## Gastroenterology

### **Provider Orientation Session for Network Health**



network health



Empowering the Improvement of Care

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# **Company Overview**

## 100M Members Managed

# **1 O** Comprehensive Solutions



The industry's most comprehensive clinical evidence-based guidelines



5k<sup>+</sup> employees including **1k clinicians** 

Engaging with 570k<sup>+</sup> providers



Advanced, innovative, and intelligent technology



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#### **Gastroenterology - Our Tenth Solution!**



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# Our Clinical and Service Approach



## **Evidence-Based Guidelines**

#### The foundation of our solutions

#### **Aligned with National Societies:**

- American Society for Gastrointestinal Endoscopy
- American College of Physicians
- American College of Gastroenterology
- American Gastroenterological Association
- Canadian Association of Gastroenterology
- European Society of Gastrointestinal Endoscopy

## Clinical Staffing – Multi-Specialty Expertise

#### Dedicated nursing and physician specialty teams for various solutions

- Anesthesiology
- Cardiology
- Ohiropractic
- Emergency Medicine
- Family Medicine
  - Family Medicine / OMT
  - Public Health & General Preventative Medicine
- Gastroenterology
- Internal Medicine
  - Cardiovascular Disease
  - Critical Care Medicine
  - Endocrinology, Diabetes
     & Metabolism
  - Gastroenterology
  - Geriatric Medicine
  - Hematology
  - Hospice & Palliative Medicine
  - Medical Oncology
  - Pulmonary Disease
  - Rheumatology
  - Sleep Medicine
  - Sports Medicine

- Medical Genetics
- Nuclear Medicine
- OB/GYN
- Maternal-Fetal Medicine
- Oncology / Hematology
- Orthopedic Surgery
- Otolaryngology
  - Pain Mgmt. / Interventional Pain
- Pathology
  - Clinical Pathology
  - Pediatric
    - Pediatric Cardiology
    - Pediatric Hematology-Oncology
  - Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation Pain Medicine
  - Physical Therapy
  - Radiation Oncology
  - Radiology
  - Diagnostic Radiology
    - Neuroradiology
    - Radiation Oncology
    - Vascular & Interventional Radiology

- Sleep Medicine
- Sports Medicine
- Surgery
  - Cardiac
  - General
  - Neurological

400+

Medical

Directors

Covering

51

different

specialties

- Spine
- Thoracic
- Vascular
- O Urology

## **800+** Nurses

### Why Our Service Delivery Model Works

One centralized intake point

allows for timely identification, tracking, trending, and reporting of all issues. It also enables eviCore to quickly identify and respond to systemic issues impacting multiple providers. **Complex issues are escalated to resources** who are the subject matter experts and can quickly coordinate with matrix partners to address issues at a rootcause level. Routine issues are handled by a <u>team</u> of representatives who are cross trained to respond to a variety of issues. There is no reliance on a single individual to respond to your needs.

# **Program Overview**

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## Gastroenterology

eviCore healthcare will begin accepting prior authorization requests for Gastroenterology services on 6/29/2021 for dates of service 7/1/2021 and beyond.

#### Prior Authorization applies to the following services:

- Esophagogastroduodenoscopy (EGD)
- Capsule Endoscopy (CAP)
- · Colonoscopy (COL), non-screening only

## Prior Authorization does **NOT** apply to services that are in:

- Emergency Room Services
- 23 Hour Observations
- Inpatient Stays

#### Monitored Anesthesia Care (MAC)

All ancillary procedure codes, including Monitored Anesthesia, performed in conjunction with <u>denied services</u>, are not covered and will likely not be reimbursed by Network Health if performed.

