

## Hawaii State Health Planning and Development Agency

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## Healthcare Prior Authorization Report

**Reporting Period: January 1 to December 31, 2024**

(Please Complete One Set of Report for Each Specific Health Plan. Due Date: January 31, 2026)

### Instructions

If your health plan covers the service(s) highlighted in **YELLOW** below (03, 04, 07, 08, 09, 13, 15), please complete the form(s) relevant to the service(s):

Services	Form #
01=At Risk Services	Form-1
02=Autism Services	Form-2
<b>03=Diagnostic Testing</b>	<b>Form-3</b>
<b>04=Durable Medical Supplies/Medical Equipment</b>	<b>Form-4</b>
05=Home and Community Based Services	Form-5
06=Home Health Services	Form-6
<b>07=Inpatient Hospital Services</b>	<b>Form-7</b>
<b>08=Outpatient Hospital Services</b>	<b>Form-8</b>
<b>09=Physician Services</b>	<b>Form-9</b>
10=Preventive Services	Form-10
11=Rehabilitation Services	Form-11
12=Transportation Services	Form-12
<b>13=Behavioral Health</b>	<b>Form-13</b>
14=Other Services	Form-14
<b>15=Drugs</b>	<b>Form-15</b>

**Additional copies of instructions and report forms are available at:**

<https://health.hawaii.gov/shpda/agency-resources-and-publications/prior-authorization-reporting/>

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2) Fax to: 808-587-0783, or	Phone: 808-587-0852
3) Mail to: SHPDA Prior Authorization Report Hawaii State Health Planning and Development Agency 1177 Alakea St. #402, Honolulu, HI 96813	

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## Form-#: Sample

**Reporting Period: January 1 to December 31, 2024**

**(Please Complete One Set of Report for Each Specific Health Plan. Due Date: January 31, 2026)**

Name of Health Plan: ABC Health Plan	Report date: 1/6/2026
Name of Insurer: XYZ Health Insurance Company	
Address of Insurer: 1234 Street Name, City, Zip Code	
Leadership of Insurer: Name/Title (e.g. President, CEO, CFO, etc.)	Phone: (808)-123-4567 (Point of Contact)
Completed by: (name) Name	Fax: (808)-100-2000
(title) Title	Email: Email (Point of Contact)

### Section I. Standard (Non-Urgent) Prior Authorization (PA) Requests

		Total (A)	Approv- ed (B)	Denied (C)	With- drawn (D)	Among the total number of denials reported in column C, how many denials were due to one of the following reasons? Count one primary reason for each denial and enter the count for each reason in column F. (E) (*See note)	Counts of Reasons (F)
1.	Standard PA Requests	50000	40000	10000	0	01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information*	
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
						03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits	Enter
						04=Prior authorization timelines not met*	Actual
						05=Out-of-network providers	Counts
						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
						09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.	
2.	Standard PA Decision Made within 7 Days (Report Standard PA Appeals in Line 4)	35000	29500	5500	0	01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information*	
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
						03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits	Enter
						04=Prior authorization timelines not met*	Actual
						05=Out-of-network providers	Counts
						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
						09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.	
3.	Standard PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 days) (Report Standard PA Appeals in Line 4)	10000	7500	2500	0	01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information*	
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
						03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits	Enter
						04=Prior authorization timelines not met*	Actual
						05=Out-of-network providers	Counts
						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
						09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.	
4.	Standard PA Decision Made after Appeal	5000	3000	2000	0	01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information*	
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
						03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits	Enter
						04=Prior authorization timelines not met*	Actual
						05=Out-of-network providers	Counts
						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
						09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.	

