Durable Medical Equipment (DME) Program

Provider Orientation Session for First Choice of South Carolina Family of Companies









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Company Overview

Medical Benefits Management (MBM)

eviCore, an Evernorth Health Services business, is a specialty medical benefits management company that partners with health plans to provide utilization management services

Follow link to evidence-based clinical guidelines and enter health plan

https://www.evicore.com/provider/clinical-guidelinesdetails?solution=durable%20medical%20equipment



5k⁺ employees, including **1k+ clinicians**

Dedicated team specialized in DME Utilization Management

Program Overview

First Choice of South Carolina Prior Authorization Services

eviCore healthcare (eviCore) will begin accepting prior authorization requests for Durable Medical Equipment (DME) for dates of service May 1st 2023 and after.

Applicable Membership:	Prior Authorization applies to DME:	Precertification does NOT apply
 First Choice of South Carolina Family of Health Plans First Choice by Select Health of South Carolina 	 Home Based Medically Necessary 	to services that are performed in:Hospital settingsSkilled Nursing Facilities
First Choice VIP Care PlusFirst Choice VIP Care		 Surgical settings

Providers should verify participant eligibility and benefits with AmeriHealth Caritas on the secured provider log-in section at: <u>www.navinet.net</u> or call First Choice of South Carolina Provider Services

Applicable Memberships

Precertification is required for First Choice of South Carolina Family of Companies Participants who have Durable Medical Equipment Coverage.

This includes:First Choice by Select Health of South Carolina Inc. (SHSC)First Choice VIP Care Plus (SCM1)First Choice VIP Care (DSNP)

Medical Necessity Criteria for DME Management: Medicare, Medicaid, Dual Participants

Medicare

- Medicare Benefit Policy Manual
- NCD
- LCD/LCA
- InterQual Evidence-Based Care Guidelines for DME services
- eviCore Proprietary Guidelines

Medicaid

- South Carolina state regulations
- InterQual Evidence-Based Care Guidelines for DME services
- eviCore Proprietary Guidelines

Dual Participants

- Medicare Benefit Policy manual
- NCD
- LCD/LCA
- South Carolina state regulations

DME Covered Services

- Oxygen/Related Equipment
- Diabetic Shoes
- Decubitus Care Equipment
- Hospital Beds and Accessories
- Ventilators
- Pacemaker Monitor
- CPAP's and Supplies
- Patient Lifts
- Wheelchairs
- Prosthetics

o^o^o, Orthotics EVICOPE - healthcare innevative solutions• Other

For continued rentals that did not require a precertification prior to 5/1/2023

- If a continued rental is requested, suppliers will need authorization as of 5/1. If you have authorization from AmeriHealth that goes over the time eviCore takes on Utilization Management, the authorization from AHC will be honored. If you don't have a current authorization, you will need to send to eviCore for approval.
- If the claim's start date is 5/1/2023 or after, a prior authorization must be obtained and secured before submitting a claim. If a new rental is starting 5/1 or after you will need authorization from eviCore.

To find a complete list of DME Healthcare Procedural Codes (HCPCS) that require prior authorization through eviCore, please visit:

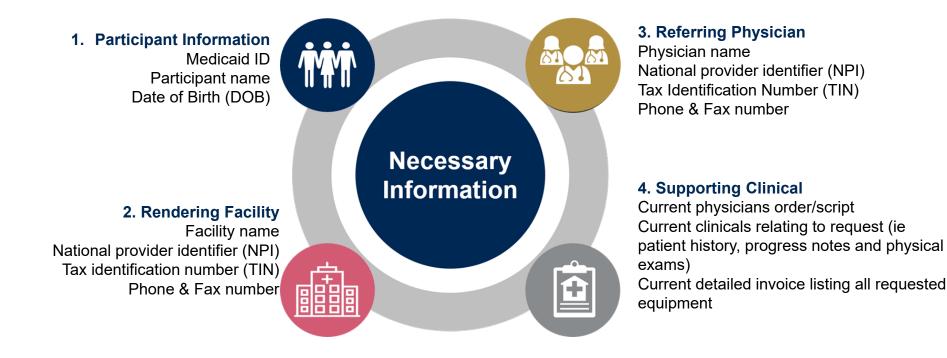
www.evicore.com/resources/healthplan/amerihealthcaritas-family-of-companies

