UnitedHealthcare Medicare Advantage/ Peoples Health prior authorization requirements

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General information

This list contains prior authorization requirements for participating UnitedHealthcare Medicare Advantage health care professionals providing inpatient and outpatient services. This includes UnitedHealthcare Dual Complete® and other plans listed in the included plans section of this document. Health plans not included in the requirements are listed in the excluded plans section. Please submit your prior authorization requests in 1 of the following ways:

- Phone: Call 877-842-3210

Prior authorization is not required for emergency or urgent care.

Note: If you are a network health care professional who is contracted directly with a delegated medical group/Independent Practice Association (IPA), then you must follow the delegate's protocols. Delegates may use their own systems and forms. They must meet the same regulatory and accreditation requirements as UnitedHealthcare.

Plans with referral requirements: If a member's health plan ID card says, **Referral Required**, certain services may require a referral from the member's primary care provider. Prior authorization must also be obtained from the treating physician. See the **2024 UnitedHealthcare Care Provider Administrative Guide** for more information. The following table includes plans requiring prior authorization for network services.

Plans included

Medicare plans subject to the UnitedHealthcare West Non-Capitated Supplement

Medicare Advantage HMO, HMO-POS, PPO and Regional PPO plans, including AARP® Medicare Advantage, UnitedHealthcare The Villages Medicare Advantage, UnitedHealthcare Medicare Advantage plans for both individual and employer group members, Peoples Health

UnitedHealthcare Dual Complete (HMO D-SNP), (HMO-POS D-SNP), (PPO D-SNP), (Regional PPO D-SNP)

UnitedHealthcare Complete Care (HMO C-SNP), (HMO-POS C-SNP), (PPO C-SNP), (Regional PPO C-SNP)

UnitedHealthcare Nursing Home Plan and UnitedHealthcare Care Advantage (HMO I-SNP), (HMO-POS I-SNP), (PPO I-SNP)



UnitedHealthcare Dual Eligible Special Needs Plans (D-SNP) and Medicare Advantage benefit plans offered by UnitedHealthcare Community Plan are subject to an additional manual, as further described in the benefit plan section of the 2024 UnitedHealthcare Care Provider Administrative Guide. As explained in the benefit plan section, some UnitedHealthcare D-SNP and Medicare Advantage benefit plans offered by UnitedHealthcare Community Plan are not subject to an additional manual and are therefore subject to the administrative guide.

In some instances, we have delegated prior authorization services to a care provider group. In these cases, the <u>For Providers</u> section on the back of the member's ID card will list the delegated group managing the prior authorization process. These following plans are included.

Delegated plans

Arizona

The following groups are delegated to Banner Health Network: HCFAD7-1ZH, HCFAD7-1ZI, HCFA0D-1YJ, HCFA0F-1ZN

Arizona - OptumCare

The following groups are delegated to OptumCare:

90108, 90765, 90766, 90809, 90810, 90811, 90812, 90823, 90824, 90825, 90826, 90827, 90919, 90920, 90921, 90922, 90923, 90924, 90927, 90974, 90990, HCFA0B-1XV, HCFA0C-1XZ, HCFA0D-1YJ, HCFA0E-1YK, HCFA0F-1ZN, HCFAC9-1ZG, HCFAD7-1ZI, HCAFD7-1ZH, HCFAH4-1ZE

Colorado

The following groups are delegated to OptumCare:

90039, 90057, 90091, 90092, 90093, 90094, 90095, 90096, 90097, 90133, 90134, 90135, 90841, 90842, 90843, 90844, 90845, 90846, 90847, 90848, 90849, 90850, 90851, 90852, 90853, 90854, 90855, 90856, 90871, 90872, 90977, 90978, 90979, 90980, 90981, 90982, 90983, 90984, 91010, 91011, 91012, 91013, 91014, 91015, 91016, 91017, 91018, 91019, 91020, 91021, HCFAJ5-1XX, HCFAJ6-1XY, HCFAJ8-1YA, HCFA80-1H5, HCFA81-1K3, HCFA55-1VM, HCFA56-1D3, HCFA92-1L5, HCFA0G-1D4, HCFA0H-1E4, HCFA2S-1ZW

Connecticut

The following groups are delegated to Advantage Plus Network (OptumCare): 27062, 27064, 27100, 27150, 27151, 27153, 27155, 27156, 90150, 90151, 90969, 90970

Florida - WellMed PF

99790, 99791, 99792, 99793, 99795, 99796, 99797, 99798, 99799, 99800, 98151, 98152, 98153, 98154, 98155, 90215

Florida - WellMed

40199, 70341, 70342, 70343, 70344, 70345, 70346, 70347, 70348, 72790, 72811, 80192, 80193, 80194, 82940, 82958, 82960, 82962, 82969, 82970, 82977, 82978, 82980, 90028, 90078, 90079, 90086, 90089, 95115, 95116, 95117, 95118

Georgia

The following groups are delegated to OptumCare:

90753, 90754, 90755, 90756, 90757, 90949, 90950, 90951, 90952, 92109, 92111, 92113



Hawaii

The following groups are delegated to MDX: 90792, 90793, 90794, 90795, 90803, 90804

Idaho

The following groups are delegated to OptumCare:

38014, 44016, 90219, 90220, 90221, 90222, 90305, 90798, 90799, 90800, 90813, 90835, 90836, 90857, 90858, 90859, 90860, 90911, 90912, 90913, 92127, 92128

Indiana

The following groups are delegated to OptumCare/American Health Network Indiana:

 $00744,\,00746,\,00748,\,00749,\,00750,\,00755,\,00758,\,90782,\,90783,\,90784,\,90785,\,90801,\,90802,\,90814,\,90815,\,90822,\,90829,\,90830,\,90831,\,90876,\,90877,\,90878,\,90879,\,90880,\,90881$

Kansas

The following groups are delegated to OptumCare:

90088, 90167, 90326, 90328, 90805, 90806, 90874, 90875, 90955, 90967

Kentucky

The following groups are delegated to OptumCare:

90002, 90044, 90047, 90076, 90077, 90137, 90141, 90929, 90935, 90936, 90937, 90942, 90956, 90959

Missouri

The following groups are delegated to OptumCare:

90152, 90168, 90327, 90329, 90807, 90808, 90918, 90933, 90947, 90960, 90961, 90968, 90971, 90972, 90973, 90988, 90989, 99932, 99936

Nevada

The following groups are delegated to OptumCare:

90008, 90009, 90027, 90202, 90205, 90207, 90209, 90210, 90212, 90214, 90752, 90953, 91629, 91630, 91633, 91643, 91646, 92011, 92012, 92013

New Jersey

The following groups are delegated to OptumCare:

90068, 90069, 90071, 90072, 09100, 09102, 09103, 92014, 92016, 90330

New Mexico

The following groups are delegated to OptumCare:

17087, 38011, 38013, 38018, 90132, 90710, 90762, 90763, 90828, 90832, 90833, 90834, 90837, 90838, 90839, 90840, 90861, 90862, 90865, 90975, 90976

New Mexico

The following groups are delegated to WellMed:

90786, 90789

New York

The following groups are delegated to OptumCare:

09000, 09001, 09002, 09003, 09117, 09118, 41034, 90142, 90143, 90144, 90145, 90146, 90147, 90148, 90149, 90169, 90170, 90171, 90172, 90173, 90174, 90175, 90176, 90177, 90178, 90181, 90182, 90183, 90184, 90185, 90186, 90187, 90188, 90189, 90190, 90316, 90318, 90319, 90320, 90321, 90322, 90323, 90324, 90882, 90883, 90884, 90885, 90886, 90887, 90888, 90889



Ohio

The following groups are delegated to OptumCare:

90001, 90043, 90045, 90046, 90048, 90049, 90138, 90895, 90925, 90926, 90928, 90930, 90931, 90932, 90934, 90938, 90939, 90940, 90941, 90943, 90944, 90945, 90946, 90948, 90957, 90958, 90962, 90963, 90964, 90965, 90966

South Carolina

The following groups are delegated to OptumCare: 90764, 90868, 90869, 90870, 90873, 90954, 90985, 90986, 90987

Texas - Health TX

The following groups apply:

90713, 90715, 90719, 90721, 90730, 90770, 91635, 91637, 91640, 92122, 92124, 92142

Texas - WellMed

The following groups apply:

00012, 00300, 00303, 00304, 00305, 00306, 00307, 00308, 00309, 00310, 17064, 72806, 72807, 72814, 72815, 77018, 77019, 90029, 90031, 90032, 90110, 90111, 90112, 90114, 90115, 90116, 90117, 90118, 90119, 90120, 90121, 90122, 90123, 90129, 90130, 90131, 90164, 90165, 90166, 90312, 90313, 90314, 90315, 90711, 90712, 90714, 90716, 90717, 90718, 90720, 90722, 90723, 90724, 90725, 90726, 90727, 90728, 90729, 90731, 90732, 90733, 90734, 90735, 90736, 90737, 90767, 90768, 90769, 90771, 90772, 90773, 90774, 90775, 90776, 90777, 90778, 90779, 90780, 90781, 90790, 90791, 90914, 90915, 90916, 90917, 91612, 91613, 91632, 91636, 91642, 91644, 96000, 99950, 99951, 99952, 99953, 99954, 99955, TX99TXDSNP5F, TX99TXDSNP5P, TX99TXDSNP5P, TX99TXDSNPF1, TX99TXDSNPF2, TX99TXDSNPF3, TX99TXDSNPF8, TX99TXDSNPP1, TX99TXDSNPP2, TX99TXDSNPP3, TX99TXDSNPP3, TX99TXDSNPP4, TX99TXDSNPQ3, TX99TXSNH2FW, TX99TXSNH2PW, TX99TXSNH2QW, TX99TXSNPF6W, TX99TXSNPF8W, TX99TXSNPP6W, TX99TXSNPP8W, TX

Utah

The following groups are delegated to OptumCare:

42000, 42004, 42022, 42030, 90034, 90055, 90064, 90065, 91627, 91628, 92101, 92102

Washington - Independent Clinics

The following groups apply:

90892, 90896, 90903, 91648, 91653, 91657, 92120

Washington - OptumCare

The following groups apply:

90153, 90155, 90156, 90738, 90739, 90740, 90741, 90742, 90743, 90744, 90745, 90746, 90747, 90748, 90749, 90750, 90751, 90866, 90890, 90891, 90894, 90898, 90899, 90900, 90901, 90902, 91647, 91650, 91651, 91652, 91655, 91656, 92118, 92119

Washington – Seattle Medical Group

The following groups apply:

90893, 90897, 90904, 91649, 91654, 91658, 92143

Wisconsin

The following groups are delegated to OptumCare:

90508, 90509, 90510, 90511, 90512, 90513, 90514, 90515, 90516, 90517, 90518, 90519, 90520, 90521, 90522, 90523, 90524, 90525, 90526, 90527, 90528, 90529, 90530

This prior authorization requirement does not apply to the following plans:



Excluded plans

The UnitedHealthcare prior authorization program does not apply to the following excluded benefit plans. However, these benefit plans may have separate notification or prior authorization requirements. For details, please see the 2024 UnitedHealthcare Care Provider **Administrative Guide**

Erickson Advantage plans

UnitedHealthcare Medicare Direct private fee-for-service (PFFS)

