

New Prior Authorization Form

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Dear Provider,

HPSM has an updated prior authorization form, now available online through the HPSM website. This new form will help us process prior auth requests more efficiently. Please begin using this template as soon as possible, and review the tips below. **HPSM will no longer accept the previous version of the form starting 2/1/2020.**

PLEASE ALWAYS MAKE SURE THAT...

You're using the current version of the form: <https://www.hpsm.org/provider/authorizations>

Note: there's a separate box for Long Term Care authorization requests. **Only check off items within this box if the request is for authorization of a long-term care stay:**

Long Term Care (LTC) Required Information (Mark ✓ or X):						
<input type="checkbox"/> Transfer	<input type="checkbox"/> Initial	<input type="checkbox"/> Reauthorization	<input type="checkbox"/> Bed Hold	<input type="checkbox"/> Skilled Nursing	<input type="checkbox"/> ICF-DD	<input type="checkbox"/> Sub-Acute
Requested Service Dates	FROM:	MM-DD-YYYY	TO:	MM-DD-YYYY		

REQUEST

<input type="checkbox"/> URGENT
<input type="checkbox"/> ROUTINE

Mark ✓ or X

Only indicate "Urgent" if the service is urgent Marking requests for routine or scheduled care as urgent when they are not results in HPSM re-processing the request, which can delay our response time.

- You complete all fields using the fillable PDF (**typed**, not handwritten).
- You use one form for one patient and double-check the member ID number before sending. Note that we cannot process more than one patient per form.
- You set your fax machine settings to the highest quality possible.
- You bookmark <https://www.hpsm.org/provider/authorizations> and regularly check HPSM's Prior Authorization Required list to determine if prior auth is required. It's updated regularly (typically quarterly).