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DME Prior Authorization Required Information and Methods to Submit Requests

Keys to Successful Prior Authorization

To obtain prior authorization on the very first submission, the provider submitting the request will need to gather four (4) categories of information:



Process for Additional Documentation Requests

If all **FOUR (4)** pieces of documentation that must be submitted to eviCore are not received, or are insufficient for eviCore to reach a determination, the following will

occur

A Hold letter will be faxed to the DME Supplier and Ordering Physician requesting additional documentation

The Supplier must fax back the additional information eviCore will review the Additional Documentation and reach a determination

- The case will remain in a hold status until the receipt of necessary clinical information or expiration of the hold period, whichever comes first.
- Routine requests may remain in a hold status for up to 8 calendar days. Urgent case hold time is up to 24 hours.
- Determination should be completed within 2 business days for a routine request and within 72 hours for an Urgent Request. But if additional clinical information is needed, a routine Medicare case could take up to 14 calendar days following receipt of request for the service and 12 days for a Medicaid case.



Methods for Precertification Requests



Other methods:

866.663.7740 for DME with precertification form

866.999.3510 for Sleep DME

877.506.5193

Hours of Operation:

Monday - Friday 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. CST Saturday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. CST Sunday 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. CST Holidays 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. CST 24 hour on call coverage

Important: eviCore recommends a completed DME precertification form for all DME requests submitted by fax

Prior Authorization Outcomes and Special Considerations

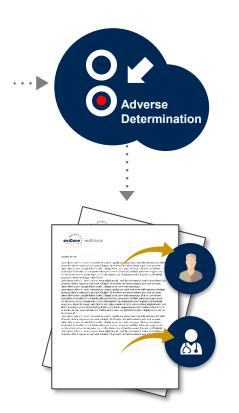
Prior Authorization Approval

Approved Requests

- Authorization start date will begin on the date of case creation, minus retroactive requests
- Purchases are usually valid for 180 days and daily rentals are usually valid for 90 days
- DME HCPCS code list is subject to change so please refer to our provider resources site and any Durable Medical Equipment announcements we send out.
- Monthly rentals are valid for how many units/months approved.
- Prior authorization letters will be faxed to the ordering physician & rendering provider and can be printed on demand from the eviCore portal at <u>www.eviCore.com</u>



Prior Authorization Outcomes - Denied Requests



Based on evidence-based guidelines, an adverse determination is made and the request is denied

A denial letter with the rationale for the decision and the appeal rights will be issued to both the provider and participant

Determination letters can be printed on demand from the eviCore portal at <u>www.evicore.com</u>

Special Circumstances

Urgent Prior Authorization Requests

- eviCore uses the NCQA/URAC definition of urgent: when a delay in decision-making may seriously jeopardize the life or health of the customer
- Can be initiated by phone (recommended), fax or portal.
- Urgent request precertification determinations will be made within 72 hours.

* Due to the shortened timeframe for an urgent decision, we will not pend the case to request additional information and the case is reviewed with the information submitted initially.



Special Circumstances cont.

Retroactive Requests

 Retrospective requests for Medicaid and Medicare cases need to be made within 180 days from the date of service. Determination letters will be sent to the member, and ordering provider within 30 days of receipt of request.

Alternate Recommendation

- An alternate recommendation for DME that is more medically appropriate may be offered, based on evidence-based clinical guidelines
- The ordering physician can accept the alternate recommendation and a new approved request will be built
- The ordering provider has up to 60 calendar days to contact eviCore to accept the alternate recommendation



Pre-Decision Options

I've received a request for additional clinical information. What's next?