#### **Provider Resource Page**

Providers and/or staff can utilize Network Health Provider Resource page to access a list of covered CPT codes, Clinical Worksheets, FAQs, Quick Reference Guides, and additional educational materials by visiting:

https://www.evicore.com/resources/healthplan/network-healthwisconsin?solutionid=061D5D92-A3E1-42CF-96C2-3A96ABDF4F15#solutiondocs

## **Colonoscopy Management**

Non-screening and surveillance colonoscopies will be reviewed in this program

- > All non-screening colonoscopies will require medical necessity review.
- > If an authorization is not on file for non-screening colonoscopy, claims payment may be denied.
- Network Health Plan will conduct retrospective claims analyses on screening colonoscopies to ensure proper utilization of screening indications.
- > Medical necessity review is not required for average-risk\* or high-risk\*\* screening colonoscopies
  - \* Average risk applies to those asymptomatic individuals undergoing a screening colonoscopy with no previously diagnosed colon cancer, colonic adenomas, or inflammatory bowel disease involving the colon.
  - \*\* High risk apples to those asymptomatic individuals undergoing screening colonoscopy due to family history of colorectal cancer or polyps.

## More on Colonoscopy Management

As you know, colonoscopies are performed for two basic reasons:

- > for asymptomatic, routine colorectal cancer screening and
- for diagnostic reasons or for surveillance of a previous colonoscopy's findings.

For this program, asymptomatic routine screening colonoscopies do NOT require an authorization with eviCore and ONLY surveillance/diagnostic colonoscopies do.

For cases in which the indication for the colonoscopy is asymptomatic routine colorectal cancer screening, should the procedure become therapeutic (e.g., removal of a polyp) during its course, authorization is <u>not</u> required.

In this situation, the code for the therapeutic procedure should be submitted with a PT modifier (or, in the case of Medicare- modifier 33) signifying that the colonoscopy started as screening but turned therapeutic due to the detection of polyps or other abnormalities during the procedure.

## **News about Colorectal Cancer Screenings**

#### While this program does <u>not</u> require prior authorization for

#### Colorectal Cancer Screenings, we wanted to share an

#### important update.

- In May 2021 the United States Preventative Task Force (USPSTF) published the anticipated update to their recommendation for the age at which to be screened.
- > The updated USPSTF recommendation is to be effective January, 2022.
- As a result of this anticipated update, Network Health proactively adopted this recommendation, and <u>has already begun</u> to cover Colorectal Cancer Screenings for patients ages 45 to 49 years.



## **Prior Authorization Process**



By submitting Prior Authorization requests through eviCore's online portal, providers have the potential to receive immediate authorization. Please ensure all necessary clinical information has been provided when answering the clinical pathway (clinical collection process) questions.

## **Non-Clinical Information Needed**

## The following information <u>must</u> be provided to initiate the prior authorization request:

#### **Member Information**

- First and Last Name
- Date of Birth
- Member Identification Number
- Phone Number (If Applicable)

#### **Ordering Physician Information**

- First and Last Name
- Practice Address
- National Provider Identification (NPI) Number
- Tax Identification Number (TIN)
- Phone and Fax Numbers

#### **Rendering Facility Information**

- Facility Name
- Street Address (i.e. 111 Tennessee Rd. Franklin, TN 37067)
- National Provider Identification (NPI) Number
- Tax Identification Number (TIN)
- Phone and Fax Numbers





## **Clinical Information Needed**

## If clinical information is needed, please be able to supply the following information:

- A relevant history and physical examination
- A relevant summary of the patient's clinical condition
- Imaging and/or pathology and/or laboratory reports as indicated relevant to the requested procedure
- Co-morbidities if relevant
- The indication for the specified procedure
- Prior treatment regimens (for example, appropriate clinical trial of conservative management, if indicated)
- Results of prior endoscopic procedures if relevant
- Genetic testing results, if applicable

## **Prior Authorization Process**

- Questions are included in the pathway to help eviCore create a case correctly.
- Clinical information is required to determine whether the services requested are medically necessary.
- To assist provider's understanding of the medical necessity expectations, we have resources available on our website:
  - Specific questions and answers about Gastroenterology procedures can be found under solution resources for Gastroenterology: FAQs and eviCore delegated CPT code lists are available
  - Clinical Guidelines are also available on our Providers Hub (screen shots shown later in the presentation)
- Medicare cases with incomplete or missing information will receive special handling. CMS allows eviCore to reach out multiple times over a 14 day period to obtain the information required to complete our review.
- > Missing or incomplete clinical information will delay case processing.

