

Treatment Authorization Request for Medi-Cal members

Insert name of policy (if applicable):			
Standard Fax Number: (323) 889-6506		Urgent Fax Number: (323) 889-5403	
Use AuthAccel, Blue Shield of California's online authorization system, to complete, submit, attach documentation, track status, and receive determinations for both medical and pharmacy authorizations. Visit Provider Connection (www.blueshieldca.com/provider) and click the Authorizations tab to get started.			
Blue Shield has a 7 calendar days turn-around time on all Standard Prior Authorization Requests. Failure to complete this form in its may result in delayed processing or an adverse determination for insufficient information.			
Type of Request:	New Standard Request	New Urgent Request	Retro Request Standing Referral
Important information regarding urgent requests: Scheduling issues do not meet the definition of an urgent request. The definition of an urgent request is an imminent and serious threat to the health of the enrollee; including but not limited to, severe pain, potential loss of life, limb or major bodily function and a delay in decision-making might seriously jeopardize the life or health of the enrollee. If there is no MD signature included, the request will be processed as a Standard Request. The following type of service should be faxed to the Urgent Fax number (above) to meet regulatory timeliness standards: Therapeutic Enteral Formula			
An MD Signature is REQUIRED for Urgent Requests Only:		MD Signature:	
If you are submitting a Modification or Extension, check one, and complete the details below:		Modification Request Extension Request	
Date last authorized:		Previous authorization number:	
MD/NP/PA justification for modification or extension:			
Patient Information			
First Name:		Last Name:	
Date of Birth (DOB):		Blue Shield Promise subscriber ID number:	
Street address:		City:	State: ZIP code:
Referring/Prescribing provider or IPA			
Name:		Tax ID:	National provider identifier (NPI):
Street address and suite number:		City:	State: ZIP code:
Phone number:	Fax number:	Type of provider: PCP Specialist	Specialist type (if applicable):
Contact name and phone number:			

If you have questions, please call Blue Shield Promise Provider Services at (800) 468-9935.

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Servicing/Billing: Provider/Vendor Lab		If same as referring/prescribing provider, check here:	
First Name:		Last name:	
Street address and suite number:		City:	State: ZIP code:
Phone number:	FAX:	Specialist type:	
Contact name and phone number:			
If the servicing provider is billing as part of a provider group contract, enter the group information below.			
Group name:		Tax ID:	NPI:
Street address and suite number:		City:	State: ZIP code:
Billing facility (if applicable)			
Facility Name:		Tax ID:	NPI:
Street address and suite number:		City:	State: ZIP code:
Phone number:	FAX:	Specialist type:	
Contact name and phone number:			
Anticipated date of service:		If laboratory, enter draw date:	
Place of service: (Check one box only):			
☐	Office	☐	End stage renal disease
☐	Acute Rehab	☐	Group home
☐	Ambulance – air or water	☐	Home
☐	Ambulance-land	☐	Hospice
☐	Ambulatory surgical center	☐	Independent clinic
☐	Assisted living facility	☐	Independent laboratory
☐	Birthing center	☐	Inpatient hospital
☐	Custodial care facility	☐	Intermediate care facility
		Other: Please specify:	
Please enter below all codes requested. Unlisted codes must have a description. Include the quantity for each code requested and if applicable, left, right or bilateral designations.			
ICD-10 code(s):			
CPT/HCPC code(s):			

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Please include the documentation listed below when you return this form to Blue Shield Promise

History and physical and/or consultation notes, including:

• Clinical findings (i.e., pertinent symptoms and duration)	• Prior conservative treatments, duration, and response
• Comorbidities	• Treatment plan (i.e., surgical intervention)
• Activity and functional limitations	• Consultation and medical clearance report(s), when applicable
• Family history, if applicable	• Radiology report(s) and interpretation (i.e., MRI, CT, discogram)
• Reason for procedure/test/device, when applicable	• Laboratory results
• Pertinent past procedural and surgical history	• Other pertinent multidisciplinary notes
• Past and present diagnostic testing and results	• Community Health Worker Plan of Care

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