



Procedures Requiring Prior Authorization

Listed here are procedures that require pre-certification from Coventry Health Care prior to services being performed. Please call Coventry's Health Services department at 816-460-4670, or toll-free at 877-837-8914 with any questions.

NOTE: *Outpatient surgical procedures for hospital or free-standing ambulatory surgery centers do not require pre-certification. **Benefit limitations for cosmetic, dental and infertility still apply.** If you have questions about benefits please call the customer service phone number on the back of the member's card.*

- Inpatient Hospital Admissions /Observation stays/ Skilled nursing admissions
- Chemotherapy oral only call pharmacy precert
- Home health care infusions
- Home health aide
- Hospice -inpatient
- Hyperbaric services
- Implantable pain and insulin pumps, spinal stimulators and trials
- Rehabilitation, full- or partial-day and inpatient
- Short term rehabilitation, including cardiac and pulmonary
- Transplants
- Durable medical equipment over \$1000
- Genetic testing / counseling
- Injectable medications / infusions
- Neuropsych testing
- Specialty lab tests for disease markers
- Imaging - PET or PET/CT fusion scans; CTA
- Orthotics and prosthetics
- Speech therapy
- Pain management (all services beyond initial evaluation)
- Sleep Studies
- Nuclear cardiology in outpatient hospital setting CPT codes billed with A9500 or A9505
- Sclerotherapy

This list is subject to change without notification.