# PROVIDER PORTAL MIGRATION

**Provider Orientation Session** for Cigna Healthcare<sup>™</sup> Commercial Members

December 2025



# **Agenda**



#### **What is Changing**

Provider portal change eP360 convergence to EviCore.com for Home Heath (HH) and Durable Medical Equipment (DME)

#### **Submitting Requests via EviCore.com**

Portal Case Build

**Provider Resources** 







# **Cigna Commercial Prior Authorization Services**

Starting **December 18**, **2025**, Prior authorization requests for **Cigna Healthcare Home Health services** will need to be submitted through <u>Provider's Hub | EviCore by Evernorth</u> rather than ep360.



# EviCore By EVERNORTH

#### **Applicable Membership**

Cigna Commercial members (EviCore will do the case build only)

#### Prior authorization applies to the following services

- Nursing
- Therapies
- Social Work
- Home Health Aides

Home Healthcare (HHC) agencies are responsible to submit authorization requests for HHC services for members discharging from the hospital and post-acute care (PAC) facilities.

Providers should verify member eligibility and benefits on the secured provider log-in section at: <u>Cigna for Health Care Professionals</u>

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#### **Applicable Membership**

Cigna Commercial members (EviCore will do the case build only)

#### Prior authorization applies to the following services

Cigna Commercial DME Code List

DME agencies are responsible to submit authorization requests for DME services for members discharging from the hospital and post-acute care (PAC) facilities.

Providers should verify member eligibility and benefits on the secured provider log-in section at: <u>Cigna for Health Care Professionals</u>

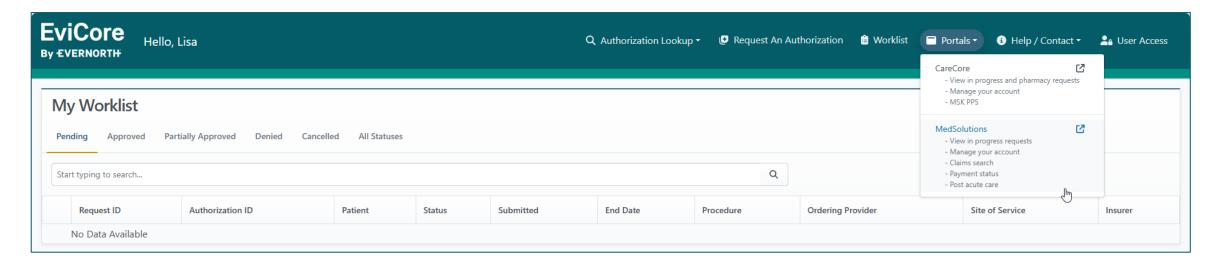
# Home Health (HH), Durable Medical Equipment (DME), and Sleep

Service	Service includes	Clinical Reviewer	How to Submit	Precertification Required Codes
НН	Nursing, Home health aids, therapies and social work	Cigna	Submit via EviCore.com Phone: 866-668-9250 Fax: 855-826-3724	To find a complete list of procedure codes that require pre-certification, please visit:  Cigna Provider Resources   EviCore by Evernorth
DME	Home based and Medically Necessary	Cigna	Submit via EviCore.com Phone: 866-668-9250 Fax: 866-663-7740	
Sleep	Sleep testing. PAP therapy Devices do not require precertification.	EviCore	Submit via EviCore.com Phone: 866-668-9250 Fax: 866-999-3510	



## Platform/Portal Change – Effective December 18, 2025

- EviCore currently accepts Home Health (HH) and Durable Medical Equipment (DME) prior authorization requests for Cigna Healthcare members through the eP360 portal. Beginning December 18, 2025, these requests should be entered via EviCore.com (or EviCore.com/providers) at Provider's Hub | EviCore by Evernorth.
- If you already submit requests on EviCore.com, you will use your existing EviCore.com login credentials.
- Any authorizations requested prior to December 18, 2025, will be migrated over to EviCore.com on December 18, 2025; and will be managed via Provider's Hub | EviCore by Evernorth.





## **Ongoing Provider Portal Training**

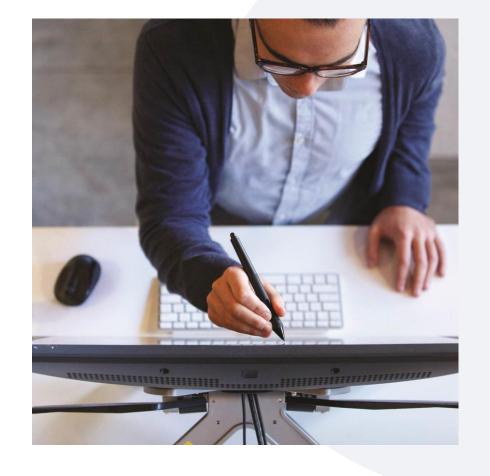
# General EviCore.com portal trainings are offered twice a week, every week.