Procedures and services	Additional	CPT® or H	CPCS code	s and/or		
Procedures and services	information	how to ob	tain prior au	ıthorization		
Plan exclusions: None Behavioral health services through a designated behavioral health network	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.				
Plan exclusions: None Electronic stimulation or ultrasound to heal fractures	Prior authorization required	20974	20975		20979	
Breast reconstruction	Prior authorization required	19316	19	318	19325	L8600
(non-mastectomy)		Prior author	rization is r	ot required	for the followin	g diagnosis codes:
Plan exclusions:		C50.019	C50.011	C50.012	C50.111	
None		C50.112	C50.119	C50.211	C50.212	
Reconstruction of the breast		C50.219	C50.311	C50.312	C50.319	
except when following mastectomy		C50.411	C50.412	C50.419	C50.511	
madicolomy		C50.512	C50.519	C50.611	C50.612	
		C50.619	C50.811	C50.812	C50.819	
		C50.911	C50.912	C50.919	C50.029	
		C50.021	C50.022	C50.121	C50.122	
		C50.129	C50.221	C50.222	C50.229	
		C50.321	C50.322	C50.329	C50.421	
		C50.422	C50.429	C50.521	C50.522	
		C50.529	C50.621	C50.622	C50.629	
		C50.821	C50.822	C50.829	C50.921	
		C50.922	C50.929	C79.81	D05.90	
		D05.00	D05.01	D05.02	D05.10	
		D05.11	D05.12	D05.80	D05.81	
		D05.82	D05.91	D05.92	Z85.3	
		Z90.10 Z42.1	Z90.11	Z90.12	Z90.13	



	Additional	CPT® or HCPCS codes and/or
Procedures and services	information	how to obtain prior authorization
Cancer supportive care	Prior authorization	Anti-emetics that require prior authorization:
	required for colony-	
Plan exclusions:	stimulating factor drugs and bone-	Akynzeo™ (palonosetron/fosnetupitant)
Institutional Special Needs	modifying agent(s) administered in an outpatient setting for a cancer diagnosis	J1454
Plans (I-SNP)		Cinvanti® (aprepitant)
		J0185
	*Codes J1442,	Emend® (fosaprepitant)
	J1447, J9332, Q5108, Q5110,	J1453
	Q5111, Q5122 and	Sustol® (granisetron extended release)
	Q5125 also require prior authorization for	J1627
	non-oncology	Injectable colony-stimulating factor drugs that require prior authorization:
	diagnosis (Dx). See	Filgrastim (Neupogen®)
	injectable medications section.	J1442*
		Filgrastim-aafi (Nivestym®)
		Q5110*
		Filgrastim-sndz (Zarxio®) Q5101
		Pegfilgrastim (Neulasta®)
		J2506
		Pegfilgrastim-apgf (Nyvepria®)
		Q5122*
		Pegfilgrastim-cbqv (Udenyca®)
		Q5111*
		Pegfilgrastim-jmdb (Fulphila®)
		Q5108*
		Sargramostim (Leukine®)
		J2820
		Tbo-filgrastim (Granix®)
		J1447*
		Trilaciclib (Cosela™)
		J1448
		Filgrastim-ayow (Releuko®)
		Q5125*
		Dana madifying agent that requires prior systemization.
		Bone-modifying agent that requires prior authorization: Denosumab (Prolia®, Xgeva®)
		J0897
		Antiemetic drugs
		J1456
		Colony-stimulating factors
		J1449
		Erythropoiesis-stimulating agents
		J0885



	Additional	CPT® or b	ICPCS co	des and/or			
Procedures and services	information			authorizati	on		
Cancer supportive care (cont.)		For prior authorization, please submit requests online using the Prior Authorization and Notification tool on the UnitedHealthcare Provider Portal. To get started, go to UHCprovider.com to sign in using your One Healthcare ID and password. Then, select the Prior Authorization and Notification tab on your dashboard. Or, you can call 888-397-8129.					
Plan exclusions: UnitedHealthcare® Nursing Home and UnitedHealthcare® Assisted Living Plans (HMO-SNP), (HMO-POS HMO-SNP), (PPO-SNP)	Prior authorization required for participating physicians for outpatient and office-based diagnostic catheterizations, electrophysiology (EP) implants and stress echocardiograms prior to performance For more information, please see the Cardiology Prior Authorization Protocol for Medicare Advantage section in the 2024 UnitedHealthcare Care Provider Administrative Guide.	For more details and the list of CPT codes that require prior authorization, please visit Cardiology Prior Authorization and Notification.					
Cardiovascular	Prior authorization				Cardiology		
	required	E0616	;	33285	93653	93656	
Plan exclusions:					Vascular		
None		37220*	;	37221*	37224*	37225 *	
		37226*	;	37227*	37228*	37229 *	
		37230 *	;	37231*			
		*Prior autho	orization is	not required	d for the following di	agnosis codes:	
		E08.52	E09.52	E10.52	E11.52		
		E13.52	170.221	170.222	170.223		
		170.228	170.229	170.231	170.232		
		170.233	170.234	170.235	170.238		
		170.239	170.241	170.242	170.243		
		170.244	170.245	170.248	170.249		
		170.25	170.261	170.262	170.263		
		170.268	170.269	170.321	170.322		
		170.323	170.329	170.331	170.332		
		170.333	170.334	170.335	170.338		
		170.339	170.341	170.342	170.343		
		170.344	170.345	170.348	170.349		



