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Provider Alert

To: All Blue Cross Complete providers

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Subject: Prior Authorization Update: Q3 2026 medical and pharmacy codes

The following changes to Prior Authorization requirements will take effect:

Title	Codes	Change	Effective Date
Q3 2026 CMS Update	99 codes (see attachment)	Newly established rules	7/01/2026 Note: exceptions highlighted in yellow

As a reminder, when you do need to verify whether a service requires prior authorization, use the [Prior Authorization Lookup Tool](#) at mibluecrosscomplete.com. Please remember, the results of this tool are not a guarantee of coverage or authorization.

If you have questions, please contact your Blue Cross Complete provider account executive or Provider Inquiry at **1-888-312-5713**.