All online orientation sessions are free of charge and will last approximately one hour. Advance registration is required, so follow the instructions below to sign up:

#### **How To Register**

- 1. Go to <a href="http://eviCore.webex.com/">http://eviCore.webex.com/</a>
- Click on the "hamburger" menu on the far-left hand side (below the eviCore logo), then choose "Webex Training"
- 3. On the **Live Sessions** screen, click the "**Upcoming**" tab. In the search box above the tabs, type: **Intro to Web Portal Training**
- 4. Choose the date and time for the session you would like to attend and click the "Register" link beside it. (You will need to register separately for each session.)
- 5. Complete the required information and click the "Register" button Immediately after registering, you will receive an e-mail containing the toll-free phone number, meeting number, conference password, and a link to the web portion of the conference. Please keep the registration e-mail so you will have the Web conference information for the session in which you will be participating.

We recommend adding the session to your calendar, so you do not forget.



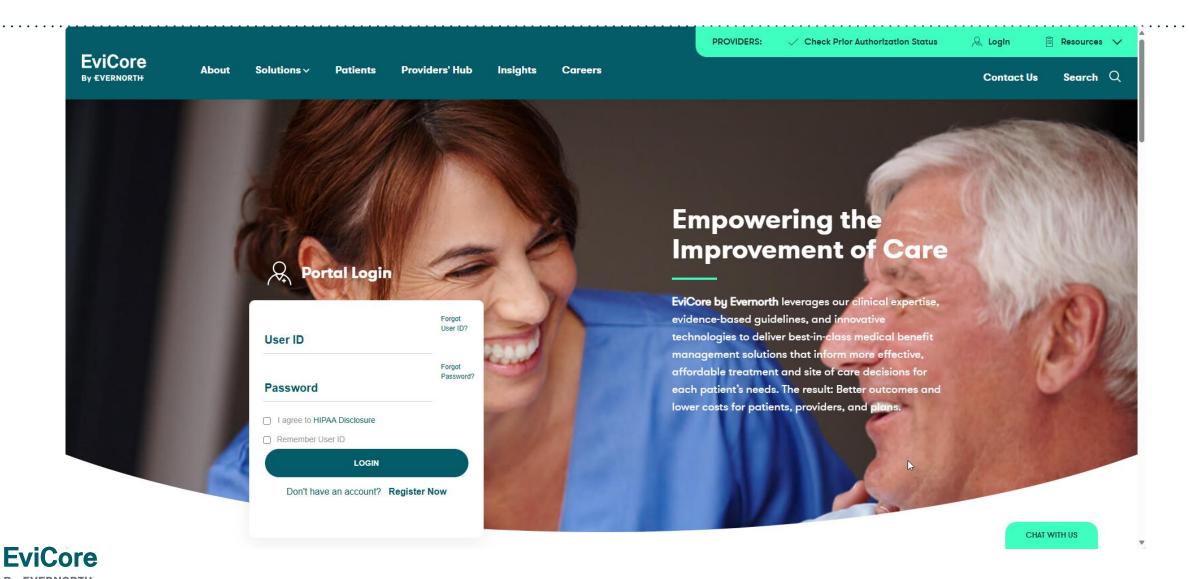


# Building Requests for Home Health and DME

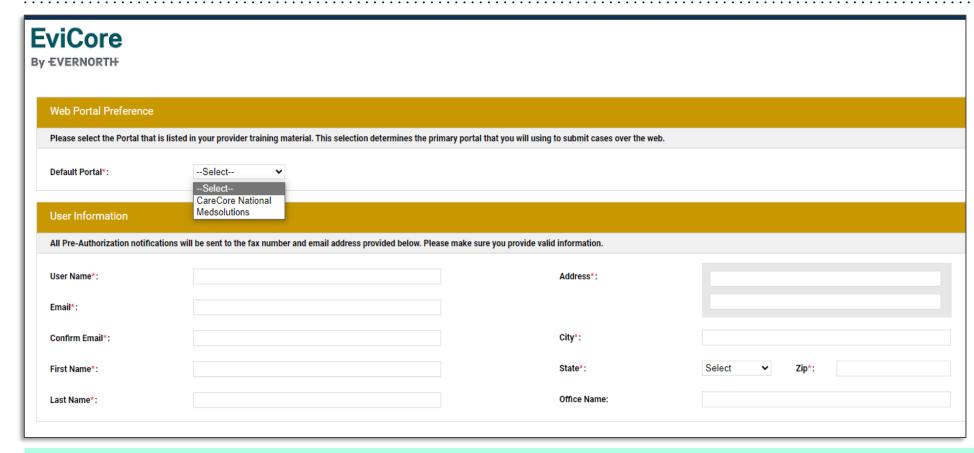
A new way to submit requests on EviCore.com