Section II. Expedited (Urgent) Prior Authorization (PA) Requests							
		Total (A)	Approv- ed (B)	Denied (C)	With- drawn (D)	Among the total number of denials reported in column C, how many denials were due to one of the following reasons? Count one primary reason for each denial and enter the count for each reason in column F. (E) (*See note)	Counts of Reasons (F)
5.	Expedited PA Requests	50000	40000	10000	0	01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information*	
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
						03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits	Enter
						04=Prior authorization timelines not met*	Actual
						05=Out-of-network providers	Counts
						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
						09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.	
6.	Expedited PA Decision Made within 72 Hours (Report Expedited PA Appeals in Line 8)	35000	29500	5500	0	01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information*	
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
						03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits	Enter
						04=Prior authorization timelines not met*	Actual
						05=Out-of-network providers	Counts
						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
						09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.	
7.	Expedited PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 days) (Report Expedited PA Appeals in Line 8)	10000	7500	2500	0	01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information*	
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
						03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits	Enter
						04=Prior authorization timelines not met*	Actual
						05=Out-of-network providers	Counts
						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
						09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.	
8.	Expedited PA Decision Made after Appeal	5000	3000	2000	0	01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information*	
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
						03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits	Enter
						04=Prior authorization timelines not met*	Actual
						05=Out-of-network providers	Counts
						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
						09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.	
Section III. Time Between Receiving a Prior Authorization Request and Sending a Decision							
		Mean (Average) Time		Median (Middle) Time			
9.	Standard PA Decision Made within 7 Calendar Days	5		4		Day(s)	
10.	Standard PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 Days)	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	
11.	Standard PA Decision Made after Appeal	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	
12.	Expedited PA Decision Made within 72 Hours	1		1		Day(s)	
13.	Expedited PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 Days)	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	
14.	Expedited PA Decision Made after Appeal	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	

**Notes:****Column E: 01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information\***

This might include any of the following: missing or incorrect patient information; errors in ICD-10 or CPT/HCPCS codes; missing medical records, inadequate physician notes, lack of relevant lab results, or failure to include previous treatment histories; etc.

**Column E: 04=Prior authorization timelines not met\***

This might also include expired authorization or duplicate requests.

**Column E: 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests\***

Some treatments require separate prior authorization requests for pharmacy and medical benefits.

**Column E: 09=Other\***

This might include but is not limited to any of the following: Invalid preauthorization request form submitted; Pre-existing condition exclusion; Lack of peer-to-peer review; Treatment is not consistent with published clinical evidence; Experimental; Prescribing physician’s qualification; etc. Please specify reason of denial. Add row as needed.

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## Form-3: Diagnostic Testing

**Reporting Period: January 1 to December 31, 2024**

**(Please Complete One Set of Report for Each Specific Health Plan. Due Date: January 31, 2026)**

Name of Health Plan:	Report date:
Name of Insurer:	
Address of Insurer:	
Leadership of Insurer:	Phone:
Completed by: (name)	Fax:
(title)	Email:

### Section I. Standard (Non-Urgent) Prior Authorization (PA) Requests

		Total (A)	Approv- ed (B)	Denied (C)	With- drawn (D)	Among the total number of denials reported in column C, how many denials were due to one of the following reasons? Count one primary reason for each denial and enter the count for each reason in column F. (E) (*See note)	Counts of Reasons (F)
1.	Standard PA Requests					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
2.	Standard PA Decision Made within 7 Days (Report Standard PA Appeals in Line 4)					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
3.	Standard PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 days) (Report Standard PA Appeals in Line 4)					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
4.	Standard PA Decision Made after Appeal					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	

Section II. Expedited (Urgent) Prior Authorization (PA) Requests							
		Total (A)	Approv- ed (B)	Denied (C)	With- drawn (D)	Among the total number of denials reported in column C, how many denials were due to one of the following reasons? Count one primary reason for each denial and enter the count for each reason in column F. (E) (*See note)	Counts of Reasons (F)
5.	Expedited PA Requests					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information*	
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
						03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits	
						04=Prior authorization timelines not met*	
						05=Out-of-network providers	
						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
						09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
						6.	Expedited PA Decision Made within 72 Hours (Report Expedited PA Appeals in Line 8)
02=Medical necessity criteria not met							
03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits							
04=Prior authorization timelines not met*							
05=Out-of-network providers							
06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts							
07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*							
08=Non-formulary medications							
09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>							
7.	Expedited PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 days) (Report Expedited PA Appeals in Line 8)						
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
						03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits	
						04=Prior authorization timelines not met*	
						05=Out-of-network providers	
						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
						09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
						8.	Expedited PA Decision Made after Appeal
02=Medical necessity criteria not met							
03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits							
04=Prior authorization timelines not met*							
05=Out-of-network providers							
06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts							
07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*							
08=Non-formulary medications							
09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>							
Section III. Time Between Receiving a Prior Authorization Request and Sending a Decision							
		Mean (Average) Time		Median (Middle) Time			
9.	Standard PA Decision Made within 7 Calendar Days					Day(s)	
10.	Standard PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 Days)	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	
11.	Standard PA Decision Made after Appeal	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	
12.	Expedited PA Decision Made within 72 Hours					Day(s)	
13.	Expedited PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 Days)	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	
14.	Expedited PA Decision Made after Appeal	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	

