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Creating a Pharmacy Drug PA Request

1. Select "REQUEST AN AUTH"







Select the radio dial "Pharmacy Drugs (Express Scripts Coverage) and then click CONTINUE

EviCore By EVERNORTH Eligibility Lookup Certification Requests In Progress Authorization Certification Clinical Home **Summary** Certification Lookup Thursday, August 01, 2024 4:39 PM **Request an Authorization** To begin, please select a program below: O Durable Medical Equipment(DME) Gastroenterology Lab Management Program Medical Drug Management Medical Oncology Pathways Musculoskeletal Management O Pharmacy Drugs (Express Scripts Coverage) O Radiation Therapy Management Program (RTMP) Radiology and Cardiology Sleep Management CONTINUE Click here for help

Select/Enter the prescriber's information
 Provider search will search only for providers that you have previously submitted a pharmacy drug PA request. If you have never submitted a pharmacy drug PA request for this particular prescriber, you will need to enter the provider's information manually.





a. Entering a provider – any field that has an "*" is required before continuing

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Suffix:		
First Name:*		
_ast Name:*		
Street:*		
Address 2:		
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State:*	Select a state	~
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b. Searching for a provider – Type in name and if you have submitted a case for that provider in the past, their information will populate. Click the record and all the fields will populate to allow you to continue.



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4. Enter the patient's information – all fields are required, then click SEARCH

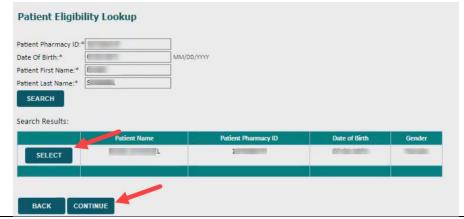






Date of Birth must be entered as DD/MM/YYYY

- c. Select the patient from the search results that appear
- d. Click CONTINUE





5. Enter the Drug Information

a. In the "Search Pharmacy Drug" field, start typing the drug name to bring back options for selecting. Click on the drug from the list

Search Pharmacy Drug

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Drug Name	Dosage Form	Drug Strength
<u>Hu</u> mira	SYRINGEKIT	40MG / 0.8ML
<u>Hu</u> mira Pen	PEN IJ KIT	40MG / 0.8ML
<u>Hu</u> mira(CF)	SYRINGEKIT	40MG / 0.8ML



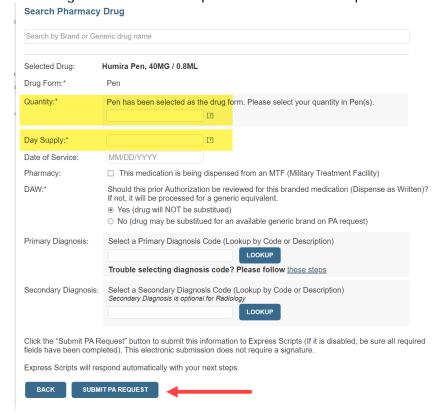
The search function engages after the 3rd letter is typed





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b. Once the drug is selected, enter additional information about how the drug is to be taken. Any field with an asterisk is required before continuing to submit the PA Request. All other fields are optional.



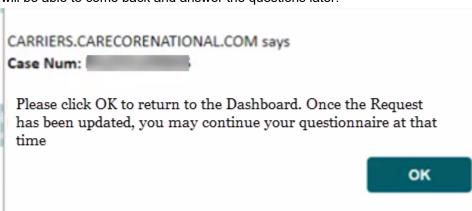


c. The data entered thus far will be submitted to Express-Scripts and the prior authorization questions for the patient's benefit plan will be returned



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	hile we retrieve the question set required for this PA. up to 60 seconds)

d. If the questionnaire fails to return, you will be automatically directed to the dashboard. We will continue to work to obtain the questionnaire and you will be able to come back and answer the questions later.









a. To answer a question, select the corresponding radio dial Questionaire

Please provide all information requested. Failure to complete this form in its entirety may result in delayed processing or the PA request will be closed for lack of information. All questions required to submit.