#### **EviCore.com Access**



### Creating an EviCore Provider Portal Account



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National as the
Default Portal.

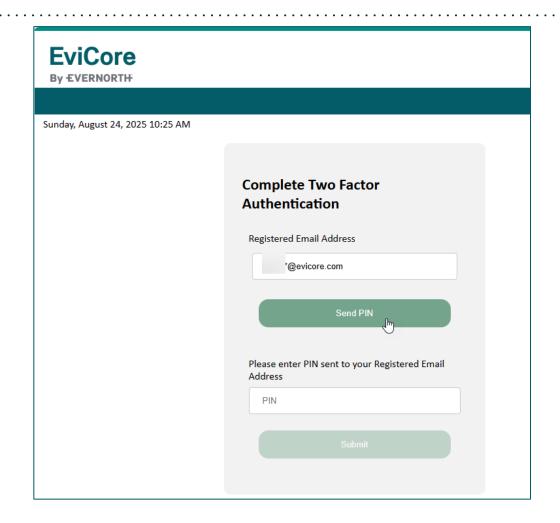
Complete the User Information section in full and **Submit Registration**.

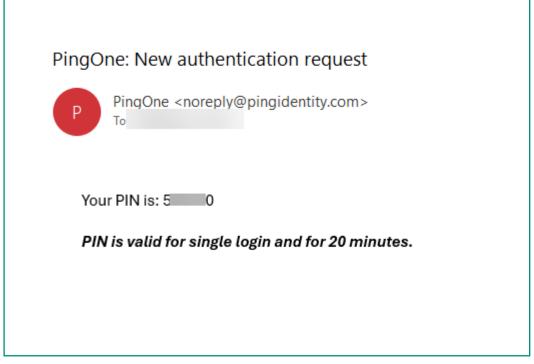
You will immediately be sent an email with a link to create a password. Once you have created a password, you will be redirected to the login page.

#### **EviCore**



## EviCore.com Access | Two Factor Authentication

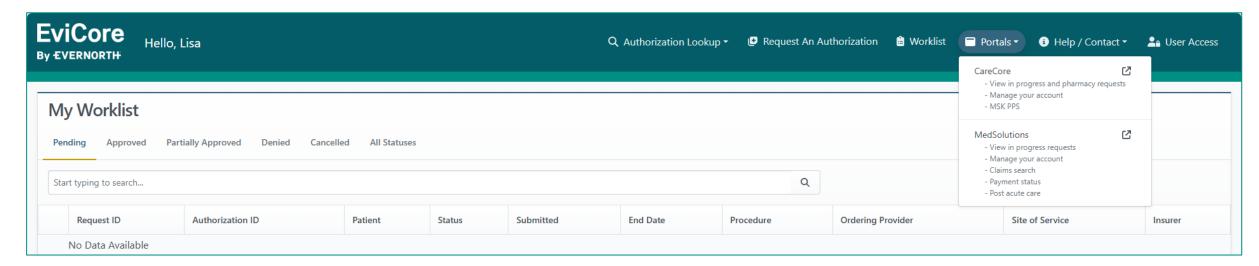




- Create the two-factor authentication using the email used for registration.
- Authentication is good for 24 hours.



#### **EviCore.com Access**



New to EviCore.com is our Unified Provider Experience (UPX)
Dashboard. For specific Training and Information on the new dashboard,
follow these links:

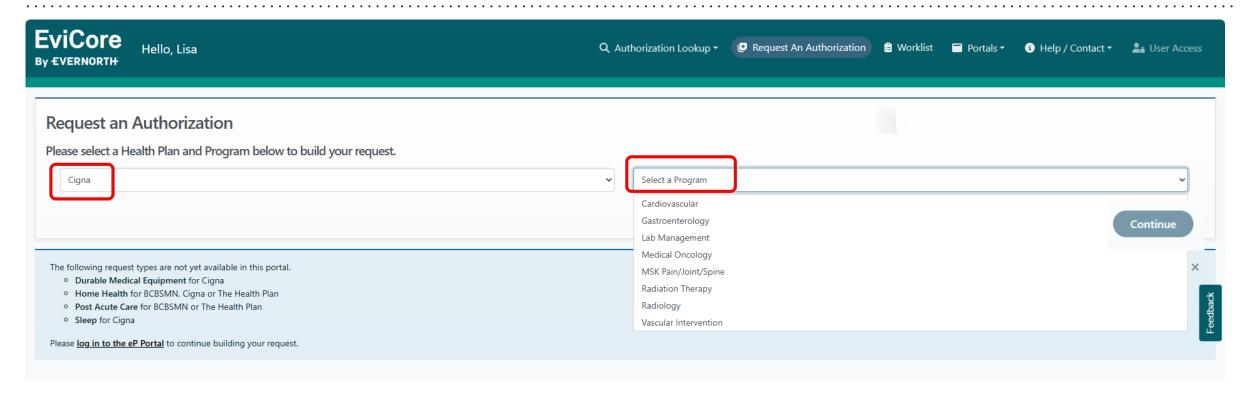
- Unified Provider Experience Dashboard FAQ 8-21-25.pdf
- Training video accessed through our provider's hub (same as the log in page). Provider's Hub | EviCore by Evernorth Scroll down to Video Resources and left double click to watch in 'full view'



EviCore Unified Provider
Experience (UPX) - Dashboard
Training



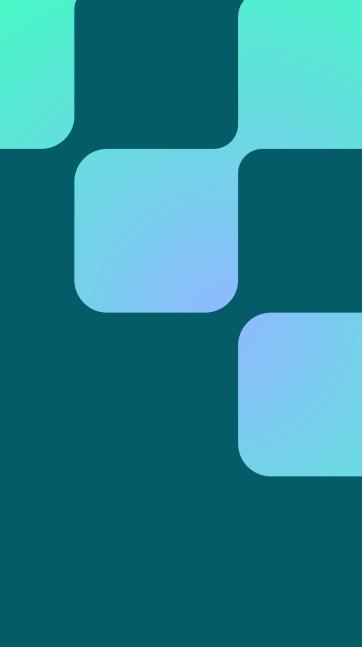
## **EviCore.com** | Starting a Request



Start the case build directly from the UPX dashboard. Once you select the health plan and the program, the dashboard will take you to the appropriate legacy portal (CareCore National).

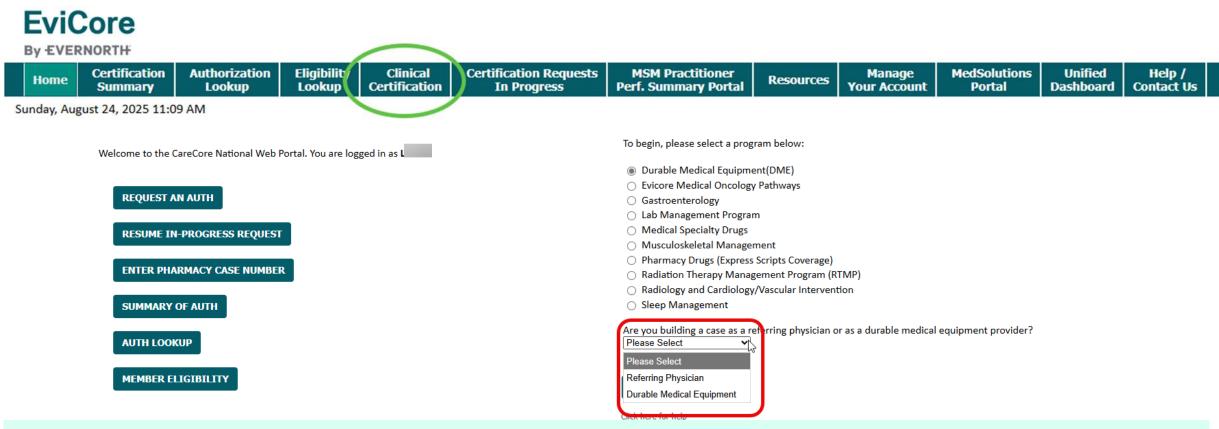


# CareCore National Portal Overview





# **Clinical Certification Request**



If you begin the case directly from the CareCore National portal, you can select **REQUEST AN AUTH** or **Clinical Certification** on the banner. Then select the Program. For DME or HH, you'll need to choose whether you are from the referring physician's office or from the supplier or agency.





