

Prior authorization requirements for Arizona Long Term Care

Effective February 1, 2026

General information

This list contains prior authorization requirements for health care professionals participating with the UnitedHealthcare Community Plan of Arizona Long Term Care providing inpatient and outpatient services.

Additional state variations and regulations may apply. To request prior authorization, please submit your request using one of the following:

- **Online:** Use the Prior Authorization and Notification tool on the UnitedHealthcare Provider Portal. To access the portal, go to [UHCprovider.com](https://uhcprovider.com) and click Sign In in the top-right corner to sign in using your One Healthcare ID and password.
- **By phone:** Call 877-842-3210

Please note

- To be eligible for authorization, services must be covered benefits as outlined and defined by the Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System (AHCCCS)
- Services provided by out-of-network, out-of-state health care professionals require prior authorization and documentation supporting the out-of-network request
- Experimental and investigational services are not covered benefits
- All rendering health care professionals, facilities and vendors must be actively registered with AHCCCS
- Only 1 health care professional may request services on a prior authorization request form
- Only medically necessary, cost-effective, federal- and state-reimbursable services are covered, as outlined by AHCCCS

Procedures and services	Additional information	CPT® or HCPCS codes and/or how to obtain prior authorization
Allergy immunotherapy	<p>For members younger than 21: Allergy immunotherapy and allergy testing is covered under Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnostic and Treatment (EPSDT) when medically necessary.</p> <p>For members 21 and older: Allergy immunotherapy, including desensitization treatments administered by subcutaneous injections (allergy shots), sublingual immunotherapy or another</p>	

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Allergy immunotherapy (cont.)	<p>route of administration, is not a covered benefit.</p> <p>Allergy testing, including testing for common allergens, is a covered benefit when the member has:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sustained an anaphylactic reaction to an unknown allergen • Exhibited such a severe allergic reaction where it's reasonable to assume further exposure to the unknown allergen may result in a life-threatening situation. Examples include severe facial swelling, breathing difficulties, epiglottal swelling, extensive urticaria, etc. Prior authorization is required for allergy testing when it meets the criteria above. 				
Augmentative and alternative communication	Prior authorization is required for the codes listed.	92607 E2500 E2508 E2599	92608 E2502 E2510 V5336	92609 E2504 E2511	A9901 E2506 E2512
Bariatric surgery	Prior authorization is required for the codes listed.	43644 43775 43847	43645 43842 43848	43659 43845 43860	43770 43846
Behavioral health	<p>Prior authorization is required for inpatient admissions.</p> <p>Prior authorization is required for outpatient services listed.</p>	For a full list of Behavioral Health prior authorization requirements, please visit Behavioral Health Prior Authorization Code List by State			
Bone growth stimulator Electronic stimulation or ultrasound to heal	Prior authorization is required for the codes listed.	20975	20979		

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fractures					
Breast cancer genetic testing	Prior authorization is required for the codes listed Please direct all lab requests to LabCorp at 800-533-0567 for review and processing.	81162	81163	81164	81165
		81166	81212	81215	81216
		81217	81432	81433	
Breast reconstruction (non-mastectomy) Reconstruction of the breast except for after mastectomy	Prior authorization is required for the codes listed.	19316	19318	19325	19328
		19330	19340	19342	19350
		19357	19361	19364	19367
		19368	19369	19370	19371
		19380	19396	L8600	
Cancer Supportive Care	Prior authorization is required	J1434		20979	
		Colony Stimulating Factors Q5148			
Cardiovascular	Prior authorization is required.	93580			
			DX Not Req PA		
		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
		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

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Cardiovascular (cont.)		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
		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

