

DATE: June 15<sup>h</sup>, 2023

TO: All Sendero Health Plans Network Providers
RE: New Preauthorization List effective 08/15/2023

Dear Sendero Physicians and Providers,

Sendero is sensitive to balancing the administrative burdens of preauthorization with the managed care responsibility to promote clinically appropriate, cost-effective services for our members. To this end, we perform an ongoing review of the list of services requiring preauthorization. Our aim is to limit this list to services that have a significant benefit to pre-review from a member risk, clinical appropriateness, and/or cost perspective.

Below is a summary of the changes to the Sendero preauthorization list, **effective 8/15/2023**. The full list of preauthorized healthcare service codes can be found at <a href="https://senderohealth.com/preauthorizationsearch/">https://senderohealth.com/preauthorizationsearch/</a>.

## Healthcare Services That Have Been Added to the Preauthorization Requirement

(Potentially) Cosmetic	DME	E > \$500	Genetic Testing	High-Tech Imaging		Home Health Services	Investigational /Experimental			Neuropsychological Testing	
15826	A	4560	0392U	7639	91	T1000	0173U	0175U	0177U	96132	
	E	0677					0179U	0387U	0388U	96133	
	L	8678					0389U	0390U	0391U		
Injectable Drugs over \$500 Administered in a Home, Office or Outpatient Setting								0395U	0397U		
C9146	C9147	C9148	C9149	C9151	J0218	J1411	0398U	0400U	A2019		
J1449	J1576	J2329	J2427	J9029	J9056	J9058	A2020	A2021	E1905		
J9059	J9063	J9259	J9294	J9296	J9297	J9322					
J9323	J9347	J9350	J9380	J9381	Q5127	7 Q5128					
Q5129	Q5130	Q5131									

## **Health Care Services That No Longer Require Preauthorization**

DME and Supply items below have been removed from the list of preauthorized healthcare services HCPCS codes.												
A4490	A4495	A4500	A4510	A4604	A4615	A4616	A4623	A5056	A5057	A6196		
A6197	A6198	A6199	A6203	A6204	A6205	A6206	A6207	A6208	A6209	A6210		
A6211	A6212	A6213	A6214	A6215	A6216	A6217	A6218	A6219	A6220	A6221		
A6222	A6223	A6224	A6228	A6229	A6230	A6257	A6258	A6259	A6260	A6261		
A6262	A6530	A6531	A6532	A6533	A6534	A6535	A7000	A7001	A7002	A7003		
A7004	A7005	A7006	A7007	A7008	A7009	A7010	A7012	A7015	A7016	A7017		
A7018	A7027	A7028	A7029	A7030	A7031	A7032	A7033	A7034	A7035	A7036		
A7037	A9284	A9500	A9501	A9502	A9503	A9504	A9505	A9507	A9508	A9509		
A9510	A9512	A9516	A9517	A9521	A9524	A9526	A9700	C1715	C1724	C1726		
C1727	C1728	C1729	C1730	C1731	C1732	C1733	C1750	C1751	C1752	C1753		
C1754	C1755	C1756	C1757	C1758	C1759	C1777	C1778	C1779	C1879	C1881		
C1892	C1893	C1894	C1895	C1896	C1897	C1898	C1899	C1900	E0100	E0105		
E0117	E0118	E0130	E0135	E0140	E0141	E0143	E0144	E0147	E0148	E0149		
E0153	E0154	E0155	E0156	E0157	E0158	E0159	E0601	E0776	K0105	S8100		
S8101												

## **Additional Notes:**

- The Quick Reference Guide contains two sections, one for health care services requiring notification to Sendero and one for health care services requiring preauthorization.
- All covered services must be medically necessary, whether they require preauthorization. As such, they may be subject to periodic retrospective reviews for medical necessity.
- Sendero publishes an interactive healthcare service code lookup tool containing the specific healthcare service codes requiring preauthorization at <a href="https://senderohealth.com/preauthorizationsearch/">https://senderohealth.com/preauthorizationsearch/</a> and linked from the Preauthorizations tab at <a href="https://senderohealth.com">www.senderohealth.com</a>.