# Clinical Certification Request | Search for and Select Provider

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Search for Physician by TIN, NPI, physician last name, city and/or zip.							
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If you are from the home health agency, or from the DME supplier, you will select the health plan and then enter your NPI number (or Tax ID number) to search.



# EviCore Provider Portal | Adding Providers (optional)

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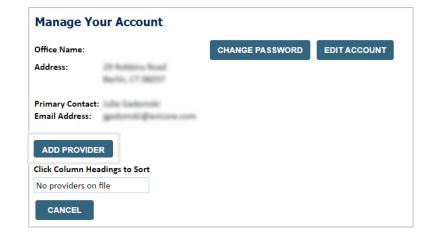
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On the CareCore National Portal, practioners/groups may be added to your account prior to case submission. (This is Optional) To add practioners or groups:

- Click the Manage Your Account tab to add provider information
- Select Add Provider
- Enter the NPI, state, and zip code to search for the provider
- Select the matching record based upon your search criteria
- Once you have selected a practitioner, your registration will be complete
- You can also click Add Provider to add another practitioner/group to your account
- You can access the Manage Your Account at any time to make any necessary updates or changes



Manage

Your Account

Add Practitioner			
Enter Practitioner information and find matches. *If registering as rendering genetic testing Lab site, enter Lab Billing NPI, State and Zip			
Practitioner NPI			
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FIND MATCHES CANCEL			





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Select the ordering provider for this authorization request.							
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SELECT	136						
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If the provider's NPI is not listed above, please use the search feature below to add a new provider and continue with case build.							
Search By NPI: SEARCH							
BACK CONTINUE							
Click here for help							

If you are from the referring physician's office; you can select the **Practitioner/Group** one of two ways:

- 1. From the list that appears, which is the list of providers you added to your account
- 2. Use the Search By NPI feature. By using this feature, you can add the searched provider to your account without having to exit and go to your account to add them.



# Clinical Certification Request | Select Health Plan



#### Choose Your Insurer

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- Choose the appropriate Health Plan for the request
- Another drop down will appear to select the appropriate address for the practitioner/group
- Select CONTINUE

Click here for help

Urgent Request? You will be required to upload relevant clinical info at the end of this process. Learn More.

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.



## Clinical Certification Request | Enter Contact Information

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 Enter/edit the Practitioner's name and appropriate information for the point of contact/who to contact individual

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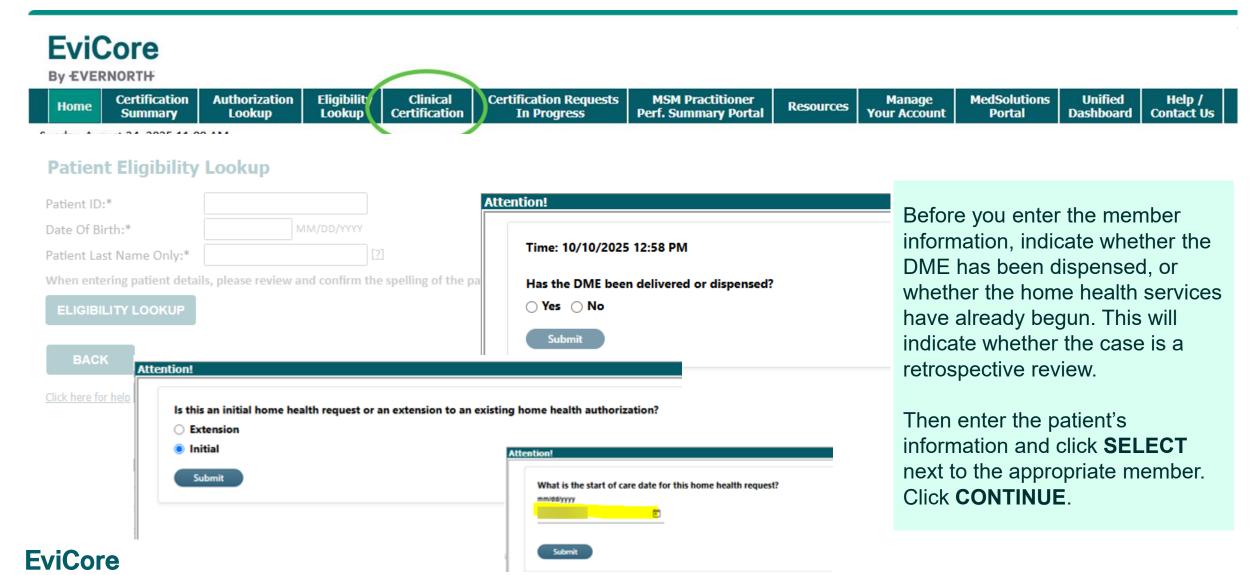
 Practitioner name, fax and phone will pre-populate, edit as necessary

The e-notification box is checked by default to enable email notices for any updates on case status changes. Make sure to uncheck this box if you prefer to receive faxed notices.