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		M86.8X9 L03.116 Q27.8 S35.512A T82.338A T82.898A I73.81	M86.9 Q27.30 Q27.9 T82.312A T82.392A I73.00	I96 Q27.32 Q87.2 T82.318A T82.398A I73.01	L03.115 Q27.39 S35.511A T82.319A T82.399A I73.1
Cerebral seizure monitoring – inpatient video electroencephalogram	Prior authorization is required for inpatient services. Prior authorization is not required for outpatient hospital or ambulatory surgical center	95700 95714 95720	95711 95715 95722	95712 95716 95724	95713 95718 95726
Circumcision	Routine circumcision is not a covered benefit. Prior authorization is required only for cases with documented medical necessity.	54150	54160	54161	54162
Cochlear 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 is required for the codes listed.	69710 L8619	69714 L8690	69930 L8691	L8614 L8692
Continuous glucose monitor	Prior authorization is required with type 2 diabetes diagnosis.	A4226 A9277 E2103	A4238 A9278	A4239 E0787	A9276 E2102
Cosmetic and reconstructive procedures Cosmetic procedures that	Prior authorization is required for the codes listed. Services or items furnished	11960 14041 15847 17999 21172	11971 14061* 17106 21137 21175	14020* 15823 17107 21138 21179	14021* 15830 17108 21139 21180

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change or improve physical appearance without significantly improving or restoring physiological function	solely for cosmetic purposes are excluded from AHCCCS coverage.	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			
Reconstructive procedures that treat a medical condition or improve or restore physiologic function		*Will NOT require prior auth when billed with skin cancer diagnoses			
Dental services	For prior authorization requirements, please call UnitedHealthcare dental at 855-812-9208.				
	For more information, please review the AHCCCS Medical Policy Manual (AMPM) Chapter 300, Section 310, Policy 310-D2 at azahcccs.gov > Resources > Guides-Manuals-Policies > AHCCCS Medical Policy Manual (AMPM) > Chapter 300: Medical Policy for Covered Services > 310, Covered Services > 310-D2.				
Diabetic supplies	Diabetic supplies are provided by the local pharmacy. Prior authorization for talking glucometers is available through the medical prior authorization process.	To locate contracted health care professionals or vendors, please visit UHCprovider.com/AZcommunityplan > Member Handbooks, Current Medical Plans, ID Cards, Provider Directories, Dental & Vision Plans Information.			
Durable medical equipment (DME)	Prior authorization is required for the codes listed with a retail purchase	E0193	E0194	E0265	E0266
		E0270	E0277	E0300	E0302
		E0304	E0329	E0445	E0457

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	or a cumulative rental cost of more than \$500.	E0465	E0466	E0483	E0486
		E0620	E0636	E0656	E0669
		E0670	E0675	E0693	E0694
	Arizona Long Term Care will review Medicare denials of DME. Clinical documentation and a copy of the denial must accompany and establish medical necessity for the service request.	E0700	E0710	E0745	E0766
		E0784	E0984	E0986	E1002
		E1003	E1004	E1005	E1006
		E1007	E1008	E1009	E1010
		E1030	E1035	E1036	E1161
		E1229	E1231	E1232	E1233
		E1234	E1235	E1236	E1237
	Prosthetics are not DME – see orthotics and prosthetics.	E1238	E1239	E1825	E1902
		E2100	E2227	E2228	E2230
		E2298	E2301	E2322	E2325
		E2327	E2329	E2331	E2351
		E2373	E2500	E2502	E2504
		E2506	E2508	E2510	E2511
		E2512	E2599	E2626	E2627
		E2628	E2629	E2630	E8000
		E8001	E8002	K0005	K0008
		K0013	K0108	K0800	K0801
		K0802	K0806	K0807	K0808
		K0812	K0821	K0822	K0823
		K0824	K0825	K0826	K0827
		K0828	K0829	K0830	K0831
		K0836	K0837	K0838	K0839
		K0840	K0841	K0842	K0843
		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	S1040	
Enteral services/parental/oral	Prior authorization is required for the codes listed.	B4034	B4035	B4036	B4100
		B4102	B4103	B4104	B4149
		B4150	B4152	B4153	B4155
In-home nutritional therapy either enteral or through a gastrostomy tube, total parenteral nutrition and/or lipids and oral	Clinical documentation and oral supplement certificate of medical necessity, as applicable, must accompany and establish medical necessity for this service request.	B4158	B4159	B4160	B4161
		B9002	B9998		

