

REQUEST FOR REDETERMINATION OF MEDICARE PRESCRIPTION DRUG DENIAL

Because we, Denver Health Medical Plan, Inc., denied your request for coverage of (or payment for) a prescription drug, you have the right to ask us for a redetermination (appeal) of our decision. You have 60 days from the date of our Notice of Denial of Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage to ask us for a redetermination. This form may be sent to us by mail or fax.

Mail to:

Denver Health Medical Plan, Inc.
Attn: Grievance and Appeals Department
777 Bannock St., MC 6000
Denver, CO 80204

Fax to: 303-602-2078

You may also ask us for an appeal through our website at DenverHealthMedicalPlan.org. Expedited appeal requests can be made by phone to Health Plan Services at 303-602-2111 or toll-free 877-956-2111. TTY users should call 711. Our hours of operation are 8 a.m. – 8 p.m. seven days a week.

Who may make a request: Your prescriber may ask us for an appeal on your behalf. If you want another individual (such as a family member or friend) to request an appeal for you, that individual must be your representative. Contact us to learn how to name a representative.

1. MEMBER'S INFORMATION

Member's Name		Date of Birth
Member's Address		
City	State	Zip Code
Phone #	Member ID #	

2. COMPLETE THIS SECTION IF THE PERSON MAKING THIS REQUEST IS NOT THE MEMBER:

Requestor's Name		Relationship to Member
Requestor's Address		
City	State	Zip Code
Phone #		

Representation documentation for appeal requests made by someone other than member or the member's prescriber: Attach documentation showing the authority to represent the member (a completed Authorization of Representation Form CMS-1696 or a written equivalent) if it was not submitted at the coverage determination level. For more information on appointing a representative, contact your plan or 1-800-Medicare (1-800-633-4227).

3. PRESCRIPTION DRUG YOU ARE REQUESTING

Name of drug	Strength/Quantity/Dose		
Have you purchased the drug pending appeal?	Yes	No	If "Yes":
Date Purchased	Amount Paid (attach copy of receipt)		
Pharmacy Name and Phone #			

4. PRESCRIBER'S INFORMATION

Prescriber's Name		
Prescriber's Address		
City	State	Zip Code
Phone #	Fax #	Contact Person

Important Note: Expedited Decisions

If you or your prescriber believe that waiting 7 days for a standard decision could seriously harm your life, health, or ability to regain maximum function, you can ask for an expedited (fast) decision. If your prescriber indicates that waiting 7 days could seriously harm your health, we will automatically give you a decision within 72 hours. If you do not obtain your prescriber's support for an expedited appeal, we will decide if your case requires a fast decision. You cannot request an expedited appeal if you are asking us to pay you back for a drug you already received.

**CHECK THIS BOX IF YOU BELIEVE YOU NEED A DECISION WITHIN 72 HOURS
(If you have a supporting statement from your prescriber, attach it to request)**

Please explain your reasons for appealing. Attach additional pages, if necessary. Attach any additional information you believe may help your case, such as a statement from your prescriber and relevant medical records. You may want to refer to the explanation we provided in the Notice of Denial of Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage and have your prescriber address the Plan's coverage criteria, if available, as stated in the Plan's denial letter or in the other Plan documents. Input from your prescriber will be needed to explain why you cannot meet the Plan's coverage criteria and/or why the drugs required by the Plan are not medically appropriate for you.

**Signature of person requesting the appeal
(member, or the representative):**

Today's Date