Procedures and services	Additional		ICPCS cod			
Cardiavacaular	information			authorizati		
Cardiovascular (cont.)		170.35	170.361	170.362	170.363	
(cont.)		170.369	170.421	170.422	170.423	
		170.428	170.429	170.431	170.432	
		170.433	170.434	170.435	170.438	
		170.439	170.441	170.442	170.443	
		170.444	170.445	170.448	170.449	
		I70.461	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	172.3	172.4	172.8	
		172.9	177.2	177.70	177.72	
		177.77	177.79	174.3	174.4	
		174.5	174.8	174.9	175.021	
		175.022	175.023	175.029	175.89	
		T82.818	T82.868	S81.801	S81.802	
		A \$91,900	A S01 201	A \$01.303	A S01 200	
		S81.809 A	S91.301 A	S91.302 A	S91.309 A	
		M86.05	M86.05	M86.05	M86.06	
		1	2	9	1	
		M86.06 2	M86.06 9	M86.07 1	M86.07 2	
		M86.07		'	_	
		9	M86.08	M86.09	M86.1	
		M86.10	M86.15 1	M86.15 2	M86.15 9	
		M86.16	M86.16	∠ M86.16	9 M86.17	
		1	2	9	1	
		M86.17	M86.17	M00 10	M00 40	
		2	9 M86.25	M86.18 M86.25	M86.19 M86.25	
		M86.20	1	2	9	
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	Additional	CPT® or h	HCPCS cod	des and/or	
Procedures and services	information			authorizati	on
Cardiovascular		M86.26	M86.26	M86.26	M86.27
(cont.)		1	2	9	1
(66.11.)		M86.27	M86.27		
		2	9	M86.28	M86.29
			M86.35	M86.35	M86.35
		M86.30	1	2	9
		M86.36	M86.36	M86.36	M86.37
		1	2	9	1
		M86.37	M86.37		
		2	9	M86.38	M86.39
			M86.45	M86.45	M86.45
		M86.40	1	2	9
		M86.46	M86.46	M86.46	M86.47
		1	2	9	1
		M86.47	M86.47		
		2	9	M86.48	M86.49
			M86.55	M86.55	M86.55
		M86.50	1	2	9
		M86.56	M86.56	M86.57	M86.57
		1	2	1	2
		M86.57	1400 50	1400 50	1400.00
		9	M86.58	M86.59	M86.60
		M86.65	M86.65	M86.65	M86.66
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		M86.66	M86.66	M86.67 1	M86.67 2
		2 M86.67	9	ı	∠ M86.8X
		9	M86.68	M86.69	0
		M86.8X	M86.8X	M86.8X	M86.8X
		5	6	7	8
		M86.8X	O	,	J
		9	M86.9	196	L03.115
		L03.116	Q27.30	Q27.32	Q27.39 S35.511
		Q27.8	Q27.9	Q87.2	A
		S35.512	T82.312	T82.318	T82.319
		333.312 A	102.312 A	102.310 A	A
		T82.338	T82.392	T82.398	T82.399
		A	102.392 A	A	A
		T82.898	^		^
		A	173.00	173.01	173.1
			17 0.00	17 0.0 1	17 0.1
		173.81			



Procedures and services	Additional	CPT® or HCPCS codes and/or					
Procedures and Services	information	how to obtain prior authorization					
Cartilage implants	Prior authorization required	27415	27416				
Plan exclusions: None							
Chemotherapy	Notification required for injectable	-		that require notifica s (J9000–J9999), le			
Plan exclusions:	chemotherapy drugs administered in an	levoleucovo	rin (J0641, J0642)				
I-SNP	outpatient setting, including intravenous,	• Chemothera	apy injectable drug	s that have a Q code s that have not yet re miscellaneous HCF	eceived an assigned		
	intravesical and intrathecal for a cancer diagnosis	Notification tool UHCprovider.co	e Prior Authorization an al. Go to are ID and password. o on your dashboard. O				
Cochlear and other auditory	Prior	69714	69930	L8614	L8619		
implants	authorization required	L8690	L8691	L8692			
Plan exclusions: None A medical device within the inner ear and with an external portion to help persons with profound sensorineural deafness achieve conversational speech							
Cosmetic and	Prior	11960	11971	15820	15821		
reconstructive procedures	authorization required	15822	15823	15830	15847		
Plan exclusions:		15877	15878	15879	17106		
None	Advance	17107	17108	17999	21172		
Cosmetic procedures that	notification	21175	21179	21180	21181		
change or improve physical	required for services,	21182	21183	21184	21230		
appearance without	whether	21235	21248	21249	21255		
significantly improving or restoring physiological	scheduled as	21256	21260	21261	21263		
function	inpatient or	21267	21268	21275	21299		
	outpatient	21740	21742	21743	28344		
Reconstructive procedures		30540	30545	30560	30620		
that treat a medical condition		31295	31296	31297	31298		
or improve or restore physiologic function		31299	67900	67901	67902		
priyolologio lariolioni		67903	67904	67906	67908		
		67909	67912	67950	67961		



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Procedures and services	information	how to obtain prior authorization					
Durable medical equipment	Prosthetics are not	Prior authorization required regardless of billed amount:					
(DME)	DME for UnitedHealthcare	E0466	E0766	E1230	E1239		
	Medicare Advantage	E2510	K0801	K0806	K0808		
Plan exclusions:	plan members – see	K0831	K0835	K0836	K0837		
Institutional Special Needs	prosthetics and	K0838	K0839	K0840	K0841		
Plans (I-SNP)	orthotics. Some home health	K0842	K0843	K0848	K0849		
	care services	K0850	K0851	K0852	K0854		
	may qualify under	K0855	K0856	K0857	K0858		
	the DME requirement	K0859	K0860	K0861	K0862		
	but aren't subject to the \$1,000 retail	K0863	K0864	K0877	K0884		
	purchase or	K0890	K0891	K0898	K0899		
		Prior authorization required only for a retail purchase or cumulative rental cost of more than \$1,000:					
	care services.	E0170	E0194	E0277	E0300		
	Some payer groups	E0302	E0304	E0316	E0328		
	may have	E0329	E0373	E0483	E0616		
	different DME	E0618	E0635	E0636	E0639		
	advance notification requirements for plan	E0640	E0692	E0693	E0694		
	members through	E0740	E0761	E0764	E0770		
	their benefit plans.	E0784	E0984	E0986	E0988		
	_	E1002	E1003	E1004	E1005		
	For UnitedHealthcare	E1006	E1007	E1008	E1009		
	Medicare	E1010	E1017	E1035	E1036		
	Advantage plans:	E1161	E1232	E1233	E1234		
	Power mobility	E1235	E1236	E1237	E1238		
	devices/accessories and lymphedema pumps require notification or prior authorization	E1399	K0108	K0455	K0730		
	regardless of the cost.						