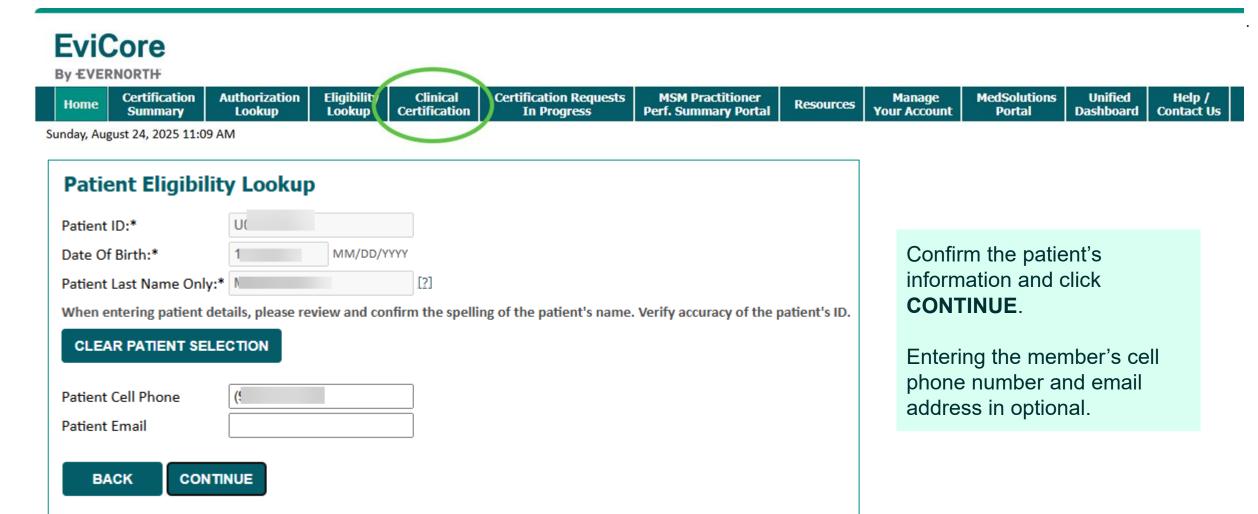
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# Clinical Certification Request | Retrospective Indicator



# Clinical Certification Request | Enter Member Information





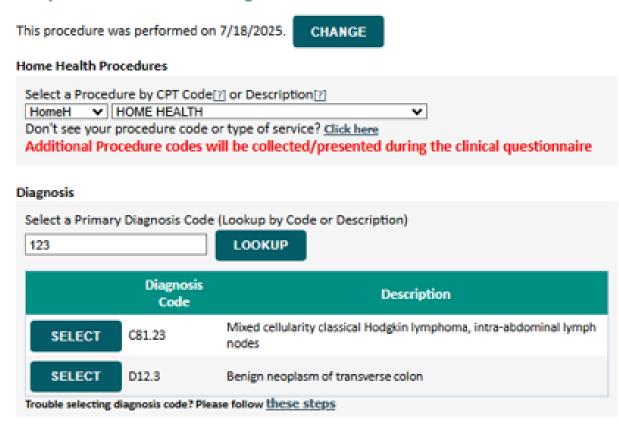
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# **Clinical Certification Request**