**Notes:****Column E: 01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information\***

This might include any of the following: missing or incorrect patient information; errors in ICD-10 or CPT/HCPCS codes; missing medical records, inadequate physician notes, lack of relevant lab results, or failure to include previous treatment histories; etc.

**Column E: 04=Prior authorization timelines not met\***

This might also include expired authorization or duplicate requests.

**Column E: 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests\***

Some treatments require separate prior authorization requests for pharmacy and medical benefits.

**Column E: 09=Other\***

This might include but is not limited to any of the following: Invalid preauthorization request form submitted; Pre-existing condition exclusion; Lack of peer-to-peer review; Treatment is not consistent with published clinical evidence; Experimental; Prescribing physician’s qualification; etc. Please specify reason of denial. Add row as needed.

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## Form-4: Durable Medical Supplies/Medical Equipment

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**(Please Complete One Set of Report for Each Specific Health Plan. Due Date: January 31, 2026)**

Name of Health Plan:	Report date:
Name of Insurer:	
Address of Insurer:	
Leadership of Insurer:	Phone:
Completed by: (name)	Fax:
(title)	Email:

### Section I. Standard (Non-Urgent) Prior Authorization (PA) Requests

		Total (A)	Approv- ed (B)	Denied (C)	With- drawn (D)	Among the total number of denials reported in column C, how many denials were due to one of the following reasons? Count one primary reason for each denial and enter the count for each reason in column F. (E) (*See note)	Counts of Reasons (F)
1.	Standard PA Requests					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
2.	Standard PA Decision Made within 7 Days (Report Standard PA Appeals in Line 4)					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
3.	Standard PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 days) (Report Standard PA Appeals in Line 4)					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
4.	Standard PA Decision Made after Appeal					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	



Section II. Expedited (Urgent) Prior Authorization (PA) Requests							
		Total (A)	Approved (B)	Denied (C)	With- drawn (D)	Among the total number of denials reported in column C, how many denials were due to one of the following reasons? Count one primary reason for each denial and enter the count for each reason in column F. (E) (*See note)	Counts of Reasons (F)
5.	Expedited PA Requests					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information*	
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
						03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits	
						04=Prior authorization timelines not met*	
						05=Out-of-network providers	
						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
						09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.	
						6.	Expedited PA Decision Made within 72 Hours (Report Expedited PA Appeals in Line 8)
02=Medical necessity criteria not met							
03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits							
04=Prior authorization timelines not met*							
05=Out-of-network providers							
06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts							
07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*							
08=Non-formulary medications							
09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.							
7.	Expedited PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 days) (Report Expedited PA Appeals in Line 8)						
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
						03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits	
						04=Prior authorization timelines not met*	
						05=Out-of-network providers	
						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
						09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.	
						8.	Expedited PA Decision Made after Appeal
02=Medical necessity criteria not met							
03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits							
04=Prior authorization timelines not met*							
05=Out-of-network providers							
06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts							
07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*							
08=Non-formulary medications							
09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.							
Section III. Time Between Receiving a Prior Authorization Request and Sending a Decision							
		Mean (Average) Time		Median (Middle) Time			
9.	Standard PA Decision Made within 7 Calendar Days					Day(s)	
10.	Standard PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 Days)	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	
11.	Standard PA Decision Made after Appeal	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	
12.	Expedited PA Decision Made within 72 Hours					Day(s)	
13.	Expedited PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 Days)	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	
14.	Expedited PA Decision Made after Appeal	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	

**Notes:****Column E: 01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information\***

This might include any of the following: missing or incorrect patient information; errors in ICD-10 or CPT/HCPCS codes; missing medical records, inadequate physician notes, lack of relevant lab results, or failure to include previous treatment histories; etc.