Submission of Additional Clinical Information

- Providers can submit additional clinical information to eviCore for consideration per the instructions received
- Additional clinical information must be submitted to eviCore in advance of the due date referenced

Note: Ordering Physicians may speak with an eviCore MD at any time before a decision is made

Post-Decision Options

My case has been denied. What's next?

Peer-to-Peer

- Providers have 14 calendar days to submit a peer-to-peer request and eviCore has 1 business day to complete the peer-to-peer process
- Decisions can be overturned, partially overturned, or upheld, and additional information may be submitted
- After this option is exhausted or timeframe has expired, the appeals process must be followed

Appeals

• eviCore will not process first-level appeals, they must be submitted directly to the health plan

Provider Resources

Dedicated Call Center

Prior Authorization Call Center – 877-506-5193

Monday - Friday 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. CST Saturday 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. CST Sunday 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. CST Holidays 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. CST 24 hour on call coverage

Providers can contact our call center to perform one of the following:

- Request prior authorization
- Check status of existing prior authorization requests
- · Discuss questions about prior authorization and case decisions
- Change facility or HCPCS code(s) on an existing request
- Request to speak to a clinical reviewer or eviCore Medical Director
- Schedule a peer-to-peer request

Note: To ensure you have a successful experience in reaching the desired representative, please listen carefully to the phone prompts when calling the eviCore call center.



Client & Provider Operations Team

Client and Provider Services

Dedicated team to address provider-related requests and concerns including:

- Questions regarding accuracy assessment
- Requests for a prior authorization to be re-sent to the health plan
- Consumer engagement Inquiries
- Eligibility issues (participant, rendering facility, or ordering physician)
- Issues experienced during case creation

How to Contact our Client and Provider Services team

Email: <u>ClientServices@evicore.com</u> (preferred)

Phone: 800-575-4517, option 3

For prompt service, please have all pertinent information available. When emailing, make sure to include "Amerihealth DME First Choice of South Carolina" in the subject line with a description of the issue; include participant, provider and case details when applicable.

Provider Resources

Client Specific Provider Resource Pages

eviCore's Provider Experience team maintains provider resource pages that contain client and solution specific educational materials to assist providers and their staff on a daily basis. The provider resource page will include but is not limited to the following educational materials:

- Provider Training Documents
- Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) Documents
- Quick Reference Guides (QRG)
- HCPCS Precertification Certification Code List
- DME Precertification Form

To access these helpful resources, please visit

www.evicore.com/resources/healthplan/amerihealth-caritas-family-of-companies

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Provider Portal for DME

Benefits of eviCore Provider Portal

Did you know that most providers are already saving time submitting prior authorization requests online? Following are some benefits and features:

- Saves time: Quicker process than phone prior authorization requests
- Available 24/7: You can access the portal any time and any day
- Upload additional clinical information: No need to fax in supporting clinical documentation. It can be uploaded on the portal to support a new request or when additional information is requested
- Check case status in real-time
- View and print decision information

 To speak with a Portal Specialist, call 800.646.0418 (Option #2) or email <u>portal.support@evicore.com</u>

Account Registration

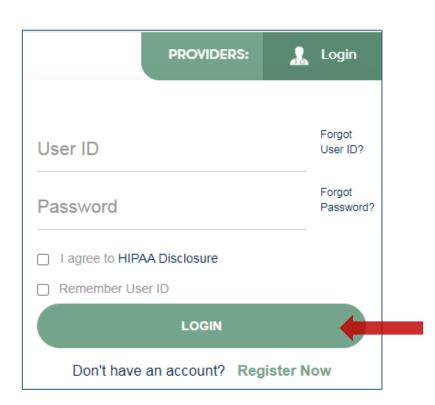
eviCore healthcare website

• Point web browser to evicore.com



Login or Register
To create a new account, click Register

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Creating An Account

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Please select the Portal that is listed in y	our provider training material. This selection determines the primary	portal that you will using to submit cases over the web.								
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User Information										
All Pre-Authorization notifications will be	e sent to the fax number and email address provided below. Please m	ake sure you provide valid information.								
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- Select CareCore National as the Default Portal, complete the User Information section in full and Submit Registration.
- You will immediately be sent an email with a link to create a password. Once you have created a password, you will be redirected to the log in page.
- Once logged in, you will have the ability to initiate a case, check a case status and much more!

