



MONTANA HEALTHCARE PROGRAMS NOTICE

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Physician, Outpatient Hospital, CAH

Effective Immediately

Physician Administered Drug Prior Authorizations

A new link has been created on the [provider website](#) to display drugs that require prior authorization, the required form to complete and the criteria required for certain physician administered drugs. This link will be located under the Prior Authorization Information link on the Site Index (formerly Resources). [The link for Physician Administered Drugs is http://medicaidprovider.mt.gov/priorauthorization#260627814-physician-administered-drugs](#). [The required form to accompany each request can be found at http://medicaidprovider.mt.gov/forms#240933498-forms-p--z](#).

Please check the appropriate fee schedule to verify the prior authorization and coverage status of the procedure code. This is important because the place of service the drug administration occurs, determines the pricing methodology and the HCPCS Code to be billed. Prior authorization requirements for physician administered drugs will be added as the Medicaid Pharmacy Program develops new criteria. Please check the Prior Authorization page for the most up to date information.

Criteria for the following drugs will be added with this notice:

Cinqair®
Krystexxa®
Lucentis®
Nucala®
Ocrevus®
Prolia®
Spinraza®
Supprelin®
Xgeva®

Reminders:

Montana Medicaid does not reimburse for convenience, off label or experimental use of drugs, per Administrative Rules of Montana (ARM) 37.85.207.

- In general, drugs billed with unlisted codes require prior authorization from DPPHS.
- The NDC must be rebateable.
- Check Hospital Fee Schedules because some drugs bundle and pay at \$0.

Contact Information

If you have any questions, please contact:

The Physician Program Officer (406)444-3995, the Hospital Program Officer (406)444-7018, or the CAH Program officer (406)444-4834

[For additional information, contact Montana Provider Relations at \(800\) 624-3958 or \(406\) 442-1837 or email MTPRHelpdesk@conduent.com](#).

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