Questions	
Is the patient currently receiving the requested medication?	
○Yes	
○ No	
	NEXT

b. When a radio dial is selected, the NEXT will become active. Click NEXT

Questionaire

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c. Some questions will have free form entry – enter your answer by typing in the provided field

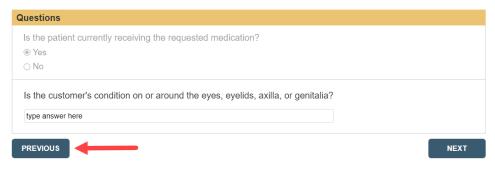


d. If need to go back and change an answer to a question, hit the PREVIOUS button



Questionaire

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- e. Upload a document as needed
 - i. Select "Choose File"
 - ii. Select document to attach



f. Continue answering questions until the "SEND TO PLAN" button activates by becoming darker in color.



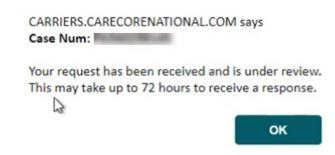


g. Once all questions have been answered and an attachment has been uploaded (if necessary), select SEND TO PLAN

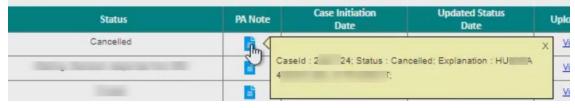


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- To save all progress, including any questions answered thus far, click "SAVE (Finish Later). You will be directed to the dashboard where you can come back later and resume activity where you stopped.
- j. To cancel all progress, including any questions answered thus far, click CANCEL REQUEST. You will be directed to the dashboard and will see that the request has been cancelled.





Dashboard (Certification Summary)



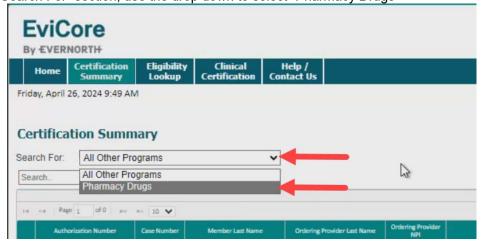
The Dashboard is where you can see both see the status of all cases you have submitted, search for other cases, or start another New Drug PA request. You can also view documents uploaded for a PA Case.

Navigating to Pharmacy Drugs Dashboard without building a case

1. From the home screen, click "Certification Summary"



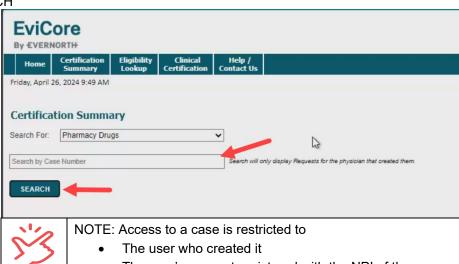
2. In the "Search For" section, use the drop down to select "Pharmacy Drugs"





Searching for a pharmacy Case

 In the Pharmacy Drugs Dashboard, type in the case number and select "SEARCH"



- The user's account registered with the NPI of the provider associated with the case
- The user has the NPI of the provider associated with the case in the Manage Your Account tab
- 2. If case is not retrieved, a message of "no data available in table" will display



- a. Can search again to ensure case number was entered correctly
- b. Go to the <u>Manage Your Account</u> tab to verify if you need to update your account with the NPI of the provider associated with the case





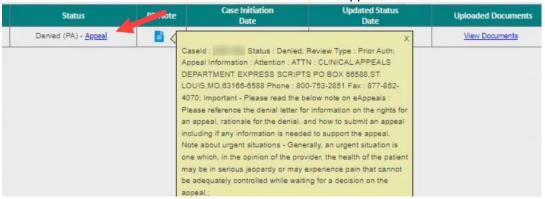
Definition of Status of cases:



- 1. Approved cases will show a status of "Approved PA"
 - a. Can hover mouse over the blue icon under the column of PA Note to see more details around that approval.



