HIGHMARK HEALTH OPTIONS

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Request for Prior Authorization for Continuous Glucose Monitoring Systems and Insulin Pumps
Website Form – www.highmarkhealthoptions.com
Submit request via: Fax - 1-855-476-4158

All requests for Continuous Glucose Monitoring Systems and Insulin Pumps covered under the pharmacy benefit require a prior authorization and will be screened for medical necessity and appropriateness using the criteria listed below.

For all requests for Continuous Glucose Monitoring Systems all of the following criteria must be met:

- Member must be insulin treated with at least one daily injection of insulin or a covered continuous insulin infusion pump (see criteria for pharmacy benefit pump below).
- For non-preferred systems, the member has had a trial and failure of a preferred system or submitted a clinical reason for not having a trial of a preferred system
- **Duration of Approval:** 12 months

For all requests for Insulin Pumps covered under the pharmacy benefit all of the following criteria must be met:

- Member must have a diagnosis of diabetes
- Member must require insulin treatment
- Non-preferred pumps are not payable under the pharmacy benefit. They must be billed under the Durable Medical Equipment benefit.
- **Duration of Approval:** 12 months

Coverage may be provided for any non-FDA labeled indication if it is determined that the use is a medically accepted indication supported by nationally recognized pharmacy compendia or peer-reviewed medical literature for treatment of the diagnosis(es) for which it is prescribed. These requests will be reviewed on a case by case basis to determine medical necessity.

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CONTINUOUS GLUCOSE MONITORING SYSTEMS AND INSULIN PUMPS PRIOR AUTHORIZATION FORM

Please complete and fax all requested information below including any progress notes, laboratory test results, or chart documentation as applicable to Highmark Health Options Pharmacy Services. **FAX:** (855) 476-4158
If needed, you may call to speak to a Pharmacy Services Representative.
PHONE: (844) 325-6251 Monday through Friday 8:00am to 7:00pm

PROVIDER INFORMATION

Requesting Provider:	NPI:
Provider Specialty:	Office Contact:
Office Address:	Office Phone:
	Office Fax:

MEMBER INFORMATION

Member Name:	DOB:	
Member ID:	Member weight:	Height:

REQUESTED DRUG INFORMATION

Medication:	Strength:	
Directions:	Quantity:	Refills:
Is the member currently receiving requested medication? ☐ Yes ☐ No	Date Medication Initiated:	
Is this medication being used for a chronic or long-term condition for which the medication may be necessary for the life of the patient? ☐ Yes ☐ No		

Billing Information

This medication will be billed: ☐ at a pharmacy **OR**
☐ medically (if medically please provide a JCODE:_____

Place of Service: ☐ Hospital ☐ Provider's office ☐ Member's home ☐ Other

Place of Service Information

Name:	NPI:
Address:	Phone:

MEDICAL HISTORY (Complete for ALL requests)

For Continuous Glucose Monitors:

1) Is the member insulin treated with daily injections of insulin or a covered continuous insulin infusion pump?
☐ Yes ☐ No

For Insulin Pumps:

1) Diagnosis: _____ ICD 10 code: _____
2) Does the member require insulin treatment? ☐ Yes ☐ No

CURRENT or PREVIOUS THERAPY

Medication Name	Strength/ Frequency	Dates of Therapy	Status (Discontinued & Why/Current)

SUPPORTING INFORMATION or CLINICAL RATIONALE

Prescribing Provider Signature	Date

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