

Prior authorization updates for medications billed under the medical benefit

Effective for dates of service on and after April 1, 2023, the following medication codes billed on medical claims from current or new *Clinical Criteria* documents will require prior authorization.

Please note, inclusion of a national drug code on your medical claim is required for claims processing.

Visit the [Clinical Criteria](#) website to search for the specific *Clinical Criteria* listed below.

<i>Clinical Criteria</i>	HCPCS or CPT® code(s)	Drug name
ING-CC-0118	A9699	Pluvicto (lutetium Lu 177 vipivotide tetraxetan)
ING-CC-0216	J9999, J3490, J3590, C9399	Opdualag (nivolumab and relatlimab-rmbw)
ING-CC-0107 ING-CC-0072	J9999, J3490, J3590, C9399	Alymsys (bevacizumab-maly)
ING-CC-0062	J3590	Yusimry (adalimumab-aqvh)

What if I need assistance?

If you have questions about this communication or need assistance with any other item, contact your local Provider Experience representative or one of our Medi-Cal Customer Care Centers:

- Outside of L.A. County: **800-407-4627**
- Inside L.A. County: **888-285-7801**

Note: Prior authorization requests for certain medications may require additional documentation to determine medical necessity.



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