- 2. Denied cases will show a status of "Denied PA".
 - a. Can hover mouse over the blue icon under the column of PA Note to see more details around that denial and how to create an appeal



- 3. Waiting: ESI to send Question Set
 - a. This happens when the questionnaire fails to return after you have entered all the provider, patient and drug information and have submitted the PA Request. Express Scripts will be working to obtain the plan's PA Question Set so that you can complete the PA Questionnaire.

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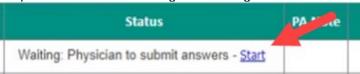


b. When the benefit plan's PA Question Set has been returned, the status will change to "Waiting: Physician to submit answers – Start"

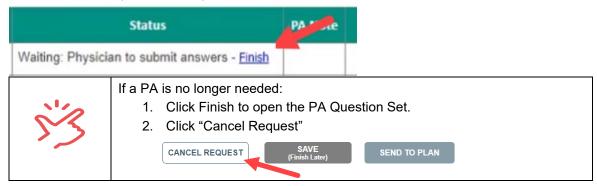


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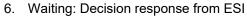
- 4. Waiting: Physician to submit answers Start
 - a. This is the notification that the PA Questionnaire is ready to be started when the questionnaire failed to return after you have entered all the provider, patient and drug information and have submitted the PA Request. Click on Start to begin answering the PA Questions.



- 5. Waiting: Physician to submit answers Finish
 - a. This is the notification that the PA Question was left incomplete and needs to be finished in order for a PA determination.
 - b. Click Finish to complete the PA questions









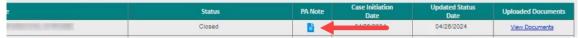
a. This is when ESI has received all the answers submitted but may take up to 72 hours to provide a response.



b. Once a response from ESI is obtained, the status will be updated on the case. You will see that updated status when you log back into the portal.

7. Closed

a. Refer to PA note what close code was received by hovering over the blue note icon



Start another New Drug PA Request from Pharmacy Drugs Dashboard

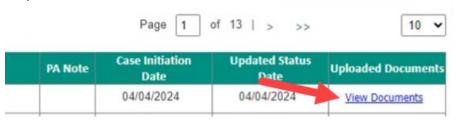
- 1. Click on "NEW DRUG PA REQUEST"
- 2. You will be automatically directed to where you can enter the provider information





Viewing uploaded documents

 Click View Documents to view documents that were uploaded as part of a PA Request

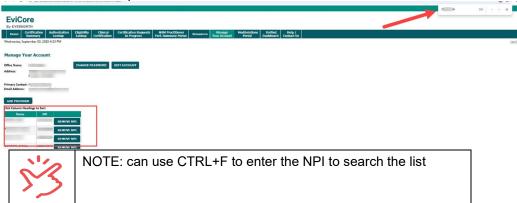


Manage Your Account:

 To add a Provider NPI numbers that should be associated with your account for access to Pharmacy Drug PA cases, select Manage Your Account tab from the header



2. Review list to ensure provider is absent





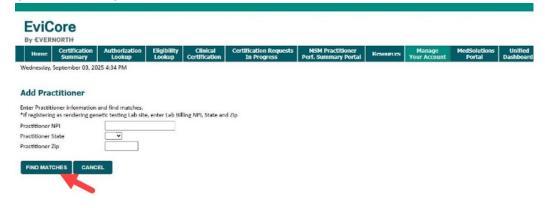


3. Select ADD PROVIDER





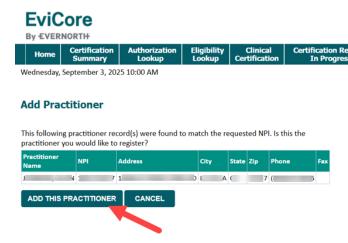
- 4. Fill in the Practitioner NPI, select the state, and enter the zip code
- 5. Click FIND MATCHES





6. Verify information is correct and then select ADD THIS PRACTITIONER





7. Review list of NPI's to verify the case has been added



- 8. Navigate to any part of the portal via the header to resume activities
 - a. Can navigate to <u>Certification Summary</u> for dashboard of cases and search for a case
 - b. Can navigate to <u>Home</u> to respond to an Express Scripts Pharmacy Initiated Prior Authorization email or fax