## **Insufficient Clinical – Additional Documentation Needed**

#### **Additional Documentation to Support Medical Necessity**

If all required pieces of documentation are not received, or are insufficient for eviCore to reach a determination, the following will occur:

A Hold Letter will be faxed to the Requesting Provider inviting additional documentation

To ensure that a determination is completed within the designated timeframe for each LOB, the case will remain on hold as follows:

- Medicare: 1 calendar day
- Commercial: 10 calendar days

The Provider will need to submit the additional information to eviCore

Requested information must be received within the timeframe as specified in the Hold Letter. eviCore will review theadditional documentation and reach a determination

Determinations will be completed within 14 calendar days

# Prior Authorization Outcomes & Special Considerations

## **Prior Authorization Outcomes**

#### **Approvals and Denials**

#### **Approved Requests**

- Requests are processed within 2 business days **Approval Letter** after receipt of all necessary clinical information.
- Authorizations are typically valid for 90 days from the date of the final determination.

#### **Denied Requests**

- Communication of the denial determination and rationale.
- Instructions on how to request a Clinical Consultation.

- The letter will be faxed to the ordering physician and performing facility.
- The member will receive the letter in the mail.
- Approval information can be printed on demand from the eviCore portal.

#### **Denial Letter**

- The letter will be faxed to the ordering physician and performing facility.
- The member will receive the letter in the mail.
- The letter will contain the denial rationale and appeal options and instructions.



## **Reconsideration Options**

#### **Reconsiderations – available only for Commercial memberships**

Physicians and/or staff can request a reconsideration by submitting additional clinical information without the need for a physician to participate.

Reconsideration must be requested on or before the anticipated date the services will be performed. Reconsiderations are available in most states and should be submitted prior to submitting an appeal request.

#### **Clinical Consultations**

If a request requires further clinical review, we welcome requests for a Clinical Consultation with an eviCore Medical Director. In certain instances (non-Medicare), additional clinical information provided during the consultation is sufficient to satisfy the medical necessity criteria for approval.

Physicians, Nurse Practitioners and Physician Assistants can request a clinical consultation directly through the portal via Authorization Lookup (shown later in this presentation)



## **Special Circumstances**

#### **Appeals**

 eviCore will not be delegated to process appeals at this time for gastroenterology procedures. Appeals should be submitted directly to Network Health by following the appeal instructions referenced in the denial letter.

#### **Retrospective (Retro) Authorization Requests**

- All Retrospective requests must be submitted within 7 business days from the date the services were
  performed. Retrospective requests that are submitted beyond this time frame would be advised to submit an
  appeal.
- Retrospective authorization requests are reviewed for medical necessity.

#### **Urgent Prior Authorization Requests**

- Urgent requests can now be submitted on eviCore's website <u>www.evicore.com</u>. When asked "Is this request standard/routine?" simply answer no and the case will be sent to the urgent work list.
- Providers and/or staff can also contact our office by phone and state that the prior authorization request is Urgent. Urgent request will be reviewed within 24 hours upon receiving the prior authorization request.
- Medically urgent outpatient procedures must meet the NCQA definition of medical urgency requests defined as conditions that are a risk to the patient's life, health, ability to regain maximum function, or the patient is having severe pain that requires a medically urgent procedure.



## **Provider Portal Overview** Registration

## eviCore Provider Portal



The eviCore online portal is the quickest, most efficient way to request prior authorization and check authorization status and is available 24/7.

By visiting <u>www.eviCore.com</u> providers can spend their time where it matters most — with their patients!