**Column E: 04=Prior authorization timelines not met\***

This might also include expired authorization or duplicate requests.

**Column E: 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests\***

Some treatments require separate prior authorization requests for pharmacy and medical benefits.

**Column E: 09=Other\***

This might include but is not limited to any of the following: Invalid preauthorization request form submitted; Pre-existing condition exclusion; Lack of peer-to-peer review; Treatment is not consistent with published clinical evidence; Experimental; Prescribing physician’s qualification; etc. Please specify reason of denial. Add row as needed.

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## Form-7: Inpatient Hospital Services

**Reporting Period: January 1 to December 31, 2024**

**(Please Complete One Set of Report for Each Specific Health Plan. Due Date: January 31, 2026)**

Name of Health Plan:	Report date:
Name of Insurer:	
Address of Insurer:	
Leadership of Insurer:	Phone:
Completed by: (name)	Fax:
(title)	Email:

### Section I. Standard (Non-Urgent) Prior Authorization (PA) Requests

		Total (A)	Approv- ed (B)	Denied (C)	With- drawn (D)	Among the total number of denials reported in column C, how many denials were due to one of the following reasons? Count one primary reason for each denial and enter the count for each reason in column F. (E) (*See note)	Counts of Reasons (F)
1.	Standard PA Requests					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
2.	Standard PA Decision Made within 7 Days (Report Standard PA Appeals in Line 4)					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
3.	Standard PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 days) (Report Standard PA Appeals in Line 4)					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
4.	Standard PA Decision Made after Appeal					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	

Section II. Expedited (Urgent) Prior Authorization (PA) Requests							
		Total (A)	Approved (B)	Denied (C)	With- drawn (D)	Among the total number of denials reported in column C, how many denials were due to one of the following reasons? Count one primary reason for each denial and enter the count for each reason in column F. (E) (*See note)	Counts of Reasons (F)
5.	Expedited PA Requests					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information*	
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
						03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits	
						04=Prior authorization timelines not met*	
						05=Out-of-network providers	
						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
						09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.	
						6.	Expedited PA Decision Made within 72 Hours (Report Expedited PA Appeals in Line 8)
02=Medical necessity criteria not met							
03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits							
04=Prior authorization timelines not met*							
05=Out-of-network providers							
06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts							
07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*							
08=Non-formulary medications							
09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.							
7.	Expedited PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 days) (Report Expedited PA Appeals in Line 8)						
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
						03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits	
						04=Prior authorization timelines not met*	
						05=Out-of-network providers	
						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
						09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.	
						8.	Expedited PA Decision Made after Appeal
02=Medical necessity criteria not met							
03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits							
04=Prior authorization timelines not met*							
05=Out-of-network providers							
06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts							
07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*							
08=Non-formulary medications							
09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.							
Section III. Time Between Payer Receiving a Prior Authorization Request and Sending a Decision							
					Mean (Average) Time	Median (Middle) Time	
9.	Standard PA Decision Made within 7 Calendar Days						Day(s)
10.	Standard PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 Days)				Optional	Optional	Day(s)
11.	Standard PA Decision Made after Appeal				Optional	Optional	Day(s)
12.	Expedited PA Decision Made within 72 Hours						Day(s)
13.	Expedited PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 Days)				Optional	Optional	Day(s)
14.	Expedited PA Decision Made after Appeal				Optional	Optional	Day(s)

**Notes:****Column E: 01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information\***

This might include any of the following: missing or incorrect patient information; errors in ICD-10 or CPT/HCPCS codes; missing medical records, inadequate physician notes, lack of relevant lab results, or failure to include previous treatment histories; etc.

**Column E: 04=Prior authorization timelines not met\***

This might also include expired authorization or duplicate requests.

**Column E: 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests\***

Some treatments require separate prior authorization requests for pharmacy and medical benefits.

**Column E: 09=Other\***

This might include but is not limited to any of the following: Invalid preauthorization request form submitted; Pre-existing condition exclusion; Lack of peer-to-peer review; Treatment is not consistent with published clinical evidence; Experimental; Prescribing physician’s qualification; etc. Please specify reason of denial. Add row as needed.