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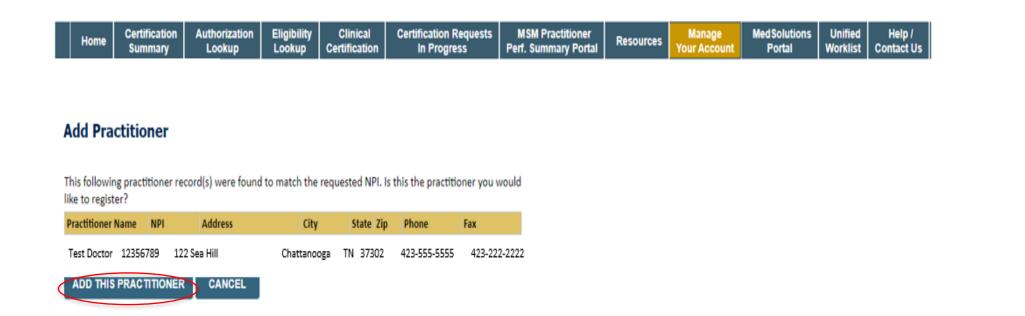
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Enter Practitioner information and find matches.

*If registering as rendering genetic testing Lab site, enter Lab Billing NPI, State and Zip

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- Enter the Practitioner NPI, State, and Zip Code to search for the Physician.
- Click on Find Matches



- Select the matching record based upon your search criteria.
- Once you have selected a practitioner, your registration will be complete



Add Practitioner

If you wish to add an additional practitioner, click the "Add Another Practitioner" button. If you are finished, click the "Continue" button to return to your account.



You can also click "Add Another Practitioner" to add another Physician to your account

Initiating A Case

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- Choose the appropriate **Insurer** for the case request.
- Once the plan is chosen, please select the ordering provider's address in the next drop down box.

Distribution Date



• Enter whether the equipment and/or supplies have been delivered yet.

Member Information

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Clinical Details

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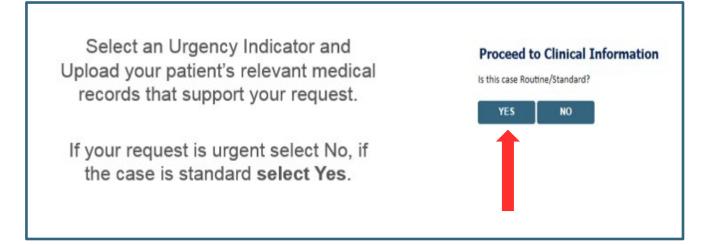
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- Verify all information entered and make any needed changes prior to moving into the clinical collection phase of the prior authorization process
- You will not have the opportunity to make changes after this point

Urgent vs Standard



Important: In order to reduce denials, a request **should not be submitted as "urgent"**, unless it meets the NCQA/URAC definition of urgent: when a delay in decision-making may seriously jeopardize the life or health of the customer. Urgent Requests determinations will be rendered within 72 hours and will be based **solely** on clinical information received within that timeframe.

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- You can click the "Finish Later" button to save your progress. You have two (2) business days to complete the case
- Clinical Certification questions populate based upon the information provided

Additional Code Requests

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- To attach documents, you will navigate to your desktop, locate the document, and choose upload
- Once complete, you can submit the case

Clinical Information – Finish Questions & Submit Case

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 Select the requested replacement tubing: Positive Airway Pressure Tubing (A7037) Tubing with Heating Element (A4604) 	SUBMIT CASE
 Select the requested humidifier type: Nonheated humidifier with PAP (E0561) Heated humidifier with PAP (E0562) 	
SUBMIT	 Next, check off the attestation and submit of Case will be either pended for medical reviewed
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Clinical Information – Example of Questions

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- You can save your request and finish later if needed
 - Note: You will have 2 business days to complete the case
 - When logged in, you can resume a saved request by going to Certification Requests in Progress