CPT® or HCPCS codes and/or Additional **Procedures and services** information how to obtain prior authorization Use the Prior Authorization and Notification tool on the UnitedHealthcare End-stage renal Advance notification Provider Portal at **UHCprovider.com**. After you sign in, select the Prior disease/dialysis services is required if a plan Authorization and Notification on your dashboard. Or, you can call 877-842member is referred to an out-of-network Plan exclusions: provider for dialysis None services. The Services for the treatment of purpose of steering end-stage renal disease to an in-network (ESRD) require advance dialysis center is to notification - includes avoid high costoutpatient dialysis services shares for plan members, even when they may have out-of-network benefits. Advance notification/prior authorization isn't required for ESRD when a UnitedHealthcare Medicare Advantage plan member travels outside of the service area. Note: Your agreement with us may include restrictions on referring plan members outside of the UnitedHealthcare network. Gender dysphoria treatment Prior authorization 55970 55980 required These surgical codes, when billed with one of the following Dx codes: Plan exclusions: F64.0 F64.1 F64.2 F64.8 None Z87.890 F64.9 14000 14001 14041 15734 15738 15750 15758 15757 15775 15776 15780 15781 15782 15783 15788 15789 15792 21899 15793 19303 31599 31899 53420 53410 53425 53430 54125 54400 54401 54405 54408 54520 54660 54690 55180 55175 55866 56625 56800 56805 57106 57110 57291 57292

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	Additional	CPT® or HCP	CS codes and/or				
Procedures and services	information	how to obtain prior authorization					
Gender dysphoria treatment		58661	58720	58940	64856		
(cont.)		64892	64896	92507	92508		
Home health care – Applicable to Tennessee D-SNP <u>only</u>	Prior authorization required	S9122	S912	23	S9124		
Home health care – Managed by Home & Community Care (formerly naviHealth)	Prior authorization is only required for members residing in and receiving services in Alaska, Alabama, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Nebraska, New Mexico, Nevada, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Tennessee**, Texas, Utah, Virginia, Washington, Wisconsin and Wyoming	authorization in therapy, occup social work or Access at acc fax the informa questions, ple *Peoples Health Enter authoriza Use the Prior A Provider Portal	G0155 G0159 G0299 G0495 S9127 S9474 Theck the status of request for skilled pational therapy, shome health aide ress.navihealth.cation to 888-815-1 ase call 855-851-1 and does not use Hotion request throu	G0159 G0160 G0161 G0299 G0300 G0493 G0495 G0496 G2168 S9127 S9128 S9129 S9474 k the status of a home health est for skilled nursing, physical onal therapy, speech therapy, he health aide, please use nH .navihealth.com. Or, you can in to 888-815-1808. For call 855-851-1127. es not use Home & Community Care (formerly naviHealth request through UHCprovider.com.			
Hysterectomy (abdominal	**See above for Tennessee D-SNP requirements. NOTE: This requirement does not apply to Florida D-SNP.		58152	58180	58541		
and laparoscopic surgeries)							
- Inpatient and outpatient	1	58542	58543	58544	58550		
procedures		58552	58553	58554	58570		
		58571	58572	58573			
Plan exclusions:							



None

Hysterectomy (vaginal) – No prior authorization required for outpatient vaginal hysterectomies Plan exclusions: None Injectable medications Plan exclusions for therapeutic radiopharmaceuticals: Institutional Special Needs No prior authorization 58260 58262 58263 58267 58270 58290 58291 58292 Adakveo® Jo791 Adakveo® J0791 Aduhelm™ J0172 Adzynma®		Additional	CPT® or HCPCS	codes and/or		
Injustient only	Procedures and services					
Prior authorization required* Adakveo*	Hysterectomy (vaginal) – Inpatient only Plan exclusions: None	required for outpatient vaginal	58260 58270	58262		
Bone density agents** J3111 J0897 Briumvi™ J2329 Colony-stimulating factors** J1442 J1447 J1449 Q5108 Q5110 Q5120 Q5122 Q5125 Q5127 Q5130 Crysvita® J0584 Elevidys® J1413 Enjaymo™ J1302 Entyvio® J3380 Evkeeza® J1305 Givlaari® J0223 Hemgenix® J1411 Hyaluronic acid polymers** J7320 J7321 J7322 J7323 J7324 J7326 J7327 J7329 J7324 J7326 J7327 J7329	Injectable medications Plan exclusions for therapeutic radiopharmaceuticals: Institutional Special Needs Plans (I-SNP)		J0791 Aduhelm™ J0172 Adzynma® C9167 Amvuttra™ J0225 Botulinim toxins	s		IOFOO
Briumvi™ J2329 Colony-stimulating factors™ J1442 J1447 J1449 Q5108 Q5110 Q5120 Q5122 Q5125 Q5127 Q5130 Crysvita® J0584 Elevidys® J1413 Enjaymo™ J1302 Entyvio® J3380 Evkeeza® J1305 Givlaari® J0223 Hemgenix® J1411 Hyaluronic acid polymers™ J7320 J7321 J7322 J7323 J7324 J7326 J7327 J7329 J7329 J7331 J7332				J0586	J0587	J0588
Immune globulins (IVIG, SCIG)**			J3111 Briumvi™ J2329 Colony-stimulat J1442 Q5110 Q5127 Crysvita® J0584 Elevidys® J1413 Enjaymo™ J1302 Entyvio® J3380 Evkeeza® J1305 Givlaari® J0223 Hemgenix® J1411 Hyaluronic acid J7320 J7324	J0897 ting factors** J1447 Q5120 Q5130 polymers** J7321 J7326	Q5122 J7322	Q5125 J7323



