PROVIDER RELATIONS

NEWSLETTER





Community

Health Direct

CHD Provider Portal

With our Provider Portal, you have the convenience of helpful online services such as reviewing claim status and submitting non-urgent prior authorization requests.

Community Health Direct Provider Portal

*Please note, if you previously had an ePower login and password, you will need to set up a new login and password for the updated Community Health Direct provider portal.

Review the Provider Portal registration guide for helpful instructions on how to register for the new provider portal.

Please contact us at CHDProviderRelations@ecommunity.com or 317-621-7581 if you need further assistance.

VISION: We strive to simply deliver an exceptional experience - with every life we touch.

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Credentialing of NEW Providers:

Credentialing through Community Health Direct for ALL new providers takes anywhere from 90 to 120 days from notification until completion. You can find helpful forms and answers to frequently asked questions on our website.

Provider Credentialing Website

Community Health Direct Provider Relations Department CHDProviderRelations@ecommunity.com Phone: (317) 621-7581

Monthly Provider Roster Updates:

- NEW providers joining Community Health Direct—Click HERE
- TERMED Community Health Direct providers—Click HERE

Community Health Direct PPO, HDHP and EPO Health Plans 2022 Authorization Quick Reference Guide Community Health Direct supports the concept of the PCP as the "medical home" for its members. Services from Out-of-Network providers will only be considered for coverage at the In-Network level if those services are unavailable with an In-Network provider. Please submit requests as soon as possible to allow time for review. Fax your request with CPT and ICD-10 codes along with clinical documentation. Routine requests for authorizations are processed within 3 business days after receipt of all needed clinical information. Contact information Medical Management Fax: 317-621-7984 Medical Management: 317-621-7575 Provider Relations: 317-621-7581 Benefits/ Eligibility: 317-621-7565 Authorizations Required **No Authorizations Required** Requests for Out-of-Network services at In-Network Urgent Care at Urgent Care Centers, such as Med Check and coverage: Any requests for services not provided by the **Community Clinic at Walgreens** Community Health Network or In-Network providers Laboratory as listed in directory Genetic pre-natal tests outlined in the American **Durable Medical Equipment** College of Obstetricians/Gynecologists (ACOG) Durable medical purchases over \$500 -this includes guidelines, and biopsy specimens submitted at CGM sensors, wheelchairs, CPAP (initial rental/ the time of surgery purchase ONLY), hospital beds, insulin pump (initial **Durable Medical Equipment** Medical purchases less than \$500 purchase **ONLY**) **Prosthetics and Custom Orthotics** Bilirubin blankets for newborns Inpatient Notification Nebulizers All inpatient admissions, including clinical updates CPAP supplies after initial authorization for continued stay Insulin pump supplies after initial authorization Rehabilitation and Skilled Nursing Facilities Catheters **Medications** Other disposable supplies after initial Spinraza (nusinersen) authorization Prolia (denosumab) Outpatient Entyvio (vedolizumab) Colonoscopies for colorectal cancer screening Outpatient except for patients under the age of 45 **Tonsillectomies and Adenoidectomies** Dialysis and Epogen administration with dialysis Cosmetic/Aesthetic Procedures **Home Health Care Transplant Requests** Home Health Services Hospice Care (Outpatient and Inpatient) Genetic testing (Excludes prenatal tests outlined in the American College of Obstetricians / Total Parental Nutrition (TPN) Gynecologists (ACOG) guidelines, and biopsy Home oxygen Radiology specimens submitted at the time of surgery) Routine labs/genetics tests performed by out-of-All radiology services except MRI(s) Spine (includes cervical) and non-oncology related PET network laboratories Endoscopy services Scans Colonoscopies in patients under the age of 45 and **Miscellaneous Services** those that are not for colorectal cancer screening Sleep studies performed at in-network sleep labs Investigational and experimental procedures Sleep studies performed in home under the direction of an in-network sleep lab Infertility Surgeries of the neck and back **Behavioral Health** Neuropsychological testing Rhinoplasties and Septoplasties Radiology Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) MRI - Spine (includes cervical) The Community Health Direct 2022 Quick Reference Guide for PPO, HDHP Non-oncology related PET Scans and EPO plans has been updated this year to account for the change in **Behavioral Health** screening colonoscopies to age 45 and older. Additionally, intensive All inpatient admissions for behavioral health outpatient behavioral care services will no longer require a prior treatment - this includes inpatient hospital and authorization. The final change has been a prior authorization requirement partial hospitalizations (PHP) for mental health and for many years, but not listed on the Quick Reference Guide previously. For substance use disorder clarification, continuous glucose monitor sensors (CGM sensors) have been added to the list of durable medical equipment that need to be prior authorized. For more detailed questions at the CPT code level, please refer to the Procedures Requiring Prior Authorization list found on the

Provider Portal.