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## Form-8: Outpatient Hospital Services

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**(Please Complete One Set of Report for Each Specific Health Plan. Due Date: January 31, 2026)**

Name of Health Plan:	Report date:
Name of Insurer:	
Address of Insurer:	
Leadership of Insurer:	Phone:
Completed by: (name)	Fax:
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### Section I. Standard (Non-Urgent) Prior Authorization (PA) Requests

		Total (A)	Approv- ed (B)	Denied (C)	With- drawn (D)	Among the total number of denials reported in column C, how many denials were due to one of the following reasons? Count one primary reason for each denial and enter the count for each reason in column F. (E) (*See note)	Counts of Reasons (F)
1.	Standard PA Requests					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
2.	Standard PA Decision Made within 7 Days (Report Standard PA Appeals in Line 4)					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
3.	Standard PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 days) (Report Standard PA Appeals in Line 4)					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
4.	Standard PA Decision Made after Appeal					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	

Section II. Expedited (Urgent) Prior Authorization (PA) Requests							
		Total (A)	Approved (B)	Denied (C)	With- drawn (D)	Among the total number of denials reported in column C, how many denials were due to one of the following reasons? Count one primary reason for each denial and enter the count for each reason in column F. (E) (*See note)	Counts of Reasons (F)
5.	Expedited PA Requests					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information*	
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
						03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits	
						04=Prior authorization timelines not met*	
						05=Out-of-network providers	
						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
						09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.	
6.	Expedited PA Decision Made within 72 Hours (Report Expedited PA Appeals in Line 8)					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information*	
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
						03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits	
						04=Prior authorization timelines not met*	
						05=Out-of-network providers	
						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
						09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.	
7.	Expedited PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 days) (Report Expedited PA Appeals in Line 8)					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information*	
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
						03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits	
						04=Prior authorization timelines not met*	
						05=Out-of-network providers	
						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
						09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.	
8.	Expedited PA Decision Made after Appeal					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information*	
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
						03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits	
						04=Prior authorization timelines not met*	
						05=Out-of-network providers	
						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
						09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.	
Section III. Time Between Payer Receiving a Prior Authorization Request and Sending a Decision							
		Mean (Average) Time		Median (Middle) Time			
9.	Standard PA Decision Made within 7 Calendar Days					Day(s)	
10.	Standard PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 Days)	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	
11.	Standard PA Decision Made after Appeal	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	
12.	Expedited PA Decision Made within 72 Hours					Day(s)	
13.	Expedited PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 Days)	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	
14.	Expedited PA Decision Made after Appeal	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	

**Notes:****Column E: 01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information\***

This might include any of the following: missing or incorrect patient information; errors in ICD-10 or CPT/HCPCS codes; missing medical records, inadequate physician notes, lack of relevant lab results, or failure to include previous treatment histories; etc.

**Column E: 04=Prior authorization timelines not met\***

This might also include expired authorization or duplicate requests.

**Column E: 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests\***

Some treatments require separate prior authorization requests for pharmacy and medical benefits.

**Column E: 09=Other\***

This might include but is not limited to any of the following: Invalid preauthorization request form submitted; Pre-existing condition exclusion; Lack of peer-to-peer review; Treatment is not consistent with published clinical evidence; Experimental; Prescribing physician’s qualification; etc. Please specify reason of denial. Add row as needed.



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## Form-9: Physician Services

**Reporting Period: January 1 to December 31, 2024**

**(Please Complete One Set of Report for Each Specific Health Plan. Due Date: January 31, 2026)**

Name of Health Plan:	Report date:
Name of Insurer:	
Address of Insurer:	
Leadership of Insurer:	Phone:
Completed by: (name)	Fax:
(title)	Email:

### Section I. Standard (Non-Urgent) Prior Authorization (PA) Requests

		Total (A)	Approv- ed (B)	Denied (C)	With- drawn (D)	Among the total number of denials reported in column C, how many denials were due to one of the following reasons? Count one primary reason for each denial and enter the count for each reason in column F. (E) (*See note)	Counts of Reasons (F)
1.	Standard PA Requests					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
2.	Standard PA Decision Made within 7 Days (Report Standard PA Appeals in Line 4)					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
3.	Standard PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 days) (Report Standard PA Appeals in Line 4)					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
4.	Standard PA Decision Made after Appeal					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	