Or by phone: (866) 668 -9250

> 7:00 a.m. to 7:00p.m. Monday - Friday

## **Portal Compatibility**

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#### **Provider's Hub**

#### **Portal Login**

User ID			Forgot User ID?
Password			Forgot Password?
I agree to HIPAA	Disclosure		
Remember User I	D		
	LOGIN		
	Don't have an account?	Register Now	

The eviCore.com website is compatible with the following web browsers:

- Google Chrome
- Mozilla Firefox
- Internet Explorer 9, 10, and 11

You may need to disable pop-up blockers to access the site. For information on how to disable pop-up blockers for any of these web browsers, please refer to our <u>Disabling Pop-Up Blockers guide</u>.

### eviCore healthcare Website

#### Visit www.evicore.com



**Portal Login** 

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#### Already a user?

If you already have access to eviCore's online portal, simply login with your User ID and Password and begin submitting requests real-time!

#### Don't have an account?

Click "Register Now" and provide the necessary information to receive access today!

## **Registration Form**

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#### Review information provided, and click "Submit Registration"

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## **User Access Agreement**

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Accept the Terms and Conditions, and click "Submit."

## **Registration Successful**



You will receive a message on the screen confirming your registration is successful. You will be sent an email to create your password.

Registration Successfu

Your Registration has been accepted. An email has been sent to your registered email account allowing you to set your password. Please close the browser.

#### Your password must be at least (8) characters long and contain the following:

#### **Password Maintenance**

Please set up a new password for your account. Note: The password must be at least 8 characters long and contains the following categories : Uppercase letters, Lowercase letters, Numbers and special characters.	Lowercase letters
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## **Account Login**

#### To log-in to your account, enter your User ID and Password.

Agree to the HIPAA Disclosure, and click "Login."

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# **Provider Portal Overview**

### Adding Providers

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## **Welcome Screen**



Your provider will need to be added to your account prior to case submission. Click the "Manage Your Account" tab to add provider information.

## **Adding Providers**

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## **Adding Providers**

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#### **Add Practitioner**

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 Provider's NPI, State, and Zip Code to search for the provider record to add to your account.

You are able to add multiple Providers to your account.

## **Adding Providers**

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#### **Add Practitioner**

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Select the matching record based upon your search criteria

Log Off
### **Adding Providers and/or Laboratories**



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#### **Add Practitioner**

Thank you for registering on the CareCore National website. If you wish to add an additional practitioner, click the "Add Another Practitioner" button. If you are finished, click the "Continue" button to complete the registration process.



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> Once you have selected a practitioner, your registration will be completed. You can then access the "Manage Your Account" tab to make any necessary updates or changes.

> > You can also click "Add Another Practitioner" to add another provider to your account.

# **Provider Portal Overview**

Submitting Online Prior Authorization Requests

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# **Initiating A Request**



Choose "request a clinical certification/procedure" to begin a new case request.

### **Select Program**

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#### **Request an Authorization**

- To begin, please select a program below:
- Durable Medical Equipment(DME)
- Gastroenterology
- Lab Management Program
- O Medical Oncology Pathways
- O Musculoskeletal Management
- Radiation Therapy Management Program (RTMP)
- O Radiology and Cardiology
- O Sleep Management
- O Specialty Drugs

#### CONTINUE

#### Click here for help

#### Select the Program for your certification and indicate if you are requesting as a referring provider or rendering lab.

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#### **Select Provider**

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#### **Requesting Provider Information**

Select the provider for whom you want to submit an authorization request. If you don't see them listed, click Manage Your Account to add them.

Filter Last Name





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#### Select the Practitioner/Group for whom you want to build a case.

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### **Select Health Plan**



Don't see the insurer you're looking for? Please call the number on the back of the member's card to determine if an authorization through eviCore is required.

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Choose the appropriate Health Plan for the case request. If the health plan does not populate, please contact the plan at the number found on the member's identification card.

# **Contact Information**



#### Click here for help

#### Enter the Provider's name and appropriate information for the point of contact individual.

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# **Member Information**



### **Clinical Details**

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	Select a Secondary Diagnosis Code (Lookup by Code or Description) Secondary diagnosis is optional for Gastroenterology	

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### **Verify Service Selection**



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### **Site Selection**



Select the specific site where the testing/treatment will be performed.