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Procedures and services	Additional information	CPT® or HCPCS		- n		
Injectable medications	Illiormation	how to obtain pr 90283	90284	J1459	J1551	
(cont.)		J1554	J1555	J1556	J1557	
		J1558	J1559	J1561	J1566	
		J1568	J1569	J1572	J1575	
		J1576	J1599			
		Infliximab**	01000			
		J1745	Q5104			
		Intravenous iron				
		J1437	J1439			
		Izervay ®				
		J2782				
		Krystexxa®**				
		J2507				
		Leqembi™				
		J0174				
		Leqvio®**				
		J1306				
		Luxturna®				
		J3398				
		Qalsody®				
		J1304				
		Ocrevus®				
		J2350				
		Omvoh®				
		C9168	J3490	J3590		
		Onpattro [®]				
		J0222				
		Orencia [®]				
		J0129				
		Oxlumo [®]				
		J0224				
		Radicava [®]				
		J1301				
		Reblozyl [®]				
		J0896				
		Rituximab®**		_		
		J9311	J9312	Q5123		
		Roctavian™				
		J1412				
		Ryplazim [®]				
		J2998				
		Rystiggo™				



Procedures and services	Additional	CPT® or HCPC	S codes and/or						
	information	how to obtain	prior authorization						
Injectable medications		J9333							
(cont.)		Saphnelo®**							
		J0491							
		Skyrizi [®]							
		J2327 Soliris ®							
		J1300							
		Spevigo™							
		J1747							
		Spinraza [®]							
		J2326	J2326						
			Syfovre [™]						
		J2781							
			Tepezza [®]						
		J3241							
		Tezspire™							
		J2356							
		Therapeutic radiopharmaceuticals							
		A9513	A9590	A9606	A9607				
		A9699							
		Tzield [®]							
		J9381							
		Unclassified a J3490	nd temporary code J3590	es* C9399					
		Uplizna [®]							
		J1823							
		Vabysmo [®]							
		J2777							
		Vascular endo	thelial growth fact	or (VEGF) inhibite	ors**				
		J0177	J0178	J0179	J2777				
		J2778	J2779	Q5124	Q5128				
		Vyepti®**							
		J3032							
		Vyjuvek®							
		J3401							
		Vyvgart [®]							
		J9332							
		Vyvgart® Hytrı	ılo™						
		J9334							
		Zolgensma [®]							
		J3399							



Notification tool on the UnitedHealthcare Provider Portal at

		ADT® - HADAA					
Procedures and services	Additional information	CPT® or HCPCS	codes and/or rior authorization				
	mormanon	uhcprovider.com. After you sign in, select the Prior Authorization link. From the "Create a new authorization submission" section, select Specialty Pharmacy from the dropdown menu. Or, you can call 888-3978129					
		*For unclassified and temporary codes J3490, J3590, C9399, notification/authorization is only required for Adzynma and Omvoh					
		**Drug is also inclu	uded in the Part B S	Step Therapy Progra	am		
Inpatient admission	Notification required						
Inpatient admissions – Post-acute services	Prior authorization and notification of admission date	Home & Commun in-scope members		aviHealth) manages	s prior authorization for		
Plan exclusions: None	required for these facilities providing post-acute inpatient services:	Phone: 855-851-1 Fax: 844-244-948					
	Acute care hospitalsAcute inpatient	Enter authorization request using the UnitedHealthcare Provide					
	rehabilitation Critical access hospitals Long-term acute care hospitals Skilled nursing facilities	Provider Portal. At Authorization and	cation tool on the U HCprovider.com , s your dashboard. Or,				
	Note: These plans are excluded from the skilled nursing facility prior authorization requirement: UnitedHealthcare® Nursing Home Plans						
Non-emergency air transport	Prior authorization required	A0430	A0431	A0435	A0436		
Plan exclusions: None Non-urgent ambulance transportation by air between specified locations							
Orthognathic surgery	Prior authorization	21120	21121	21122	21123		
Discount of	required	21125	21127	21141	21142		
Plan exclusions: None		21143	21145	21146	21147		
Treatment of maxillofacial		21150	21151	21154	21155		
(jaw) functional impairment		21159	21160	21188	21193		
		21194	21195	21196	21198		
		21199	21206	21210	21215		
		21240	21242	21244	21245		
		21246	21247				



Procedures and services	Additional	CPT [®] or HCPCS codes and/or				
Trocedures and services	information	how to obtain p	ior authorization			
Orthotics	Prior authorization required for orthotics					
Plan exclusions: None	codes listed with a retail purchase or cumulative rental cost of more than \$1,000					
Orthopedic surgeries	Prior authorization	22100	22101	22102	22110	
	required	22112	22114	22206	22207	
Plan exclusions:		22210	22212	22214	22220	
U.S. Virgin Island policies		22222	22224	22532	22533	
67006, 67007, 67008, 24755, 25309, 23930, 97003, 97004,		22548	22551	22554	22556	
97005, 97006, 97007, 97008		22558	22590	22595	22600	
Spine and joint surgeries		22610	22612	22630	22633	
		22800	22802	22804	22808	
		22810	22812	22818	22819	
		22830	22849	22850	22852	
		22855	22856	22861	22867	
		22869	22899	23470	23472	
		24360	24361	24362	24363	
		24365	25441	25442	25444	
		25446	25449	27120	27122	
		27125	27130	27132	27134	
		27137	27138	27412	27445	
		27446	27447	27486	27487	
		27700	29834	29837	29838	
		29840	29844	29845	29846	
		29847	29866	29867	29868	
		29891	29892	29894	29895	
		29897	29898	29899	29914	
		29915	29916	63001	63003	
		63005	63011	63012	63015	
		63016	63017	63020	63030	
		63040	63042	63045	63046	
		63047	63050	63051	63055	
		63056	63064	63075	63077	
		63081	63085	63087	63090	
		63101	63102	63170	63172	
		63173	63185	63190	63191	
		63197	63200	0200T	0201T	
		Use the Prior Aut	horization and Notific	cation tool on the Un	itedHealthcare	

Use the Prior Authorization and Notification tool on the UnitedHealthcare Provider Portal. After you sign in at **UHCprovider.com**, select the Prior Authorization and Notification tab on your dashboard. Or, you can call **877-842-3210**.