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supplements	<p>For members younger than 21: For more information, please review AMPM Chapter 400, Section 430, Policy 430-10 at azahcccs.gov > Resources > Guides-Manuals-Policies > AHCCCS Medical Policy Manual (AMPM) > Chapter 400, Medical Policy for Maternal and Child Health > 430, EPSDT Services > 430-10.</p> <p>The Certificate of Medical Necessity for Commercial Oral Nutritional Supplements can be found at azahcccs.gov > Resources > Guides-Manuals-Policies > AHCCCS Medical Policy Manual (AMPM) > Chapter 400, Medical Policy for Maternal and Child Health > 430-2.</p> <p>For members 21 and older: Please review AMPM Chapter 300, Policy 310-GG at azahcccs.gov > Resources> Guides-Manuals-Policies > AHCCCS Medical Policy Manual (AMPM) > Chapter 300, Medical Policy for Covered Services > 310, Covered Services > 310-GG. The Certificate of Medical Necessity for Commercial Oral Nutritional Supplements can be found at azahcccs.gov > Resources > Guides-Manuals-Policies > AHCCCS Medical Policy Manual</p>	

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**Enteral services/
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(cont.)** (AMPM) > Chapter 300,
Medical Policy for Covered
Services > 310, Covered
Services > 310-GG. >
Attachment A

Experimental and investigational (and/or linked services)	Prior authorization is required for all services considered experimental and/or investigational.	33477 A4638 G0293 S9991	36514 A9274 G2000 S9992	64722 E1831 S9988 S9994	66180 G0276 S9990 S9996
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For more information,
please refer to AMPM
Chapter 300, Section 320,
Policy 320-B at
azahcccs.gov > Resources
> Guides-Manuals-Policies
> AHCCCS Medical Policy
Manual (AMPM) > Chapter
300, Medical Policy for
Covered Services > 320,
Services With Special
Circumstances > 320-B.

**Eye
care/optometry** Benefits provided for
members younger than 21: For member eye care services, please call Nationwide
Vision at 480-961-1702.

- One routine eye exam every 12 months
- Regular single vision bifocal or trifocal polycarbonate lenses
- Frame for up to \$79.99 retail price
- One replacement pair of glasses if lost, stolen or damaged
- Members may pay the difference for a more expensive pair of glasses, but must sign a waiver provided by Nationwide Vision.

For members 21 and older:

Prior authorization is
required when medically
necessary to diagnose or

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	treat diseases and conditions of the eye.				
Femoroacetabular impingement syndrome (FAI)	Prior authorization is required for the codes listed.	29914	29915	29916	
Functional endoscopic sinus surgery	Prior authorization is required for the codes listed.	31240 31256 31276	31253 31257 31287	31254 31259 31288	31255 31267
Genetic testing	Prior authorization is required for services not covered by LabCorp.	81265 81325 81405 81415	81302 81401 81406 81416	81321 81403 81407 81460	81323 81404 81408 81479
	To determine prior authorization requirements, please call LabCorp at 800-788-9743.	86353 88261 88267 88273 88283 88299	88245 88262 88269 88274 88285	88248 88263 88271 88275 88289	88249 88264 88272 88280 88291
		Biomarker Codes			
		81313	81327	81435	81490
Hearing aids and services	For members younger than 21:	V5014 V5248	V5060 V5252	V5190 V5256	V5244 V5260
Hearing evaluations and hearing aids	Prior authorization is not required.	V5267 V5245 V5261	V5030 V5249 V5298	V5095 V5253 V5010	V5230 V5257 V5040
	For members 21 and older: Prior authorization is required.	V5100 V5254 V5050 V5251	V5242 V5258 V5120 V5255	V5246 V5262 V5243 V5259	V5250 V5011 V5247 V5263
Home- and community-based services	Prior authorization is required.	For home- and community-based services, please call UnitedHealthcare Community Plan of Arizona at 800-293-3740 or the notification number on the back of the member's health plan ID card.			
Home health care	Prior authorization is required for the codes listed.	For codes G0299, G0300, S9123 and S9124, please fax Case Management at 877-395-5993 to complete the request.			
	Infusion services – prior authorization is not required.	G0299	G0300	S9123	S9124
Hospice	Prior authorization is required for the codes	For prior authorization, please call the Long-Term Care Case Management unit at 602-255-8908 to complete the			