Section II. Expedited (Urgent) Prior Authorization (PA) Requests							
		Total (A)	Approved (B)	Denied (C)	Withdrawn (D)	Among the total number of denials reported in column C, how many denials were due to one of the following reasons? Count one primary reason for each denial and enter the count for each reason in column F. (E) (*See note)	Counts of Reasons (F)
5.	Expedited PA Requests					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information*	
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
						03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits	
						04=Prior authorization timelines not met*	
						05=Out-of-network providers	
						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
						09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.	
						6.	Expedited PA Decision Made within 72 Hours (Report Expedited PA Appeals in Line 8)
02=Medical necessity criteria not met							
03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits							
04=Prior authorization timelines not met*							
05=Out-of-network providers							
06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts							
07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*							
08=Non-formulary medications							
09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.							
7.	Expedited PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 days) (Report Expedited PA Appeals in Line 8)						
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
						03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits	
						04=Prior authorization timelines not met*	
						05=Out-of-network providers	
						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
						09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.	
						8.	Expedited PA Decision Made after Appeal
02=Medical necessity criteria not met							
03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits							
04=Prior authorization timelines not met*							
05=Out-of-network providers							
06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts							
07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*							
08=Non-formulary medications							
09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.							
Section III. Time Between Payer Receiving a Prior Authorization Request and Sending a Decision							
		Mean (Average) Time		Median (Middle) Time			
9.	Standard PA Decision Made within 7 Calendar Days					Day(s)	
10.	Standard PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 Days)	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	
11.	Standard PA Decision Made after Appeal	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	
12.	Expedited PA Decision Made within 72 Hours					Day(s)	
13.	Expedited PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 Days)	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	
14.	Expedited PA Decision Made after Appeal	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	

**Notes:****Column E: 01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information\***

This might include any of the following: missing or incorrect patient information; errors in ICD-10 or CPT/HCPCS codes; missing medical records, inadequate physician notes, lack of relevant lab results, or failure to include previous treatment histories; etc.

**Column E: 04=Prior authorization timelines not met\***

This might also include expired authorization or duplicate requests.

**Column E: 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests\***

Some treatments require separate prior authorization requests for pharmacy and medical benefits.

**Column E: 09=Other\***

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## Form-13: Behavioral Health

**Reporting Period: January 1 to December 31, 2024**

**(Please Complete One Set of Report for Each Specific Health Plan. Due Date: January 31, 2026)**

Name of Health Plan:	Report date:
Name of Insurer:	
Address of Insurer:	
Leadership of Insurer:	Phone:
Completed by: (name)	Fax:
(title)	Email:

### Section I. Standard (Non-Urgent) Prior Authorization (PA) Requests

		Total (A)	Approv- ed (B)	Denied (C)	With- drawn (D)	Among the total number of denials reported in column C, how many denials were due to one of the following reasons? Count one primary reason for each denial and enter the count for each reason in column F. (E) (*See note)	Counts of Reasons (F)
1.	Standard PA Requests					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
2.	Standard PA Decision Made within 7 Days (Report Standard PA Appeals in Line 4)					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
3.	Standard PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 days) (Report Standard PA Appeals in Line 4)					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
4.	Standard PA Decision Made after Appeal					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	