### **Clinical Collection Process**



#### **Proceed to Clinical Information**

You are about to enter the clinical information collection phase of the authorization process.

Once you have clicked "Continue," you will not be able to edit the Provider, Patient, or Service information entered in the previous steps. Please be sure that all this data has been entered correctly before continuing.

In order to ensure prompt attention to your on-line request, be sure to click SUBMIT CASE before exiting the system. This final step in the on-line process is required even if you will be submitting additional information at a later time. Failure to formally submit your request by clicking the SUBMIT CASE button will cause the case record to expire with no additional correspondence from eviCore.



Click here for help

Verify all information entered and make any needed changes prior to moving into the clinical collection phase of the prior authorization process

# **Urgency Indicator**



Tuesday, March 30, 2021 11:24 AM

#### Proceed to Clinical Information

Is this case Routine/Standard?



#### Select an Urgency Indicator and Upload your patient's relevant medical records that support your request.

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# **Clinical Collection Process - Pathway Questions**



#### Proceed to Clinical Information

Please select the CPT code you plan to perform. 091110 091111

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#### A few preliminary questions will be asked to direct to the right set of clinical questions.

Click here for help



#### **Proceed to Clinical Information**

What is the date of the most recent contact with the requesting provider for this problem? (Enter an approximate date if the exact date is not known)



If additional information is required, you will have the option to either free hand text in the additional information box, or you can mark Yes to additional info and click submit to bring you to the upload documentation page.



#### **Proceed to Clinical Information**

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Small Bowel Tumors
Other not listed

Did you know? You can save a certification request to finish later.

Select the primary reason for the requested capsule endoscopy.

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#### **Proceed to Clinical Information**

Please select the PRIMARY reason for Capsule Endoscopy.

Screening and Surveillance of individuals with a Genetic Syndrome (Polyposis, Peutz-Jehger's, etc.) Individual is unable to tolerate endoscopic procedure GI bleeding Known Celiac Disease Suspected or Known Crohn's Disease Small Bowel Tumors Other not listed

Did you know? You can save a certification request to finish later.

If you need to confirm information you are entering or need to add additional data check "finish later" and then the submit button. You will have 48 hours to complete the case.

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#### **Proceed to Clinical Information**

O Are any of the following signs or symptoms present?



Finish Later

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#### **Proceed to Clinical Information**

Has the individual had an EGD?

 Yes
 No
 Unknown



Finish Later

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#### **Proceed to Clinical Information**

- Please select the appropriate result.
- ONegative/Normal
- Oldentified cause of GI bleed
- O None of the above
- OUnknown



Finish Later

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#### **Proceed to Clinical Information**

Ites Colonoscopy? ○Yes ○No ○Unknown



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#### **Proceed to Clinical Information**

- O Please select the appropriate result.
- Negative/Normal
- O Identified cause of GI bleed
- O None of the above
- OUnknown



#### Finish Later

Did you know? You can save a certification request to finish later.



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### **Clinical Collection Process – Clinical Upload**



#### **Proceed to Clinical Information**

Output to a set of the set of

O Yes, I am ready to upload the record. (If Urgent/Expedited case, upload is required)

○ No, I will upload at a later time

#### SUBMIT

#### 🗌 Finish Later

Did you know? You can save a certification request to finish later.

#### Providing clinical information via the web is the quickest, most efficient method.

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### **Clinical Collection Process – Clinical Upload +**



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#### **Proceed to Clinical Information**

You may have noticed the removal of clinical surveys in the workflow or been requested to upload clinical at the beginning of the case submission process. This has been done in an effort to streamline your case submission process.

Want to learn more?

Click here for more details.

#### SUBMIT

Finish Later

Did you know? You can save a certification request to finish later.

### **Clinical Collection Process – Clinical Upload +**



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#### **Proceed to Clinical Information**



Please upload any additional clinical information that justifies the medical necessity of this request.

Browse for file to upload (max size 5MB, allowable extensions .DOC,.DOCX,.PDF,.PNG):

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### **Clinical Certification Statements**



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#### **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.