CPT® or HCPCS codes and/or Additional **Procedures and services** information how to obtain prior authorization **Out-of-network services** Please note that your agreement with UnitedHealthcare Plan exclusions: None may include A recommendation from a restrictions directing network physician or health plan members care professional outside of the to a hospital, physician or UnitedHealthcare other health care professional network. Plan who's out-of-network members who use out-of-network physicians, health care professionals or facilities may have increased out-ofpocket expenses or no coverage. **Advance** notification is required for Medicare Advantage plan members in the **following** circumstances: A network physician or health care professional directs a member to an outof-network facility, physician or other health care professional and the member's benefit plan doesn't include benefits for out-ofnetwork services. A network physician or health care professional directs a member to an outof-network facility, physician or other health care professional and the member's benefit plan includes benefits for out-ofnetwork services but there are no available in-network health care professionals for the type of specialty services needed.



Procedures and services	Additional	CPT® or HCPC	TO MICHOLO 101212 TO 1010 1010 1010		
	information		prior authorization	on	
Out-of-network services (cont.)	A network physician or health care professional requests in-network cost-sharing or benefit level because there aren't in-network health care professionals for the type of specialty services needed.				
Outpatient therapy	Prior authorization is	Physical, occu	upational and spe	ech therapy (PT/OT	/ST)
(PT/OT/ST, chiropractic)	required for	92507	92508	92521	92522
	contracted health care professionals in	92523	92524	92526	92626
	Arkansas, Georgia,	92627	96105	97012	97016
	New Jersey and South Carolina	97018	97022	97024	97026
	South Carolina	97028	97032	97033	97034
		97035	97036	97039	97110
		97112	97113	97116	97124
		97139	97140	97150	97161
		97162	97163	97164	97165
		97166	97167	97168	97530
		97533	97535	97537	97542
		97545	97546	97750	97755
		97760	97761	97799	G0129
		G0281	G0282	G0283	
		Chiropractic			
		98940	98941	98942	
		New Jersey and optumhealthph UHC health car. New Jersey and and Notification UHCprovider.cc	South Carolina, pl ysicalhealth.com e professionals: I South Carolina, us tool on the United om, select the Pri	lease submit request or call 800-873-4575 For authorization in A se the Prior Authoriza Healthcare Provider or Authorization and	5. Arkansas, Georgia,
Doin managament	Prior authorization		ou can call 866-4 ′ 62351 6236		
Pain management	required	62362	0230	02001	
Plan exclusions: None	·	02302			
Potentially unproven services (including	Prior authorization required	28890 64722	33289 64744	36514 66180	64405 95965
experimental/ investigational and/or linked services) Plan exclusions:	Services, including medications, determined not to be effective for	95966	C2624		



Procedures and services	Additional information	CPT [®] or HCPCS codes and/or how to obtain prior authorization
None	treatment of a medical condition	
	Services determined not to have a beneficial effect on health outcomes, due to:	
	 Insufficient and inadequate clinical evidence from well- conducted randomized controlled trials 	
	Cohort studies in the prevailing published peer-reviewed medical literature	

Private duty nursing	Prior authorization is	12268	12350	12394	12404
	only required for procedure T1000 for	12405	12406	12407	12408
	the following group	12413	12414	12415	12416
	retiree plans only.	12417	12418	12419	12422
		12423	12424	12427	12428
		12429	12430	12431	12433
		12434	12435	12436	12437
		12438	12440	12441	12442
		12443	12444	12445	12446
		12826	12834	12835	12840
		12986	12987	12988	13295
		13296	13353	13354	13355
		13464	13465	13466	13467
		13470	13483	13517	13518
		13519	13522	13523	13546
		13711	13804	13850	13852
		13875	13895	13896	15304
		15305	15306	15307	15330
		15331	15336	15337	15375



	Additional	CDT® or HCDCs o	rodos and/or				
Procedures and services	information	CPT® or HCPCS codes and/or how to obtain prior authorization					
		15403	15404	15405	15406		
		15408	15404	15410	15412		
		15413	15414	15415	15416		
		15417	15414	15424	15416		
		15426	15428	15429	15451		
		15550	15605	15606	15627		
		15628	15629	15630	15631		
		15632	15633	15634	15635		
		15636	15637	15638	15639		
		15640	15641	15642	15643		
		15644	15645	15646	15648		
		15672	15673	15725	15726		
		15727	15728	15734	15735		
		15736	15737	15738	15739		
		15740	15741	15742	15743		
		15747	15748	15774	15780		
		15782	15783	15784	15785		
		15786	15787	15788	15789		
		15790	15791	15792	15793		
		15795	15802	15894	15895		
		15937	15938	16175	16188		
		16190	16191	16205	16206		
		16207	16208	16233	16234		
		16235	16236	16325	16326		
		16327	27070				
Prostate procedures	Prior authorization required	52441	52442				
Plan exclusions: None							
Prosthetics	Prior authorization	L5301	L5856	L5968	L5981		
riosiliencs	required only for		L3030	L3900	L0901		
Plan exclusions:	prosthetics with a retail purchase or a	L5987					
None	cumulative rental cost of more than						
	\$1,000						
Radiation therapy	Prior authorization		ation therapy (IGR				
.,	required	77014	77387	G6001	G6002		
		G6017					
		Prostate spacer					
		55874 Proton beam the	any (PRT)				
		77520	77522	77523	77525		
		Special/associated services					



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Procedures and services	information						
		77331	77370	77399	77470		
		Standard rad	iation therapy (2D/	3D)			
		77401	77402	77407	77412		
		G6003	G6004	G6005	G6006		
		G6007	G6008	G6009	G6010		
		G6011	G6012	G6013	G6014		
		Prior authorization set up in the claims BaseX system on the ICD-10 diagnosis codes listed below when a standard 2D/3D radiation therapy technique is requested/utilized.					
		Breast – ICD-10: C50.011-C50.929, D05.00-D05.92, C84.7A Prostate – ICD-10: C61					
			ases – ICD-10: C79				
		Lung cancer	– ICD-10: C34.00-C	34.92			
		Y90 (Implantable beta-emitting microspheres for treatment of malignant tumors) 79445 Use the Prior Authorization and Notification tool on the UnitedHealthcare Provider Portal. After you sign in at UHCprovider.com, select the Prior Authorization and Notification tab on your dashboard. Or, you can call 877-842-3210.					
Radiology Plan exclusions:	Prior authorization required for participating physicians who		for providing notific		tient imaging procedure or authorization before		

UnitedHealthcare® Nursing Home and UnitedHealthcare® Assisted Living Plans (HMO-SNP), (HMO-POS HMO-SNP), (PPO-SNP)

physicians who request these advanced outpatient imaging procedures:

- Certain positron emission tomography (PET) scans
- Nuclear medicine and nuclear cardiology procedures

For more information, please see the Outpatient Radiology Prior Authorization Protocol for Medicare Advantage section in the 2024 UnitedHealthcare **Administrative** Guide.

