

# BEHAVIORAL HEALTH PRIOR AUTHORIZATION REQUEST



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**Date of Request (MMDDYYYY):**

SERVICE TYPE:  PSYCHOLOGICAL / NEUROPSYCHOLOGICAL       APPLIED BEHAVIOR ANALYSIS (ABA)

ELECTROCONVULSIVE THERAPY (ECT) / TRANSCRANIAL MAGNETIC STIMULATION (TMS)

OUTPATIENT TREATMENT REQUEST (OTR)

**URGENT** – When a non-urgent prior authorization request could seriously jeopardize the life or health of a member. The member's ability to attain, maintain, or regain maximum function or that a delay in treatment would subject the member to severe pain that could not be adequately managed without the care/service requested. Urgent requests will be processed within 1 business day.

**NON - URGENT STANDARD** – Routine services processed within 2 business day.

Visit our ProPAT search tool to determine if a service requested requires PA [https:// medicaidportal.aetna.com/propat/Default.aspx](https://medicaidportal.aetna.com/propat/Default.aspx).  
A determination will be communication to the requesting provider.

**COMPLETE SECTIONS 1-3 IN THEIR ENTIRETY.**

**SECTION 1 - MEMBER INFORMATION**

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1. FIRST NAME	2. M.I.	3. LAST NAME
4. MEDICAID ID#	5. DATE OF BIRTH (MMDDYYYY)	6. MEMBER PHONE # (xxx-xxx-xxxx)
7. DOES THE MEMBER HAVE OTHER INSURANCE? (Include Policy Number Below)		

**SECTION 2 ORDERING/REFERRING & SERVICING PROVIDER INFORMATION**

8. ORDERING/REFERRING PROVIDER NAME		9. CONTACT PERSON (For questions)
10. TELEPHONE # (xxx-xxx-xxxx)	11. FAX # (xxx-xxx-xxxx)	12. NPI
13. SERVICING PROVIDER NAME / FACILITY / AGENCY		14. CONTACT PERSON (For questions)
15. TELEPHONE # (xxx-xxx-xxxx)	16. FAX # (xxx-xxx-xxxx)	17. NPI

**SECTION 3 - DIAGNOSIS CODES AND SERVICE / HCPCS CODES**

18. SERVICE START DATE (MMDDYYYY)		19. SERVICE END DATE (MMDDYYYY)
20. ICD 10/ DSM 5 CODE(S)	21. CODE DESCRIPTION(S) Include description of the service when uncertain of a code.	

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Table with 3 columns: 22. CPT / HCPCS / REV CODES:, 23. CODE DESCRIPTION(S):, 24. QUANTITY / UNITS:

COMPLETE THE SECTION WHICH CORRESPONDS TO THE SERVICE AUTHORIZATION BEING REQUESTED.

NOTE: SECTION 8 "ATTESTATION" MUST BE COMPLETED FOR ALL REQUESTS

SECTION 4 - ECT / TMS REQUEST
Complete all fields in their entirety.
25. TREATMENT REQUEST FOR: Initial [ ] Concurrent [ ]
26. PLACE OF SERVICE (If inpatient, why?):
27. PRIOR ECT TREATMENT? Yes [ ] No [ ]
28. INFORMATION CONSENT OBTAINED? (If applicable): Yes [ ] No [ ]
29. SUBSTANCE ABUSE HISTORY? Yes [ ] No [ ]
30. ATTENDING PYSCHOTHERAPY? Yes [ ] Frequency: \_\_\_\_\_ No [ ]
31. KNOWN SEIZURE HISTORY / CONTRAINDICATIONS TO ECT?
32. KNOWN REACTION TO ANESTHESIA, OR MEDICAL COMPLICATION TO ECT?
33. TARGET SYMPTOMS?
34. AREAS OF CONCERN (Select all that apply)
Presence of cognitive disorder [ ] Presence of significant personality disorder [ ] Lack of housing or family/social support for transition from IP ECT to OP ECT [ ]