Procedures and services	Additional information	CPT® or HCPCS codes and/or how to obtain prior authorization			
	listed.	request.			
Hysterectomy	Prior authorization is required for the codes listed.	58150	58152	58180	58200
		58210	58240	58260	58262
		58263	58267	58270	58275
		58280	58285	58290	58291
		58292	58293	58294	58541
		58542	58543	58544	58548
		58550	58552	58553	58554
		58570	58571	58572	58573
		58951	58953	58954	58956
		59525			
Incontinence supplies	<p>For members younger than 21: Prior authorization is required for incontinence briefs and diapers, including pull-ups, when requests are greater than 240 per month.</p> <p>For members 21 and older: Prior authorization is required for incontinence briefs and diapers, including pull-ups, when requests are greater than 180 per month.</p>				
Injectable medications	Prior authorization is required for the codes listed.	Actemra® J3262 Adakveo® J0791 Adzynma™ J7171 Amondys® 45 J1426 Amvuttra™ J0225 Aralast® NP, Prolastin-C, Zemaira® J0256 Avsola® Q5121 Avtozma Q5156 Benlysta™			

Procedures and services	Additional information	CPT® or HCPCS codes and/or how to obtain prior authorization			
Injectable medications (cont.)		J0490			
		Beqvez			
		J1414			
		Berinert®			
		J0597			
		Bkemv			
		Q5152			
		Botulinum toxins			
		J0585	J0586	J0587	J0588
		Brineura®			
		J0567			
		Briumvi™			
		J2329			
		Cimerli™			
		Q5128			
		Cinqair®			
		J2786			
		Conexxence			
		Q5158			
		Cosentyx™ IV			
		J3247			
		Crysvita®			
		J0584			
		Cutaquig®			
		J1551			
		Daxxify®			
		J0589			
		Elfabrio®			
		J2508			
		Encelto			
		J3403			
		Enjaymo™			
		J1302			
		Entyvio®			
		J3380			
		Epysqli			
		Q5151			
		Esperoct®			
		J7204			
		Evenity®			
		J3111			
		Evkeeza®			
		J1305			

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Injectable medications (cont.)		Eylea™ HD			
		J0177			
		Fasenra™			
		J0517			
		Fensolvi®			
		J1951			
		Feraheme®			
		Q0138			
		Gamifant®			
		J9210			
		Givlaari®			
		J0223			
		Glassia®			
		J0257			
		Hemlibra			
		J7170			
		Hemgenix™			
		J1411			
		Hympavzi			
		J7172			
		Ilaris®			
		J0638			
		Ilumya™			
		J3245			
		Imuldosa IV			
		Q5098			
		Inflectra™			
		Q5103			
		Injectafer®			
		J1439			
		IVIG			
		J1459	J1552	J1554	J1555
		J1556	J1557	J1559	J1561
		J1566	J1568	J1569	J1572
		J1575	J1599		
		Izervay™			
		J2782			
		Jubbonti			
		Q5136			
		Kisunla			
		J0175			
		Korsuva™			
		J0879			
		Krystexxa®			