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For more details and the CPT codes that require notification/prior authorization, please see Radiology Prior Authorization and Notification.



	Additional	CPT® or HCP	CS codes and/o	r	
Procedures and services	information		prior authoriza		
Rhinoplasty	Prior authorization	30400	30410	30420	30430
, ,	required	30435	30450	30460	30462
Plan exclusions:		30465			
None					
Treatment of nasal functional impairment and septal					
deviation					
Sleep apnea procedures	Prior authorization	21685	41512	41530	41599
and surgeries	required	42145			
Plan exclusions: None	Applies to inpatient				
Maxillomandibular	or outpatient				
advancement or oral	procedures and				
pharyngeal tissue reduction for treatment of obstructive	surgeries, including, but not limited to:				
sleep apnea	palatopharyngoplasty				
	 oral pharyngeal reconstructive 				
	surgery that includes				
	laser-assisted				
	uvulopalatoplasty.				
	Applies only for				
	surgical sleep apnea				
	procedures and not sleep studies				
Spine surgery	Prior authorization	20930	20931	20939	22854
	required	22858			
Plan exclusions:					
None					
Stimulators	Prior authorization required	5 0545		e growth stimulator	
Plan exclusions:	roquirou	E0747	E0748	E0749	E0760
		Neurostimula		04004	04007
None		61850	61863	61864	61867
Implantation of a device that		61868	61885	61886	63650
sends electrical impulses		63655	63685	64555	64568
		64590	L8682	L8683	
				d Notification tool on t in at UHCprovider.c	
		Authorization a			d. Or, you can call 877-
		842-3210.			
Therapeutic radiology	Prior authorization	Intensity-modu	ulated radiation		
services	required	therapy (IMRT)			
-		77385	77386	G6015 G60 ²	16
Plan exclusions: None		Stereotactic ra			
INOTIE			ic body radiatio	n therapy (SRS/SBF	RT)
		77371	77372	77373	G0339
		G0340			



Procedures and services	Additional information		PCS codes and/or n prior authorizatio	n					
Transplant of tissue or organs Plan exclusions: None Organ or tissue transplant or transplant-related	Prior authorization required	For transplant and CAR T-cell therapy services, including Abecma [®] (idecaptagene cicleucel), Breyanzi [®] , Carvykti [™] (ciltacabtagene autoleucel), Kymriah (tisagenlecleucel), Skysona [™] (elivaldogene autotemcel) Tecartus [®] (brexucabtagene autoleucel), Yescarta [®] (axicabtagene ciloleucel) and Zynteglo [™] (betibeglogene autotemcel), please call the Optum Transplant Case Management team at 888-936-7246 or the notification number on the back of the member's health plan ID card.							
services prior to pre-treatment									
or evaluation Request for transplant or		Evaluation fo	r transplant						
transplant-related services		99205							
prior to pre-treatment or evaluation		Bone marrow	harvest						
evaluation		38240	38241	38242					
		Heart/lung							
		33930	33935						
		Heart							
		33940	33944	33945					
		Lung							
		32850	32851	32852	32853				
		32854	32856	S2060	S2061				
		Kidney							
		50300	50320	50323	50340				
		50360	50365	50370	50547				
		Pancreas							
		48551	48552	48554					
		Liver							
		47135	47143	47147					
		Intestine							
		44132	44133	44135	44136				
		Services relat	ed to transplants						
		32855	33933	38208	38209				
		38210	38212	38213	38214				
		38215	38232*	44137	44715				
		44720	44721	47133	47140				
		47141	47142	47144	47145				
		47146	50325	S2152					
		CAR T-cell the	erapy						
		0537T	0538T	0539T	0540T				
		Q2041 Q2055	Q2042 Q2056	Q2053	Q2054				
		*Code 38232 v	vill only require prior	authorization for an	oncology diagnosis.				
			id unclassified 3490* J3590*						



Procedures and services	Additional information	CPT® or HCPCS codes and/or how to obtain prior authorization					
Transplant of tissue or organs (cont.)		*For unclassified code C9399, J3490 and J3590, notification/prior authorization is required for Casgevy, Lantidra, Lyfgenia, Skysona and Zynteglo. Use the Prior Authorization and Notification tool on the UnitedHealthcare Provider Portal. After you sign in at UHCprovider.com, select the Prior Authorization and Notification tab on your dashboard. Or, you can call 877-842-3210.					
Vein procedures	Prior authorization required	37243	37799				
Plan exclusions: None							
Removal and ablation of the main trunks and named branches of the saphenous veins in the treatment of venous disease and varicose veins of the extremities							
Ventricular assist devices (VAD)					nt 888-936-7246. Or, you nber's health plan ID		
Plan exclusions:		33927	33928	33929	33975		
None		33976	33979	33981	33982		
		33983					
A mechanical pump that takes	*For Peoples Health, enter prior authorization request including CP listed above, using the UnitedHealthcare Provider Portal.						
over the function of the damaged ventricle of the heart and restores normal blood flow		Use the Prior Authorization and Notification tool on the portal. After you at UHCprovider.com, select the Prior Authorization and Notification tal dashboard. Or, you can call 877-842-3210.					