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**Include the following clinical documentation with the ECT/TMS Prior Authorization Request:**

- Recent comprehensive Psychiatric Evaluation
- History of Psychiatric Treatment to date (include all levels of care)
  - Include onset, course, and severity of illness
  - Response to treatment
  - Describe Patient's overall treatment compliance
- For prior ECT treatment, include dates, location, number of treatments, results and known contraindications to ECT
- Substance abuse history and current status
- Any labs/diagnostic tests available to the prescribing clinician

**SECTION 5 – PSYCHOLOGICAL / NEUROPSYCHOLOGICAL TESTING REQUEST**

Complete all fields in their entirety.

35. SERVICE TYPE REQUESTED Psychological <input type="checkbox"/> Neuropsychological <input type="checkbox"/>		36. PRIOR TESTING? (If yes, include date) Yes <input type="checkbox"/> DATE (MMDDYYYY): _____ No <input type="checkbox"/>	
37. CURRENT BH OUTPATIENT SERVICES? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		38. PSYCHIATRIC DIAGNOSTIC EVALUATION? Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	

39. WHAT IS THE CLINICAL QUESTION TO BE ANSWERED BY TESTING?

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40. HOW WILL TESTING AFFECT MEMBER'S TREATMENT?

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41. DETAILED CLINICAL SUMMARY FROM TREATING PSYCHIATRIC PROVIDER FOR 6 MONTHS:

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**Include the following documentation with the Psychological/Neuropsychological Prior Authorization Request:**

- Detailed clinical summary (Physical & Behavioral Health)
- BHMP Evaluation & progress notes that detail assessment of clinical concern
- Any supporting rating scales
- Neurological assessment reviewed by BHMP (if request is for a Neuropsychological Evaluation)
- Any prior testing completed

**SECTION 6 – APPLIED BEHAVIORAL ANALYSIS (ABA)**

Complete all fields in their entirety.

42. REQUEST TYPE? Initial <input type="checkbox"/> Concurrent <input type="checkbox"/> If concurrent, how long has member been receiving services?	43. TREATMENT SETTING?
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44. CLINICAL SYMPTOMS OR SOCIAL BARRIERS?

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45. DISCHARGE PLAN (Anticipated date to transition to lower level of care)

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<b>SECTION 7 – OUTPATIENT TREATMENT REQUEST (OTR) REQUEST</b>				
Complete all fields in their entirety.				
46. REQUEST TYPE? Initial <input type="checkbox"/> Concurrent <input type="checkbox"/>		47. SERVICE TYPE? Substance Use Order <input type="checkbox"/> Mental Health <input type="checkbox"/>		
48. Clinical Symptoms or Social Barriers?				
49. Discharge Plan (Anticipated date to transition to lower level of care):				
50. Substance Abuse and/or Mental Health History – History and Current Status:				
51. Criteria/Level of Care Utilized in Past 12 Months:				
Criteria/Level of Care	Name of Provider	Duration	Approximate Dates (MMDDYYYY-MMDDYYYY)	Outcome
52. OPTIONAL SPACE FOR ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTATION:				
<b>Include the following documentation with the ABA Request or OTR Prior Authorization Request:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Clinical data (Psycho/Social/Behavioral history, mental status, current specific maladaptive behaviors and/or skill deficits, co-occurring disorders, and medical condition(s))</li> <li>Progress reducing target behaviors/skill deficits or lack of, and plan to address. For initial ABA requests, include progress or lack-of, with any previous treatment interventions</li> <li>Compliance with treatment and treatment recommendations, include plan to address non-compliance</li> <li>For ABA Requests, include treatment plan</li> </ul>				
<b>SECTION 8 – ATTESTATION</b>				
Complete all fields in their entirety.				
53. Printed Name of Provider/Clinician:			54. Date (MMDDYYYY):	
55. Signature of Provider/Clinician:				

**NOTE:** This form must be completed in its entirety in order to receive a determination. Incomplete forms may lead to delays in processing or lack of authorization.

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