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Injectable medications (cont.)		J2507 Lamzedo® J0217 Lemtrada™ J0202 Leqembi J0174 Leqvio® J1306 Lutrate Depot J1954 Mepsevii® J3397 Monoferric® J1437 Nexvazyme® J0219 Nglazyme J1458 Niktimvo J9038 Nplate® J2802 Nucala® J2182 Nulibry J1809 Nypozi Q5148 Ocrevus® J2350 Ocrevus Zunovo J2351 Orencia® J0129 OmvoH™ J2267 Onpattro® J0222 Otulfi IV Q9999 Panzylga® J1576

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		Parsabiv®
		J0606
		Pavblu
		Q5147
		PiaSky
		J1307
		Pombiliti™
		J1203
		Prolia®
		J0897
		Pyzchiva IV
		Q9997
		Qalsody™
		J1304
		Radicava®
		J1301
		Reblozyl®
		J0896
		Releuko
		Q5125
		Remicade®
		J1745
		Renflexis®
		Q5104
		Riabni™
		Q5123
		Roctavian™
		J1412
		Ruconest®
		J0596
		Ryplazim®
		J2998
		Rystiggo™
		J9333
		Saphnelo®
		J0491
		Scenesse®
		J7352
		Selardsdi
		Q9998
		Sevenfact™
		J7212
		Signifor LAR®

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		J2502			
		Simponi Aria®			
		J1602			
		Skyrizi®			
		J2327			
		Sodium Hyaluronate			
		J7320	J7321	J7322	J7324
		J7325	J7326	J7327	J7329
		J7331	J7332		
		Spevigo™			
		J1747			
		Stelara™			
		J3358			
		Steqeyma IV			
		Q5099			
		Stoboclo			
		Q5157			
		Sublocade™			
		Q9991	Q9992		
		Syfovre™			
		J2781			
		Synagis®			
		90378			
		Tepezza®			
		J3241			
		Tezspire™			
		J2356			
		Therapeutic Radiopharmaceuticals			
		A9615			
		Tofidence™			
		Q5133			
		Tremfya IV			
		J1628			
		Triptodur®			
		J3316			
		Tyenne™			
		Q5135			
		Tzield™			
		J9381			
		Unclassified codes*			
		C9094	C9149	C9157	C9166
		C9399	J3490	J3590	

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		Uplizna® J1823 Intravitreal Vascular Endothelial Growth Factor J0178 J0179 J2777 J2778 J2779 Q5124 Q5128 Wezlana IV Q5138 Veopoz™ J9376 Vimizim® J1322 Vyepti® J3032 Vyvgart® J9332 Vyvgart® Hytrulo™ J9334 Xembify™ J1558 Xenpozyme™ J0218 Yesintek IV Q5100 Zymfentra J1748 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 and included on our Review at Launch Medication List. Predetermination is highly recommended for the drugs on the list. The Review at Launch for New to Market Medications policy is available at UHCprovider.com/policies > Community Plan Policies > Medical & Drug Policies and Coverage Determination Guidelines for Community Plan. *For unclassified and temporary codes C9094, C9149, C9157, C9166, C9167, C9168, C9399, J3490 and J3590, prior authorization is only required for Kebilidi, Revcovi, Rivfloza, Starjemza, Vabysmo

Inpatient admission	Prior authorization is required for inpatient admissions including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Behavioral/
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Inpatient – observation	substance abuse				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elective surgical with admission • Hospice • Long-term acute care/rehabilitation • Skilled nursing facilities 				
	Prior authorization is not required for emergency services.				
	Prior authorization is not required.				
	Notification required if member is admitted for an inpatient stay.				
	Observation must be ordered in writing by a physician, or other individual authorized by hospital staff bylaws, to admit patients to the hospital or to order outpatient diagnostic tests or treatments.				
Joint replacement	Prior authorization is required for the codes listed.	24360	24361	24362	24363
Joint, total hip and knee replacement procedures		24370	24371	27120	27125
		27130	27132	27134	27137
		27138	27412	27446	27447
		27486	27487	29866	29867
		29868			
Laboratory services	Prior authorization is not required. If you have questions, please call LabCorp at 800-788-9743.				
Nonemergent air ambulance transport	Prior authorization is required for the codes listed.	A0430	A0431	A0435	A0436
Orthognathic surgery	Prior authorization is required for the codes listed.	21121	21123	21125	21127
Treatment of maxillofacial/jaw functional		21141	21142	21143	21145
		21146	21147	21150	21151
		21154	21155	21159	21160
		21188	21193	21194	21195