Outcome Determination

Summary of Your Request		Summary of Your Request	
Please review the details of your request below and if everything looks correct click	SUBMIT	Please review the details of your request below and if everything looks correct click SUBMIT	
Your case has been Approved.		Your case has been sent to Medical Review.	
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- Case will be either pended for medical review or approved
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Authorization Lookup

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- To look up the status of an Authorization, Select Search by Authorization Number/NPI. Enter the provider's NPI and authorization or case number. Select Search.
- You can also search for an authorization by Member Information, and enter the health plan, Provider NPI, patient's ID number, and patient's date of birth.

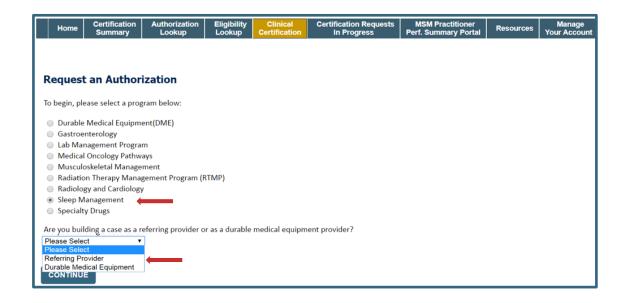
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• The authorization will then be accessible to review. To print authorization correspondence, select Uploads & Faxes.

Initiating a Sleep DME Request

Initiating a Sleep DME Related Case



 For Sleep DME related requests, after selecting Sleep Management, choose Durable Medical Equipment provider

Select Health Plan / Requesting Physician

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- Choose the appropriate Health Plan for the case request.
- Once the plan is chosen, please select the requesting provider by entering their NPI if known. This is the
 physician who is ordering the equipment.

Select Provider & Date of Service

Search for Provider by TIN, NP, provider last name, chy and/or sip. Healthplan: TIN:	Your Contact Info
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- Select the physician's correct address
- Add your contact information
- Enter the expected distribution date for the request.

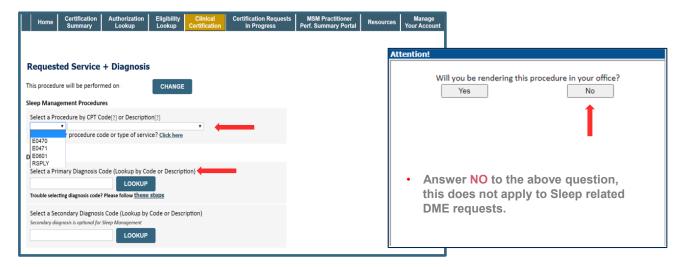
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• Enter the patient information including the Patient ID number, date of birth, and patient's last name. Click "Eligibility Lookup" and select the appropriate patient.

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Clinical Details



- Select Code and Diagnosis.
- Choose **RSPLY** if the request is for supplies only.

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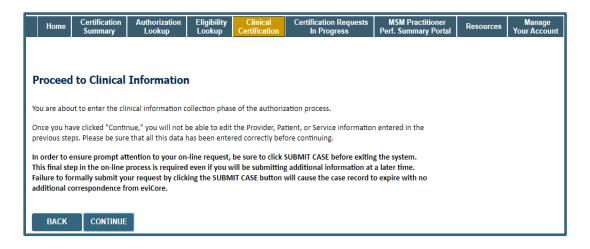
Site Selection

• Note: The site is the DME Supplier dispensing the equipment. Searching with NPI only is the most efficient.

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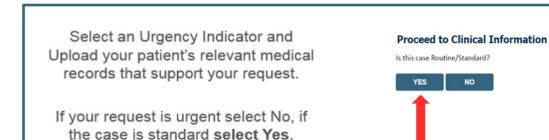
Clinical Certification



- · Verify all information entered and make any needed changes prior to moving into the clinical collection phase
- You will not have the opportunity to make changes after this point
- Answer all clinical questions appropriately

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Urgent vs. Standard



Important: In order to reduce denials, a request **should not be submitted as "urgent"** unless it meets the NCQA/URAC definition of urgent: when a delay in decision-making may seriously jeopardize the life or health of the member. Urgent requests can be initiated on the provider portal or by phone. Urgent request determinations will be rendered within 72 hours and will be based **solely** on clinical information received within that timeframe.

