

Medical Prior Authorization List Notice of Change (Small and Large Group Commercial Plans Only)

This is a listing of the changes that have occurred to the Medical Prior Authorization List effective January 1, 2022. For a complete list of services and procedures that require prior authorization, please refer to the Medical Prior Authorization List (Auth List).

General Information

- Health First Health Plans (Health Plan) administers these requirements.
- Benefits are determined by the plan. Items listed may have limited coverage or not be covered at all.
- Referrals are not required for in-network specialist care. Refer to the current Provider Directory or visit our website at myHFHP.org for a list of network providers.
- Authorization is not a guarantee of payment. Coverage is subject to member eligibility, as well as applicable benefit and provider contract provisions on the date of service. Contract limitations may apply and supersede any authorization provided.

Services and Procedures Now Requiring Prior Authorization

Category	Codes
Capsule Endoscopy	91113
Category III Codes / New Technology	0671T, 0672T, 0673T, 0674T, 0675T, 0676T, 0677T, 0678T, 0679T, 0680T, 0681T, 0682T, 0683T, 0684T, 0685T, 0686T, 0687T, 0688T, 0689T, 0690T, 0691T, 0692T, 0693T, 0694T, 0695T, 0696T, 0697T, 0698T, 0699T, 0700T, 0701T, 0702T, 0703T, 0704T, 0705T, 0706T, 0707T, 0708T, 0709T, 0710T, 0711T, 0712T, 0713T
Eye Related Surgery	66989, 66991, 68841
Genetic Testing	81349, 81523, 81560, 87154
Incontinence Procedures	53451, 53452, 53453, 53454
Laboratory Testing	80220
Miscellaneous Codes, Not Otherwise Classified	43497, C1833
Pulmonary Rehabilitation	94625, 94626
Radiation Therapy	61736, 61737
Sleep Testing and Treatment	42975, 64582, 64583, 64584
Speech Generating Devices and Procedures	69716, 69719, 69726, 69727
Spinal Procedures	64628
Wound Care	A2001, A2002, A2003, A2004, A2005, A2006, A2007, A2008, A2009, A2010, G0465, Q4199

Deleted (no longer in use) Codes

Category	Codes
Category III Codes / New Technology	0290T, 0355T, 0356T, 0423T, 0452T, 0453T, 0454T, 0455T, 0456T, 0457T, 0458T, 0459T, 0460T, 0461T, 0462T
Pulmonary Rehabilitation	G0424

Miscellaneous Updates

Category	Codes/Info
General Information	All services previously delegated to eviCore Healthcare will now be managed by Health First Health Plans for Small and Large Group Commercial Plans.

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