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impairment		21196	21198	21199	21206
		21208	21209	21210	21215
		21240	21242	21244	21245
		21246	21247	21248	21249
		21255	21296	21299	
Orthotics and prosthetics	Prior authorization is required 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
	For members younger than 21 with orthotic limitation:	L0810	L0820	L0830	L0859
		L1000	L1005	L1200	L1300
		L1310	L1499	L1680	L1685
		L1720	L1730	L1755	L1820
		• Reasonable repairs or adjustments of purchased orthotics are covered for all members to make the orthotic serviceable and/or when the repair cost is less than purchasing another unit	L1830	L1832	L1834
			L1836	L1844	L1845
			L1847	L1945	L1950
			L2000	L2020	L2030
			L2034	L2037	L2038
			L2060	L2108	L2126
			L2136	L2526	L2627
			L2628	L3265	L3649
			L3671	L3720	L3730
		• The component will be replaced if, at the time authorization is requested, documentation is provided to establish the component isn't operating effectively	L3674	L3764	L3900
			L3740	L3905	L3961
			L3901	L3999	L4000
			L3976	L4631	L5010
			L4010	L5060	L5100
			L5020	L5160	L5200
			L5105	L5230	L5270
			L5210	L5312	L5321
			L5280	L5400	L5420
			L5331	L5505	L5510
	For members 21 and older: AHCCCS orthotics coverage applies if:	L5460	L5500	L5535	L5540
		L5520	L5530	L5580	L5585
		• The use of the orthotic is medically necessary as the preferred treatment option consistent with Medicare guidelines	L5560	L5600	L5610
			L5590	L5616	L5639
			L5613	L5643	L5644
			L5640	L5648	L5649
			L5646	L5661	L5673
			L5651	L5700	L5702
		• The orthotic is less expensive than all other treatment options or	L5682	L5706	L5716
			L5703	L5726	L5728
			L5718		

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Orthotics and prosthetics (cont.)	surgical procedures to treat the same diagnosed condition	L5780	L5790	L5795	L5811
		L5812	L5814	L5816	L5818
		L5822	L5824	L5826	L5828
	• The orthotic is ordered by a physician or primary care physician	L5830	L5845	L5848	L5857
		L5858	L5930	L5950	L5960
		L5961	L5962	L5964	L5966
		L5968	L5976	L5979	L5980
	For members 21 and older with orthotic limitation:	L5981	L5982	L5984	L5986
		L5987	L5988	L5990	L5999
	• Reasonable repairs or adjustments of purchased orthotics are covered for all members to make the orthotic serviceable and/or when the repair cost is less than purchasing another unit	L6000	L6020	L6050	L6055
		L6100	L6110	L6120	L6130
		L6200	L6205	L6250	L6300
		L6310	L6320	L6360	L6370
		L6380	L6382	L6384	L6400
		L6450	L6500	L6550	L6570
		L6580	L6582	L6584	L6586
		L6588	L6590	L6621	L6623
		L6624	L6646	L6648	L6686
	• The component will be replaced if, at the time authorization is requested, documentation is provided to establish the component isn't operating effectively	L6687	L6689	L6690	L6692
		L6693	L6694	L6695	L6696
		L6697	L6704	L6707	L6708
		L6709	L6711	L6712	L6713
		L6714	L6881	L6882	L6883
		L6884	L6885	L6895	L6900
		L6905	L6910	L6920	L6925
		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	
Out-of-state services	Benefit only approved when service is emergent or unavailable in Arizona.				
Out-of-network services	Prior authorization is required for all out-of-network services.				
Outpatient therapy – occupational, physical and speech therapy	For members 21 years and older: Occupational, physical and speech therapy are covered when medically necessary. No annual benefit limit for	97012	97014	97016	97018
		97022	97026	97028	97033
		97034	97039	97110	97112
		97113	97116	97124	97140
		97530	97535	97799	G0281

