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Prior Authorization Changes

Home State Health requires prior authorization (PA) as a condition of payment for many services. This Notice contains information regarding such prior authorization requirements and is applicable to all Medicare products offered by Home State Health.

Home State Health is committed to delivering cost-effective quality care to our members. This effort requires us to ensure that our members receive only treatment that is medically necessary according to current standards of practice. Prior authorization is a process initiated by the physician in which we verify the medical necessity of a treatment in advance using independent objective medical criteria and/or in network utilization, where applicable.

It is the ordering/prescribing provider's responsibility to determine which specific codes require prior authorization.

Please verify eligibility and benefits prior to rendering services for all members. Payment, regardless of authorization, is contingent on the member's eligibility at the time service is rendered. NON-PAR PROVIDERS & FACILITIES REQUIRE AUTHORIZATION FOR ALL HMO SERVICES EXCEPT WHERE INDICATED.

For complete CPT/HCPCS code listing, please see Online Prior Authorization Tool on our website here: [Wellcare by Allwell Prior Auth Tool](#) or here: [Wellcare Prior Auth Tool](#)

Effective July 1, 2025, the following are changes to prior authorization requirements for all Medicare Products offered by Home State Health:

Service Category	PA Rule	Services	Procedure Codes
Durable Medical Equipment	PA Required	Wheelchairs	E1012
	No PA Required	Beds	E0184
		Neurostimulators	E0730
		Equipment & Accessories	E0953
		Wheelchairs	E0956, E0973, E2361, E2363, E2365, E2607, E2624, K0019
Other Medical Services	No PA Required	Wound Care	97605
Surgery Procedures	PA Required	Skin Grafts	Q4205

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Effective October 1, 2025, the following are changes to prior authorization requirements for Home State Health Plan.

For complete CPT/HCPCS code listings, please use the [prior authorization tool](#) on the Home State Health website.

Service Category	PA Rule	Services	Procedure Codes
Outpatient Surgery	PA Required	Open implantation of cranial nerve (eg, vagus nerve) neurostimulator electrode array and pulse generator	64568
	PA Required	Palatopharyngoplasty (eg, uvulopalatopharyngoplasty, uvulopharyngoplasty)	42145
Diagnostic Radiology	No PA Required	Set-up portable x-ray equipment	Q0092
Durable Medical Equipment	No PA Required	Standard wheelchair	K0001
Genetic Testing	No PA Required	HBA1/HBA2 (alpha globin 1 and alpha globin 2) (eg, alpha thalassemia, Hb Bart hydrops fetalis syndrome, HbH disease), gene analysis; common deletions or variant (eg, Southeast Asian, Thai, Filipino, Mediterranean, alpha3.7, alpha4.2, alpha20.5, Constant Spring)	81257

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Service Category	PA Rule	Services	Procedure Codes
Genetic Testing	No PA Required	HBA1/HBA2 (alpha globin 1 and alpha globin 2) (eg, alpha thalassemia, Hb Bart hydrops fetalis syndrome, HbH disease), gene analysis; common deletions or variant (eg, Southeast Asian, Thai, Filipino, Mediterranean, alpha3.7, alpha4.2, alpha20.5, Constant Spring)	81257

For complete CPT/HCPCS code listings, please use the [Prior Authorization Tool](#) on the Ambetter from Home State Health website.

As always, we appreciate your partnership in providing quality care and improved health outcomes. If you have questions, please contact Provider Services at the appropriate plan number listed below.

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