Appeals



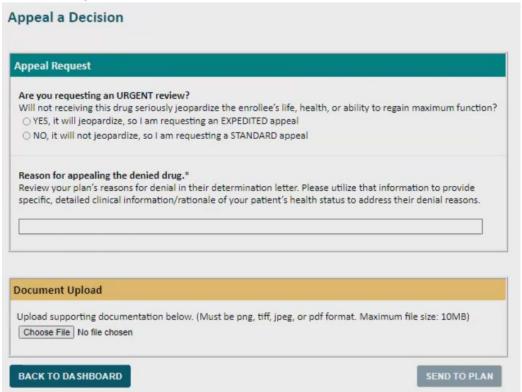
Starting an Appeal

Appeals can be electronically submitted for a previously denied request from the dashboard.

1. Click the blue Appeal link next to the denied case



2. The appeal questionnaire section will open. Enter all necessary information and click SEND TO PLAN

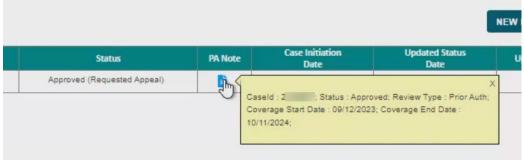


3. If don't want to submit an appeal, click "BACK TO DASHBOARD"

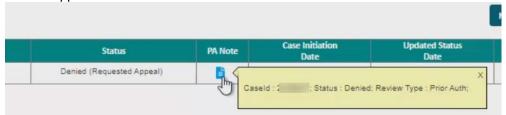


The dashboard will show you status of your appeal

1. Approved Appeal



2. Denied Appeal







Express Scripts Pharmacy Initiated Prior Authorization



To respond to either an email or fax that Express Scripts has initiated a prior authorization on either a prescription submitted to Express Scripts or for a previous prior authorization that is about to expire

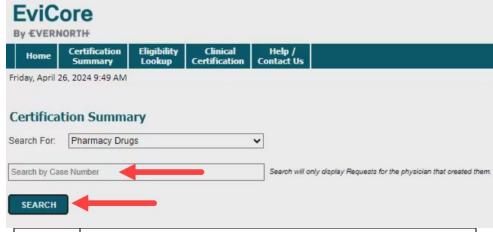
- 1. Log into your EviCore account
- 2. From the Home screen, select "ENTER PHARMACY CASE NUMBER"





You will be directed to the Certification Summary Page. Enter the pharmacy
case number from the fax or email in the "Search by Case Number" field and
click SEARCH







NOTE: Access to a case is restricted to

- The user who created it
- The user's account registered with the NPI of the provider associated with the case
- The user has the NPI of the provider associated with the case in the Manage Your Account tab
- 4. If case is not retrieved, a message of "no data available in table" will display



- a. Can search again to ensure case number was entered correctly
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5. Click on "Start" in the status field





- 5. Answer all questions presented
 - a. To answer a question, select the corresponding radio dial Questionaire

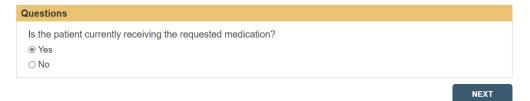
Please provide all information requested. Failure to complete this form in its entirety may result in delayed processing or the PA request will be closed for lack of information. All questions required to submit.



b. When a radio dial is selected, the NEXT will become active. Click NEXT

Questionaire

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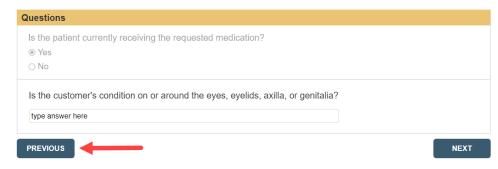


d. If need to go back and change the answer to a question, hit the PREVIOUS button

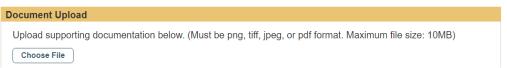


Questionaire

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- e. Upload a document as needed
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f. Continue answering questions until the "SEND TO PLAN" button activates by becoming darker in color.





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