Clinical Information – Example of Questions

Proceed to Clinical Information

Is this request for a replacement Sleep therapy device due to the Phillips/Respironics recall?
 OYes ○ No

Requests for replacement for Respironics machines affected by the recall must have both a Provider's order/RX and a Respironics recall ID number.

SUBMIT

Proceed to Clinical Information

Is this request for APAP (Auto-titration of Positive Airway Pressure) or CPAP (Continuous Positive Airway Pressure)?

APAP (Auto-titration of Positive Airway Pressure)

CPAP (Continuous Positive Airway Pressure)

Ounknown

• On this screen, answer the questions and click on submit

Clinical Information – Example of Questions (Cont.)

Proceed to Clinical Information

What is the reason for this request?

OInitiation of CPAP

○ Replacement of CPAP device

O Member currently on PAP therapy under rental period in need of Convert To Purchase (Continuation of Rental)

○ Unknown/None of the above

SUBMIT

Proceed to Clinical Information

1 Will the individual receive instruction in the proper use and care of the PAP device and all accessories when they are set up with the machine?

● Yes ○ No ○ Unknown

It as a compliance support plan been established between the treating physician and the supplier?

● Yes ○ No ○ Unknown

SUBMIT

Answer the questions and click on submit

Clinical Information – Finish Questions & Submit Case

Proceed to Clinical Information

- Which PAP manufacturers' unit will you use for this patient's therapy?
- 3B Medical
- Fisher & Paykel
- ResMed
- Respironics
- ⊖ Other
- ③ Select the requested replacement mask:
- Combination oral/nasal mask, used with continuous positive airway pressure device (A7027)
- CPAP Full Face Mask (A7030)
- Nasal Application Device (A7034)
- O PAP Oral Interface (A7044)
- O Select the requested replacement tubing:
- O Positive Airway Pressure Tubing (A7037)
- Tubing with Heating Element (A4604)

O Select the requested humidifier type:

○ Nonheated humidifier with PAP (E0561)

○ Heated humidifier with PAP (E0562)

• On this screen, answer the questions and submit

Proceed to Clinical Information

I acknowledge that the clinical information submitted to support this authorization request is accurate and specific to this member, and that all information has been provided. I have no further information to provide at this time.

SUBMIT CASE

Click here for help

- Next, check off the attestation and submit case
- Case will be either pended for medical review
- or approve

Outcome Determination

Summary of Your Request		Summary of Your Request	
Please review the details of your request below and if everything looks correct	click SUBMIT	Please review the details of your request below and if everything looks correct click SUBMIT	
Your case has been Approved.		Your case has been sent to Medical Review.	
Provider Name: Provider Address:	Contact: Phone Number: Fax Number:	Provider Name: Provider Address:	Contact: Phone Number: Fax Number:
Patient Name: Insurance Carrier:	Patient Id:	Patient Name: Insurance Carrier:	Patient Id:
Site Name: Site Address:	Site ID:	Site Name: Site Address:	Site ID:
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Authorization Number: Review Date: Expiration Date: Status: Your case has been Approved.		Case Number: Review Date: Expiration Date: Status: Your case has been sent to Medical Review.	
CANCEL PRINT CONTINUE		CANCEL PRINT CONTINUE	

• You should save or print this screen for your records

Online P2P Scheduling Tool

How to schedule a Peer to Peer Request

- Log into your account at <u>www.evicore.com</u>
- Perform Authorization Lookup to determine the status of your request.
- Click on the "P2P Availability" button to determine if your case is eligible for a Peer to Peer conversation:

 If your case is eligible for a Peer to Peer conversation, a link will display allowing you to proceed to scheduling without any additional messaging.

