	52442 55873	53850 55874
Proton beam therapy Focused radiation therapy using beams of protons, which are tiny particles with a positive charge	Prior authorization required	77520	77522	77523	77525
Radiology	<p>Prior authorization required for participating physicians who request these advanced outpatient imaging procedures:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Certain CT, MRI, MRA and PET scans Nuclear medicine and nuclear cardiology procedures 	<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 866-889-8054. 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/PACommunityPlan > Prior Authorization and Notification Resources > Radiology Prior Authorization and Notification Program.</p>			
Rhinoplasty and septoplasty Treatment of nasal functional impairment and septal deviation	Prior authorization required	30400 30435 30465	30410 30450	30420 30460	30430 30462
Sinuplasty	Prior authorization required	31295	31296	31297	31298
Site of service (SOS) – outpatient hospital	<p>Prior authorization only required when requesting service in an outpatient hospital setting</p> <p>Prior authorization not required if performed at a participating Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC)</p>	<p>Auditory System 69205</p> <p>Cardiovascular System 36590 36832</p> <p>Carpal tunnel surgery 64721</p> <p>Cataract surgery 66821 66982 66984</p> <p>Colonoscopy 45378 45380 45384 45385</p> <p>Cosmetic and reconstructive 13101 13132 14040 14060 14301 21552 21931</p> <p>Digestive System</p>			

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		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	
Site of service (SOS) – outpatient hospital (continued)		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				
	Hemic and Lymphatic System				
	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				

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		20680		
		Musculoskeletal System		
		20552	20553	21012
		21336	21554	21555
		21930	22902	22903
		23075	24071	27327
		27632	28035	28039
		28060	28080	28090
		28110	28118	28119
		28285	28289	28292
		28297	28298	28299
		29807	29819	29822
		29824	29825	29826
		29828	29835	29840
		29846	29848	29861
		29876	29877	29879
		29881	29882	29888
		G0260		
		Nervous System		
		64561	64640	
		Ophthalmologic		
		65426	65730	65855
		66761	67028	67036
		67228	67311	67312
		Respiratory System		
		30802	30930	31525
		31536	31541	31624
		Tonsillectomy and adenoidectomy		
		42820	42821	42825
		42830		
		Upper and lower gastrointestinal endoscopy		
		43235	43239	43249
		Urinary System		
		52276	52287	52320
		Urologic procedures		
		50590	52000	52005
		52224	52234	52235
		52281	52310	52332
		52352	52353	52356
		55040	55700	57288
Sleep apnea procedures and surgeries	Prior authorization required	21685	41599	42145

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advancement and oral-pharyngeal tissue reduction for treatment of obstructive sleep apnea

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		
		Spinal surgery (continued)		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	63301	63302	63303			
	63304	63305	63306	63307			
	63308	0095T	0098T	0164T			

*SOS also applies

Stimulators Implantation of a device that sends electrical impulses	Prior authorization required	Bone growth stimulator			
		E0747	E0748	E0749	E0760
		Neurostimulator			
		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			

Transplants	Prior authorization required	For transplant and CAR T-cell therapy services, including Abecma® (Idecaptogene Cicleucel), Breyanzi® (Lisocabtagene Maralucecl), Kymriah™ (tisagenlecleucel), Tecartus™ (brexucabtagene autoleucel)
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		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.			
		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
Transplants (continued)		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
		Q2041	Q2042	Q2053	Q2054
		Q2055	Q2056		
		Gene Therapy			
		C9399**	J3490**	J3590**	
		*Code 38232 will only require prior authorization for an oncology diagnosis			
		**: For unclassified codes C9399, J3490 and J3590 Skysona™ and Zynteglo™ will require prior authorization through Optum Transplant.			
Vein procedures	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	37765
		37766	37780		
Ventricular assist devices (VAD)	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 855-282-8929 .			
A mechanical pump that takes over the function of the damaged ventricle of the heart and restores normal blood flow		33927	33928	33929	33975
		33976	33979	33981	33982
		33983	Q0507	Q0508	Q0509
Wound vac	Prior authorization required	E2402			