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	<p>occupational and speech therapy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prior authorization required after the initial evaluation and before the initial therapy visit and is required for all ongoing therapy visits <p>For members 21 and older: Occupational/speech therapy Prior authorization is required for occupational and speech therapy. Services are covered when medically necessary. No annual benefit limits apply; however, requests will be reviewed for medical necessity.</p>	G0283		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prior authorization is required after the initial evaluation and before the initial therapy visit and is required for all ongoing therapy visits. <p>Physical therapy – outpatient Prior authorization is NOT required for outpatient physical therapy. Outpatient physical therapy services are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Limited to 15 visits per benefit year, Oct. 1–Sept. 30, to help an individual acquire a new skill or level of function, and then maintain it <p>Physical therapy – skilled nursing or custodial facility considered as inpatient.</p>	92507	92508	92526

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	<p>Services are covered when medically necessary and not subjected to outpatient benefits limitations.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prior authorization is required after the initial evaluation and before the initial therapy visit and is required for all ongoing therapy visits. 				
Pain injections and management	Prior authorization is required.	64490	64493		
Pharmacy drugs	<p>A list of medications requiring prior authorization is available at UHCprovider.com/AZcommunityplan</p> <p>> Pharmacy Resources and Physician Administered Drugs</p> <p>Service requests must include J codes and National Drug Codes for the medication requested.</p> <p>The following hemophilia factor/ biotech drugs are included on the prior authorization list:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aldurazyme® • Ceprotin™ • Cerezyme™ • Cimzia® • Cinryze • Elaprase® • Elelyso™ • Exondys 51® • Fabrazyme® • Juxtapid™ • Kalydeco™ • Kuvan™ • Kynamro™ • Lumizyme® 	90378 J1299 J1429 J2840 J3399	J0224 J1303 J1786 J3060	J0717 J1427 J2326 J3385	J1290 J1428 J2357 J3398
		<p>For pharmacy prior authorization, please contact UnitedHealthcare Pharmacy Prior Authorization Service by:</p> <p>Phone: 800-310-6826 Fax: 866-940-7328</p>			
		<p>For specialty pharmacy prior authorization, please fax 866-940-7328.</p> <p>Fax forms are available at UHCprovider.com/AZcommunityplan > Arizona > Pharmacy Program > Pharmacy Prior Authorization Forms > Specialty Medication Prior Authorization Cover Sheet. For specific medications listed in this section, click on the medication and use the attached service request form specific to that drug.</p>			

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Myozyme™ • Orfadin™ • Soliris® • Spinraza™ • Synagis® • VPRIV™ • Xolair® • Zolgensma® 				
Potentially Unproven Services	Prior authorization is required.	33289	C2624		
Pregnancy termination	<p>Prior authorization is required for the codes listed.</p> <p>Prior authorization includes Mifepristone, Mifeprex® or RU-486</p> <p>Clinical documentation and the certificate of medical necessity for pregnancy termination must accompany the prior authorization request form.</p> <p>For more information, please review AMPM Chapter 400, Section 410, Section E Pregnancy Termination at azahcccs.gov > Resources > Guides-Manuals-Policies > AHCCCS Medical Policy Manual (AMPM) > Chapter 400, Medical Policy for Maternal and Child Health > 410, Maternity Care Services > Section E Pregnancy Termination.</p> <p>The Certificate of Medical Necessity For Pregnancy Termination can be found at azahcccs.gov > Resources > Guides-</p>	59840 59852	59841 59855	59850 59856	59851 59857

