

2020 Preauthorization Statistics for Colorado Plans with Utilization Management under Cigna

Preauthorization Statistics by Provider Specialty, Procedure, and Denial Reason

Provider Specialty	Medication or diagnostic procedure	Approved / Denied	Reason for denial	Overtured on Appeal
Allergy/ Immunology	Xolair Injection	Approved		
Cardiovascular	Cardiac MRI	Approved		
Emergency Medicine	Initial Observation for head injury	Approved		
Family Practice	MRI: Brain	Approved		
Family Practice	MRI: Lower Extremity	Denied	Did not meet the medical necessity requirements for approval	No
Gastroenterology	MRI Abdomen	Approved		
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Gastroenterology	MRI Abdomen	Approved		
Internal Medicine	CT Scan: Abdomen & Pelvis	Approved		
Internal Medicine	Stress TTE Complete	Approved		
Internal Medicine	Acute Viral Hepatitis	Approved		
Neurology	MRI: Brain	Approved		
Neurology	MRI: Cervical Spine	Approved		
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Neurology	MRI: Cervical Spine	Approved		
Obstetrics/ Gynecology	Initial Observation Care	Approved		

Otolaryngologist (ENT)	MRI: Brain	Approved		
Outpatient Clinic	CT Scan: Abdomen / Pelvis	Approved		
Outpatient Clinic	CT Scan: Abdomen / Pelvis	Approved		
Outpatient Clinic	CT Scan: Chest	Approved		
Outpatient Clinic	CT Scan: Pelvis	Denied	Did not meet the medical necessity requirements for approval	No
Outpatient Clinic	CTA Chest	Approved		
Physician	Initial Observation Care	Approved		
Physician	TAH RAD Debulk/ Lymph Remove	Approved		
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Surgery- Orthopedic	CT Scan: Lower Extremity	Approved		
Surgery- Orthopedic	MRI: Lower Extremity	Approved		