

Notice: Authorization requirement changes effective 7/1

Please review the summary below for authorization requirement changes that will take effect July 1, 2022.

Diabetic shoes	Added authorization requirements for A-codes A5500-A5514*
Pharmacy	Added authorization requirements for the following codes: J1453, J1950, J0875, J9223, J3315, J2469, J0172, J1952, J2506, J9061, J9272, J0741, J1305, J1426, J1448, J9247, J9318, J9319, Q2055, Q0240, Q2054
Genetic testing	Added authorization requirements for the following new codes: 81349, 81523, 0285U-0300U, 0306U, 0307U, 0313U-0320U
T-codes	Clarified T-code requirements to ensure alignment with covered benefits

*Only applies to Individual and Family Plans (IFP)

An overview of these changes is available on BrightHealthCare.com/provider/utilization-management and Availity.com.

Don't forget about the redesigned authorization portal

Using Bright HealthCare's redesigned authorization portal simplifies the submission process for medical, surgical, mental health, and substance use disorder services (this excludes diagnostic/advanced imaging, genetic testing, and radiation oncology services).

Submit authorization requests electronically by going to Availity.com.

Using the redesigned portal means you can:

- Submit and keep track of authorizations in one place
- Respond to requests for additional clinical information without the hassle of a paper trail
- Reduce reliance on faxing

NOTE: Authorizations sent via fax are visible on the redesigned portal

Portal features:

- Dashboard displaying the status of submitted authorizations
- Advanced filters to sort authorizations and check status easily
- View and respond to notifications that require additional action
- Check if authorization request is needed
- Quick and easy uploads of supporting clinical documentation
- Progress bar to guide you through the authorization request process

Please share this reminder with others as needed.