## Enter Requested Procedure and Diagnosis

#### Requested Service + Diagnosis

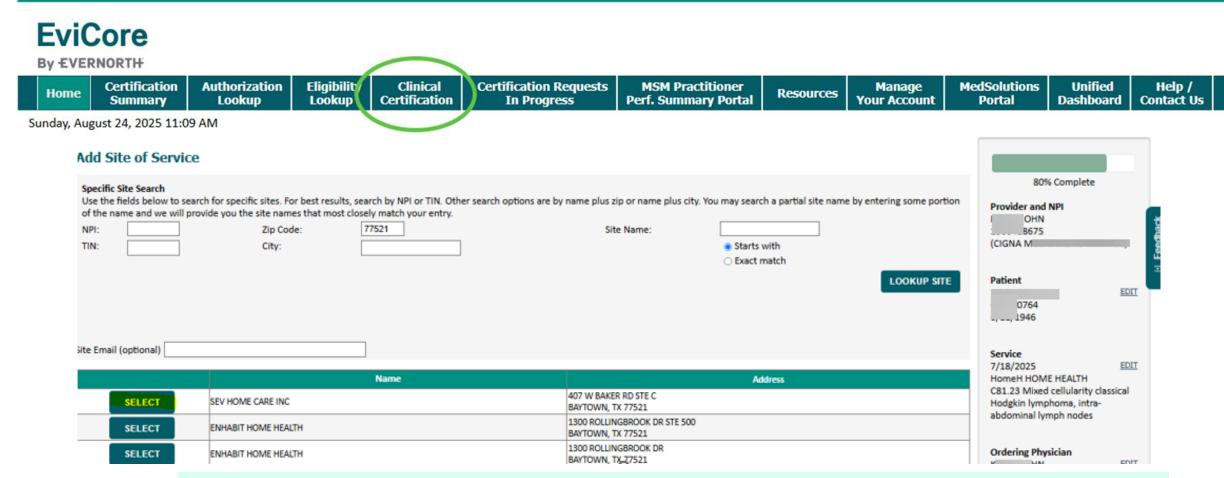


Select appropriate **Procedure / CPT** and **Diagnosis.** You can search using the description or the code.

Some services will be selected by a 'header code,' such as HomeH or DME, and others by the primary procedure.

For home health and DME, the CPT codes will be collected during the clinical questionnaire.

# Clinical Certification Request | Site Selection

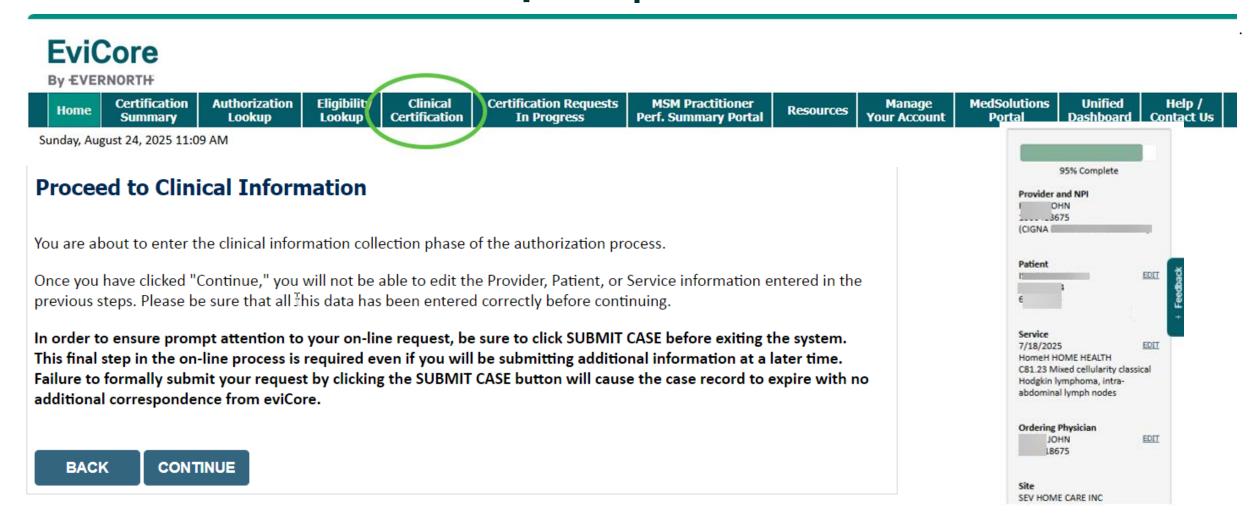


Search for the **Site of Service** (Rendering Facility) for where the procedure will be performed (for best results, search with NPI, TIN, **and** zip code)

**Select** the specific site where the procedure will be performed



# Clinical Certification Request | Clinical Certification





Verify that all information is entered and correct. You will not have the opportunity to make changes after this point

# Clinical Certification Request | Standard or Urgent Request?

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#### Proceed to Clinical Information