Is this case Routine/Standard?



### **Clinical Certification – Approval Case Summary**



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# **Clinical Certification – Pending Case Summary**

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Summary of Your Request	everything looks correct click CONTINUE	Once the clinical pathway
Your case has been sent to clinical review. Yo call 1-800-420-3471.	u will be notified via fax within 2 business days if additional clinical information is needed. If you wish to speak w	with eviCore at anytime, please clinical criteria, the status
Provider Name: Provider Address:	Contact: Phone Number: Fax Number:	will reflect pending. At the
Patient Name: Insurance Carrier:	Patient Id:	stating "Your case has been
Site Name: Site Address:	Site ID:	sent to clinical review".
Primary Diagnosis Code: Secondary Diagnosis Code:	Description: Description:	Drint the correspondent are in
Date of Service: CPT Code: Case Number:	Description:	the patient's file.
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# **Certification Summary**

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- CareCore National Portal now includes a Certification Summary tab, to better track your recently submitted cases.
- The work list can also be filtered as seen above.

# **Building Additional Cases**



#### Success

Thank you for submitting a request for clinical certification. Would you like to:

- · Return to the main menu
- Start a new request
- Resume an in-progress request

You can also start a new request using some of the same information.

Start a new request using the same:

Program (Gastroenterology)

○ Provider

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Return to the main menu, resume an in-progress request, or start a new request. You can indicate if any of the previous case information will be needed for the new request.

# **Eligibility Lookup Tool**

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# **Authorization Lookup Tool**



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.

# **Authorization Lookup Tool (Continued)**



#### Authorization Lookup

Authorization Number	:
Case Number:	
Status: P2P Status:	Approved
Approval Date: Service Code:	3/30/2021 11:58:21 AM GECAP
	CHANGE SERVICE CODE
Service Description: Site Name:	Capsule Endoscopy
Expiration Date:	9/26/2021
Date Last Updated:	3/30/2021 11:58:21 AM
Correspondence:	UPLOADS & FAXES

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The authorization will then be accessible to review. To print authorization correspondence, select View Correspondence.

### 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:	NA		
Case Number:			Request Peer to Peer Consultation
Status:	Denied		
P2P Eligibility Result:	Post-decision options for this case have been exhausted or are not delegated to eviCore. You may continue to schedule a Peer to Peer discussion for this case but it will be considered consultative only and the original decision cannot be modified.		
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

Case Info	Questions	Schedule	Confirmation
New P2P Requ	est		evicore healthcare P2P Portal
Case Reference Numb	er Case information	n will auto-populate from	prior lookup
Member Date of Bir	+ Add Another	Case	
			Lookup Cases >

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.



### 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.

The list of physicians returned are all trained and prepared to have a Peer to Peer discussion for this case.							
Prev Week	5/18/2020 - 5/24/2020 (Upcoming week)						
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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	
P2P Info	P2P Contact D	etails		
Date 🗰 Mon 5/18/20	Name of Provider Reque	sting P2P		
Time 🕚 6:30 pm EDT	Dr. Jane Doe			
	Contact Person Name			
Case Info	Office Manager John D	De		
1st Case	Contact Person Locatio	n		
Case #	Provider Office	\$		
Episode ID	Phone Number for P2P		Phone Ext	
Member Name	2 (555) 555-5555 <		1234	5
Member DOB Member State	Alternate Phone		Phone Ext	
Health Plan	J (XXX) XXX-XXXX		🤳 Phon	e Ext.
Member ID	Requesting Provider Em	ail		
Level of Review Reconsideration P2P	droffice@internet.com			
	Contact Instructions			
	Select option 4, ask for	Dr. Doe		
			Sub	mit 🔪

- 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

# **Provider Resources**

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### **Provider Resources**

#### Prior Authorization Call Center – 855-727-7444

Our call centers are open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. (local time). Providers can contact our call center to do one of the following:

- Request Prior Authorization
- Check Status of existing authorization requests
- Discuss questions regarding authorizations and case decisions
- Change facility or CPT Code(s) on an existing case
- Request to speak to a clinical reviewer
- Schedule a clinical consultation with an eviCore Medical Director



### **Online Provider Resources**

#### Web Based Services and Online Resources

- You can access important tools, health plan specific contact information and resources at <u>www.evicore.com</u>
- Select the Resources to view Clinical Guidelines, Online Forms, and more.
- The Quick Reference Tool can be found by clicking the resources tab then select Find Contact Information, under the Learn How to section. Simply select Network Health and Solution to populate the contact phone and fax numbers as well as the appropriate legacy portal to utilize for case requests.
- Provider forums and portal training are offered weekly, you can find a session on <u>www.eviCore.WebEx.com</u>, select WebEx Training, and search upcoming for a "eviCore Portal Training" or "Provider Resource Review Forum"

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	CLINICAL GUIDELINES	I Would Like To Request a Consultation with a Clinical Peer Reviewer				
	Clinical Worksheets Network Standards/Accreditations Provider Playbooks					
		Request an Appeal or Reconsideration Receive Technical Web Support				
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The quickest, most efficient way to request prior authorization is through our provider portal. We have a dedicated **Web Support** team that can assist providers in navigating the portal and addressing any web related issues during the online submission process.

To speak with a Web Specialist, call (800) 646-0418 (Option #2) or email portal.support@evicore.com

## **More online 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:

- Frequently Asked Questions
- Quick Reference Guides
- Solution PowerPoint Overview
- Announcements
- Detailed list of procedure codes that require prior authorization
- To access these helpful resources, please visit: <u>https://www.evicore.com/resources/healthplan/network-health-wisconsin</u>

Network Health Wisconsin Provider Services: 800-207-5769 TTY/TDD# 800-947-3529 Fax 920-720-1918



### **Provider Services -** Resolution of Issues

#### **Client and Provider Services**

eviCore healthcare has a dedicated Client and Provider Services team to address provider related requests and concerns. In most instances, this team can provide a resolution within 24-48 hours from the date the request was submitted. Here are some common requests that can be sent to our Client and Provider Services team for assistance:

- Questions regarding Accuracy Assessment, Accreditation, and/or Credentialing
- Requests for an authorization to be resent to the health plan
- Eligibility issues (member, rendering facility, and/or ordering physician)
- Issues experienced during case creation

#### How to Contact our Client and Provider Services team

Email: <u>ClientServices@evicore.com</u>

Phone: 1 (800) 646 - 0418 (option 4)

For prompt service, please have all pertinent information available when calling Client Services. If emailing, make sure to include a description of the issue with member/ provider/case details when applicable. Outside of normal business hours, please e-mail Client Services with your inquiry.

eviCore uses the Cherwell Ticketing System for all email inquiries. You will be assigned a ticket number starting with T. This number will identify a specific issue which you have provided for review.



# **Provider Engagement Team**

#### **Provider Engagement team**

Regional team that on-boards providers for new solutions and provides continued support to the provider community. How can the provider engagement team help?

- Partner with the health plan to create a market-readiness strategy for a new and/or existing program
- Conduct onsite and WebEx provider-orientation sessions
- Provide education to supporting staff to improve overall experience and efficiency
- Create training materials
- Monitor and review metrics and overall activity
- · Conduct provider-outreach activities when opportunities for improvement have been identified
- Generate and review provider profile reports specific to a TIN or NPI
- Facilitate clinical discussions with ordering providers and eviCore medical directors

#### How to contact the Provider Engagement team?

You can find a list of Regional Provider Engagement Managers at <u>evicore.com</u>  $\rightarrow$  Provider's Hub  $\rightarrow$  Training Resources

## **Provider Newsletter**

#### **Stay Updated With Our Free Provider Newsletter**

eviCore's provider newsletter is sent out to the provider community with important updates and tips. If you are interested in staying current, feel free to subscribe:

- Go to eviCore.com
- Scroll down and add a valid email to subscribe
- You will begin receiving email provider newsletters with updates



# **Thank You!**