Section II. Expedited (Urgent) Prior Authorization (PA) Requests							
		Total (A)	Approved (B)	Denied (C)	Withdrawn (D)	Among the total number of denials reported in column C, how many denials were due to one of the following reasons? Count one primary reason for each denial and enter the count for each reason in column F. (E) (*See note)	Counts of Reasons (F)
5.	Expedited PA Requests					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information*	
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
						03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits	
						04=Prior authorization timelines not met*	
						05=Out-of-network providers	
						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
						09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.	
						6.	Expedited PA Decision Made within 72 Hours (Report Expedited PA Appeals in Line 8)
02=Medical necessity criteria not met							
03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits							
04=Prior authorization timelines not met*							
05=Out-of-network providers							
06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts							
07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*							
08=Non-formulary medications							
09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.							
7.	Expedited PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 days) (Report Expedited PA Appeals in Line 8)						
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
						03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits	
						04=Prior authorization timelines not met*	
						05=Out-of-network providers	
						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
						09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.	
						8.	Expedited PA Decision Made after Appeal
02=Medical necessity criteria not met							
03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits							
04=Prior authorization timelines not met*							
05=Out-of-network providers							
06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts							
07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*							
08=Non-formulary medications							
09=Other* Specify. Add row as needed.							
Section III. Time Between Payer Receiving a Prior Authorization Request and Sending a Decision							
		Mean (Average) Time		Median (Middle) Time			
9.	Standard PA Decision Made within 7 Calendar Days					Day(s)	
10.	Standard PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 Days)	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	
11.	Standard PA Decision Made after Appeal	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	
12.	Expedited PA Decision Made within 72 Hours					Day(s)	
13.	Expedited PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 Days)	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	
14.	Expedited PA Decision Made after Appeal	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	

**Notes:****Column E: 01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information\***

This might include any of the following: missing or incorrect patient information; errors in ICD-10 or CPT/HCPCS codes; missing medical records, inadequate physician notes, lack of relevant lab results, or failure to include previous treatment histories; etc.

**Column E: 04=Prior authorization timelines not met\***

This might also include expired authorization or duplicate requests.

**Column E: 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests\***

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## Form-15: Drugs

**Reporting Period: January 1 to December 31, 2024**

**(Please Complete One Set of Report for Each Specific Health Plan. Due Date: January 31, 2026)**

Name of Health Plan:	Report date:
Name of Insurer:	
Address of Insurer:	
Leadership of Insurer:	Phone:
Completed by: (name)	Fax:
(title)	Email:

### Section I. Standard (Non-Urgent) Prior Authorization (PA) Requests

		Total (A)	Approv- ed (B)	Denied (C)	With- drawn (D)	Among the total number of denials reported in column C, how many denials were due to one of the following reasons? Count one primary reason for each denial and enter the count for each reason in column F. (E) (*See note)	Counts of Reasons (F)
1.	Standard PA Requests					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
2.	Standard PA Decision Made within 7 Days (Report Standard PA Appeals in Line 4)					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
3.	Standard PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 days) (Report Standard PA Appeals in Line 4)					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
4.	Standard PA Decision Made after Appeal					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information* 02=Medical necessity criteria not met 03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits 04=Prior authorization timelines not met* 05=Out-of-network providers 06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts 07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests* 08=Non-formulary medications 09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	

Section II. Expedited (Urgent) Prior Authorization (PA) Requests							
		Total (A)	Approved (B)	Denied (C)	With- drawn (D)	Among the total number of denials reported in column C, how many denials were due to one of the following reasons? Count one primary reason for each denial and enter the count for each reason in column F. (E) (*See note)	Counts of Reasons (F)
5.	Expedited PA Requests					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information*	
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						04=Prior authorization timelines not met*	
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						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
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6.	Expedited PA Decision Made within 72 Hours (Report Expedited PA Appeals in Line 8)					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information*	
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
						03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits	
						04=Prior authorization timelines not met*	
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						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
						09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
7.	Expedited PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 days) (Report Expedited PA Appeals in Line 8)					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information*	
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
						03=Non-covered services or exceeding limits	
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						06=Lack of step therapy/testing attempts	
						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
						08=Non-formulary medications	
						09=Other* <b>Specify. Add row as needed.</b>	
8.	Expedited PA Decision Made after Appeal					01=Incomplete or Incorrect Information*	
						02=Medical necessity criteria not met	
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						07=Therapy requires multiple PA requests*	
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Section III. Time Between Payer Receiving a Prior Authorization Request and Sending a Decision							
		Mean (Average) Time		Median (Middle) Time			
9.	Standard PA Decision Made within 7 Calendar Days					Day(s)	
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11.	Standard PA Decision Made after Appeal	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	
12.	Expedited PA Decision Made within 72 Hours					Day(s)	
13.	Expedited PA Decision Made with Extension (up to 14 Days)	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	
14.	Expedited PA Decision Made after Appeal	Optional		Optional		Day(s)	

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