P2P AVAILABILITY Request Peer to Peer Consultation

Authorization Lookup



How to schedule a Peer to Peer Request

Pay attention to any messaging that displays. In some instances, a Peer to Peer conversation is allowed, but the case decision cannot be changed. When this happens, you can still request a Consultative Only Peer to Peer. You may also click on the "All Post Decision Options" button to learn what other action may be taken.

Authorization Lookup

Authorization Number: Case Number:	NA		Request Peer to Peer Consultation
Status:	Denied		1
P2P Eligibility Result:		austed or are not delegated to eviCore. You may continue to ut it will be considered consultative only and the original decision	
P2P Status:			
ALL POST DECISION OPTIONS			

Once the "Request Peer to Peer Consultation" link is selected, you will be transferred to our scheduling software via a new browser window.

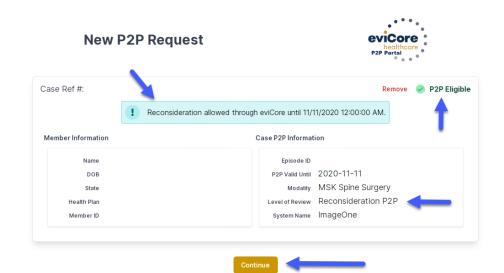
How to Schedule a Peer to Peer Request

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Upon first login, you will be asked to confirm your default time zone.

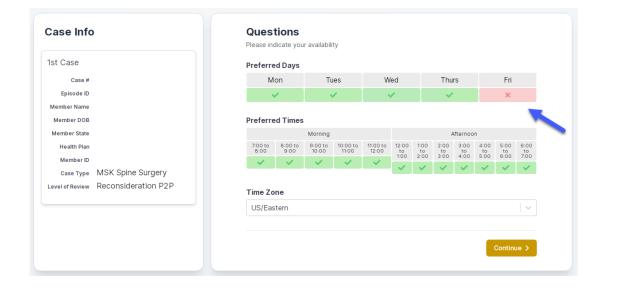
You will be presented with the Case Number and Member Date of Birth (DOB) for the case you just looked up.

You can add another case for the same Peer to Peer appointment request by selecting "Add Another Case" You will receive a confirmation screen with member and case information, including the Level of Review for the case in question. Click Continue to proceed.



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How to Schedule a Peer to Peer Request



You will be prompted to identify your preferred Days and Times for a Peer to Peer conversation. All opportunities will automatically present. Click on any green check mark to deselect the option and then click Continue. You will be prompted with a list of eviCore Physicians/Reviewers and appointment options per your availability. Select any of the listed appointment times to continue.

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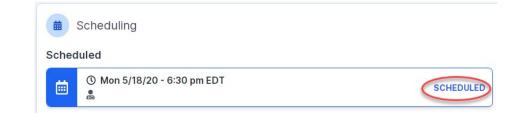
How to Schedule a Peer to Peer

Confirm Contact Details

 Contact Person Name and Email Address will auto-populate per your user credentials

Case Info	Questions	Schedule	Confirmation	
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Time 🕚 6:30 pm EDT	Dr. Jane Doe			
Reviewing Provider 👩	Contact Person Name			
Case Info	Office Manager John D	oe		
	Contact Person Locatio			
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Case # Episode ID	Phone Number for P2P		Phone Ex	
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- Be sure to update the following fields so that we can reach the right person for the Peer to Peer appointment:
 - Name of Provider Requesting P2P
 - Phone Number for P2P
 - Contact Instructions
- Click submit to schedule appointment. You will be presented with a summary page containing the details of your scheduled appointment.



Canceling or Rescheduling a Peer to Peer Appointment

To cancel or reschedule an appointment

- Access the scheduling software per the instructions above
- Go to "My P2P Requests" on the left pane navigation.
- Select the request you would like to modify from the list of available appointments
- Once opened, click on the schedule link. An appointment window will open
- Click on the Actions drop-down and choose the appropriate action

If choosing to reschedule, you will have the opportunity to select a new date or time as you did initially.

If choosing to cancel, you will be prompted to input a cancellation reason



Close browser once done

Thank You!





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