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	Manuals-Policies > AHCCCS Medical Policy Manual (AMPM) > Chapter 400, Medical Policy for Maternal and Child Health > Attachment C.				
Prostate procedures	Prior authorization required	37243 53852	52441 55873	52442 55874	53850
Proton beam therapy Focused radiation therapy using beams of protons, which are tiny particles with a positive charge	Prior authorization required for the codes listed	77520	77522	77523	77525
Rhinoplasty and septoplasty Treatment of nasal functional impairment and septal deviation	Prior authorization Is required for the codes listed.	30400 30435 30465	30410 30450	30420 30460	30430 30462
Shoulder surgery	Prior authorization is required for the codes listed.	Musculoskeletal system 23470 23472 23473 23474 29805 29806 29807 29819 29820 29822 29823 29824 29825 29826 29827 29828			
Sinuplasty	Prior authorization is required for the codes listed.	31295	31296	31297	31298
Skilled nursing facility services	Prior authorization is required. Separate prior authorization is required for outpatient services.				
Sleep apnea procedures and surgeries Maxillomandibular advancement and oral-pharyngeal tissue reduction for treating obstructive sleep apnea	Prior authorization is required for the codes listed.	21685	41599		42145
Spinal surgery	Prior authorization is	22100	22101	22102	22110

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	required for the codes listed.	22112	22114	22206	22207
		22210	22212	22214	22220
		22224	22510	22511	22512
		22513	22514	22515	22532
		22533	22548	22551	22554
		22556	22558	22590	22595
		22600	22610	22612	22630
		22633	22800	22802	22804
		22808	22810	22812	22818
		22819	22830	22849	22850
		22852	22855	22856	22861
		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	0098T	
Sterilization	Prior authorization is required for the codes listed.	52601	52630	52648	52649
		55250	55801	55821	55831
		58565	58600	58605	58611
		58615	58670	58671	58700
	For all members younger than age 21:				
	Prior authorization is required.				
	Any member requesting sterilization must sign an appropriate Consent for Sterilization form.				
	For more information, please review AMPM Chapter 400, Section 420, Section E Sterilization at azahcccs.gov > Resources > Guides-Manuals-Policies > AHCCCS Medical Policy Manual (AMPM) > Chapter 400, Medical Policy for				

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		J3391 CAR-T cell therapy 0537T J3392 Q2053 Q2057	J3392 0538T J9999 Q2054 Q2058	J3394 0539T Q2041 Q2055	J3402 0540T Q2042 Q2056
		*Code 38232 will only require prior authorization for an oncology diagnosis Temporary and Unclassified codes**: C9399 J3490 J3590 **Amtagvi, Lantidra			
Transportation	Transportation Prior authorization is required for nonemergent taxi and stretcher van	To schedule transportation, please call Medical Transportation Management at 888-700-6822.			
Vein procedures	Prior authorization is required for the codes listed.	36473 37718 37780	36475 37722	36478 37765	37700 37766
Removal and ablation of the main trunks and named branches of the saphenous veins for treating venous disease and varicose veins of the extremities					
Ventricular assist devices (VAD)	Prior authorization is required for the codes listed.	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.			
A mechanical pump that takes over the function of the damaged ventricle of the heart and restores normal blood flow		33927 33976 33983	33928 33979 Q0507	33929 33981 Q0508	33975 33982 Q0509
Wound vac	Prior authorization is required for the codes listed. A negative pressure wound therapy pump and supplies	E2402			

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	<p>will be denied if one or more of the following are present:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cancer tissue in the wound • Criteria for continued coverage is no longer met • Necrotic tissue with eschar in the wound, if debridement isn't attempted • Supplies and equipment are no longer being used by the member • Untreated fistula to an organ or body cavity within vicinity of the wound • Untreated osteomyelitis within vicinity of the wound 	