- Urgency Indicator If the case you are submitting is found NOT to meet one of the two conditions below, your case will be processed as a standards/routine, non Urgent request. If you have clinical information and this request meets the criteria for urgent, please indicate below. In order for eviCore to process this case as clinically urgent you must upload clinical documentation relevant to this case. If you are unable to upload clinical documentation at this time contact eviCore to process this case as urgent. Please indicate if any of the following criteria are true regarding urgency of this request: · A delay in care could seriously jeopardize the life or health of the patient or patient's ability to regain maximum A delay in care would subject the member to severe pain that cannot be adequately managed without the care or treatment requested in the prior authorization. None of the above Clinical Upload In order for eviCore to process this case as clinically urgent you must upload clinical documentation relevant to this If you are unable to upload clinical documentation at this time contact eviCore to process this case as urgent. Browse for file to upload (max size 5MB, allowable extensions .DOC,.DOCX,.PDF,.PNG): Choose File No file chosen UPLOAD

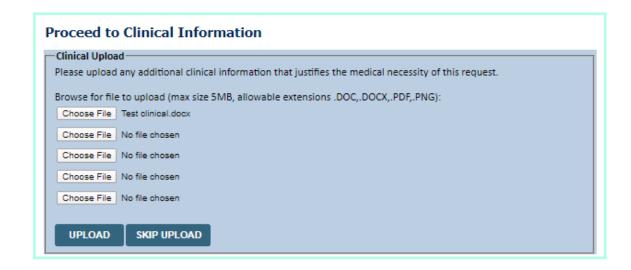


- If the case is standard, select Yes
- If your request is urgent, select No
- When a request is submitted as urgent, you will be required to upload relevant clinical information
- Upload up to FIVE documents
   (.doc, .docx, or .pdf format; max 5MB size)
- Your case will only be considered urgent if there is a successful upload





# Clinical Certification Request | Request for Clinical Upload



EviCore requires documents to have patient's name (first and last) and one additional identifier from the list below:

- Date of birth
- Correct case number/Episode ID
- Customer identification number
- Full address (Street, City, State and Zip Code)
- Full phone number including area code
- Driver's license number or other government-issued ID.

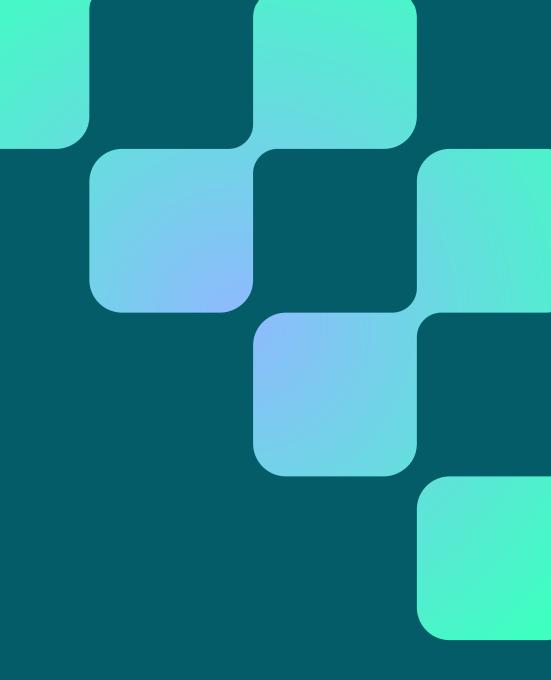
If additional information is required, you will have the option to upload more clinical information for review.

#### Tips:

- Providing clinical information via the web is the fastest and most efficient method
- Enter additional notes in the space provided only when necessary
- Additional information uploaded to the case will be sent for clinical review
- Print out a summary of the request that includes the case number and indicates 'Your case has been sent to clinical review'



# Provider Resources





#### **Contact EviCore's Dedicated Teams**

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

For eligibility issues (member or provider not found in system) or transactional authorization related issues requiring research.

- EviCore Communication Relationship Management (ECRM) portal:
   ECRM Consumer Service Portal ECRM Consumer Support
- Phone: (800) 646-0418 (option 4)

#### **Provider Engagement**

Regional team that works directly with the provider community.

• Email:RegionalProviderEngagementManagers@evicore.com

#### **Web-Based Services and Portal Support**

- EviCore Communication Relationship Management (ECRM) portal:
   ECRM Consumer Service Portal ECRM Consumer Support
- Phone: 800-646-0418 (option 2)



#### **Call Center**

Call 866-668-9250, representatives are available from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. local time.





### **Provider Resource Website**

EviCore's Client and Provider Services team maintains provider resource pages that contain client- and solution-specific educational materials to assist providers and their staff.

#### This page will include:

- Frequently asked questions
- Quick reference guides
- Provider training materials
- CPT code lists

To access these helpful resources, visit <a href="https://www.evicore.com/resources/healthplan/cigna">https://www.evicore.com/resources/healthplan/cigna</a>

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