BE ON THE LOOKOUT...

CareSource Exiting the Indiana Medicare Advantage Market

CareSource is exiting the Indiana Medicare Advantage market <u>effective January 1, 2022</u>. In the next few months, CareSource Medicare Advantage members in Indiana will transition to other Medicare coverage. Because of this change, it is important to carefully check all patients' ID cards and verify their eligibility before rendering services.

Providers should no longer accept the following CareSource Medicare Advantage member ID card:



Please note that this change does not alter providers' existing contract with CareSource in any way. This action does not affect the following CareSource plans:

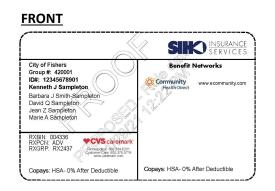
• Indiana Hoosier Healthwise and Healthy Indiana Plans

- Indiana Marketplace
- Indiana Dual Advantage

If you have questions about the CareSource Medicare Advantage plan or services for CareSource Medicare Advantage members, please contact Provider Services at: 1-844-679-7865 or visit CareSource.com.

Change to City of Fishers Plans ID Cards

The third-party administrator for the City of Fishers plans is changing from Unified Group Services to SIHO, **effective 1/1/2022.** Please see the updated member ID cards below. If you have any questions, please contact SIHO at 800-443-2980.







EpiphanyRx Prior Authorization Tips

EpiphanyRx is the pharmacy benefit manager for the community Health Direct plans. When submitting prior authorizations to EpiphanyRx, to streamline the process, please provide the following on <u>every case</u>:

- Full chart notes
- Diagnosis, severity (i.e. mild, moderate, severe) supported with documentation and clinical presentation (i.e. area of the body affected)
- All previously tried and currently utilized therapy for diagnosis with <u>dates and duration of trial and</u> <u>failure</u>

If request is for continuation of therapy detailed, specific information about out-comes must be included such as:

- Quality of Life
- Historical chart notes
- Change in symptoms
- Change in scoring, imaging, or lab values

Prior authorization forms can be found <u>HERE</u>. You must fax prior authorizations to (855) 668-8551. Please note: Covermymeds is NOT available at this time for prior authorizations for medications.

For specific diagnoses below, we recommend you include:

- Migraine Number of migraine or headache days per month and description and duration of migraines
- Psoriasis/Eczema BSA

Tips for Using Walgreens Pharmacy

Staffing issues effecting the healthcare industry are also impacting pharmacies in Indiana. This can lead to longer wait times at the pharmacy and longer processing time when obtaining medications. Here are some helpful tips for trying to obtain medications at Walgreens Pharmacies for Community Health Direct Members.

- Ask your provider to prescribe your medication as a 90-day supply (if appropriate).
- Order your refills before you run out of medications.

For Community Health Direct members:

- 30-day supply medications can normally be refilled up to 7 days before the medication is expected to run out. In response to current pharmacy concerns, this has been temporarily increased to 9 days early.
- 90-day supply medications can be refilled up to 3 weeks early.
- Prior to going to the pharmacy, check their operating hours.
- Consider having your completed prescription sent to your house via FedEx.
- Consider the use of mail-order pharmacies.

For Community Health Direct members, you can get set up with AllianceRx Walgreens Prime Home Delivery by calling customer service at 877-787-3047 or visiting <u>https://www.alliancerxwp.com/</u> <u>home-delivery</u>

• Use technology and/or automated systems to communicate with your pharmacy. Consider downloading the Walgreens app to request refills. Text RXSTATUS to 21525 to receive text alerts on your medication status.

9 **MEDICARE - Prior Authorizations** The PA program is applicable to HOPDs billing on a 13x type of bill in all US states and territories. CMS established a Prior Authorization (PA) program for the following services performed in a Hospital **Outpatient Department (HOPD):** Blepharoplasty **Botulinum Toxin Injections** Panniculectomy Rhinoplasty ٠ Vein Ablation Cervical Fusion with Disc Removal Implanted Spinal Neurostimulators (Spinal Cord Stimulators) Prior authorization request and documentation submission instructions: Prior Authorization for Hospital Outpatient Department Services (HOPD) Overview WPS GHA Form: Prior Authorization (PA) Request Form PRIIDE VALUES: Patients first. Relationships. Integrity. Inclusion. Diversity. Excellence. DEPARTMENT STAFF Managers of Provider Relations: April Woodruff - awoodruff@ecommunity.com Jenna White - jwhite2@ecommunity.com Lori White - lwhite4@ecommunity.com Salena Woodson - swoodson2@ecommunity.com **Business Information Coordinators:** Hollie Putzback - hputzback@ecommunity.com Lydia Houk - Ihouk@ecommunity.com **Provider Relations Analysts:**

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