

Request for Redetermination of Medicare Prescription Drug Denial

Because we, Health Net[®] Medicare Programs, 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:

Address:
P.O. Box 10450
Van Nuys, CA 91410-0450

Fax Number:
1-800-977-1959

You may also ask us for an appeal through our website at Healthnet.com. Expedited appeal requests can be made by phone at 1-800-275-4737. TTY users should call 711.

From October 1st through February 14th, our office hours are 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., 7 days a week. Calls on Thanksgiving and Christmas Day will be handled by our automated phone system. From February 15th through September 30th, our office hours are 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. Additionally, from February 15th through September 30th, calls on Saturdays, Sundays, and Federal holidays, with the exception of President's Day, will be handled by our automated phone system.

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.

Enrollee's Information

Enrollee's Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Enrollee's Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone _____

Enrollee's Plan ID Number _____

Complete the following section ONLY if the person making this request is not the enrollee:

Requestor's Name _____

Requestor's Relationship to Enrollee _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Phone _____

Representation documentation for appeal requests made by someone other than enrollee or the enrollee's prescriber:

Attach documentation showing the authority to represent the enrollee (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.

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)

Name and telephone number of pharmacy: _____

Prescriber's Information

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Office Phone _____ Fax _____

Office 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 this 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.

Signature of person requesting the appeal (the enrollee, or the enrollee's prescriber or representative):

_____ **Date** _____

Health Net has a contract with Medicare to offer HMO, PPO, HMO-SNP plans. Health Net has a contract with Medicare and the Arizona and California state Medicaid programs to offer HMO SNP coordinated care plans. Enrollment in a Health Net Medicare Advantage plan depends on contract renewal.

Health Net complies with applicable federal civil rights laws and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex. Health Net does not exclude people or treat them differently because of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex.

Health Net:

- Provides free aids and services to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with us, such as qualified sign language interpreters and written information in other formats (large print, accessible electronic formats, other formats).
- Provides free language services to people whose primary language is not English, such as qualified interpreters and information written in other languages.

If you need these services, contact Health Net's Customer Contact Center at California: 1-800-275-4737
California HMO SNP: 1-800-431-9007 (TTY: 711), 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m., Pacific Time, seven days a week.

If you believe that Health Net has failed to provide these services or discriminated in another way on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability or sex, you can file a grievance by calling the number above and telling them you need help filing a grievance; Health Net's Customer Contact Center is available to help you.

You can also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights, electronically through the Office for Civil Rights Complaint Portal, available at <https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf> or by mail or phone at: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 200 Independence Avenue SW., Room 509F, HHH Building, Washington, DC 20201, 1-800-368-1019, (TDD: 1-800-537-7697). Complaint forms are available at <http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html>.

Multi-language Interpreter Services

English:

ATTENTION: If you speak English, language assistance services, free of charge, are available to you. Call 1-800-977-7522 (Arizona), 1-800-275-4737 (California), 1-888-445-8913 (Oregon) (TTY: 711).

Spanish:

ATENCIÓN: Si habla español, tiene a su disposición servicios gratuitos de asistencia lingüística. Llame al 1-800-977-7522 (Arizona), 1-800-275-4737 (California), 1-888-445-8913 (Oregon) (TTY: 711).

Chinese:

注意：如果您使用繁體中文，您可以免費獲得語言援助服務。請致電 1-800-977-7522 (Arizona), 1-800-275-4737 (California), 1-888-445-8913 (Oregon) (TTY: 711)。

Tagalog:

PAUNAWA: Kung nagsasalita ka ng Tagalog, maaari kang gumamit ng mga serbisyo ng tulong sa wika nang walang bayad. Tumawag sa 1-800-977-7522 (Arizona), 1-800-275-4737 (California), 1-888-445-8913 (Oregon) (TTY: 711).

French:

ATTENTION : Si vous parlez français, des services d'aide linguistique vous sont proposés gratuitement. Appelez le 1-800-977-7522 (Arizona), 1-800-275-4737 (California), 1-888-445-8913 (Oregon) (ATS :711).

Vietnamese:

CHÚ Ý: Nếu u bạn nói Tiếng Việt, có các dịch vụ hỗ trợ ngôn ngữ miễn phí dành cho bạn. Gọi số 1-800-977-7522 (Arizona), 1-800-275-4737 (California), 1-888-445-8913 (Oregon) (TTY: 711).

German:

ACHTUNG: Wenn Sie Deutsch sprechen, stehen Ihnen kostenlos sprachliche Hilfsdienstleistungen zur Verfügung. Rufnummer: 1-800-977-7522 (Arizona), 1-800-275-4737 (California), 1-888-445-8913 (Oregon) (TTY: 711).

Korean:

주의: 한국어를 사용하시는 경우, 언어 지원 서비스를 무료로 이용하실 수 있습니다. 1-800-977-7522 (Arizona), 1-800-275-4737 (California), 1-888-445-8913 (Oregon) (TTY: 711) 번으로 전화해 주십시오.

Russian:

ВНИМАНИЕ: Если вы говорите на русском языке, то вам доступны бесплатные услуги перевода. Звоните 1-800-977-7522 (Arizona), 1-800-275-4737 (California), 1-888-445-8913 (Oregon) (т е л е т а й п : 711).

Arabic:

ملحوظة: إذا كنت تتحدث اذكر اللغة، فإن خدمات المساعدة اللغوية تتوافر لك بالمجان. اتصل برقم 1-800-977-7522 (Arizona), 1-800-275-4737 (California), 1-888-445-8913 (Oregon) (رقم هاتف الصم والبكم: 711).

Hindi:

ध्यान दें: यदि आप हदी बोलते हैं तो आपके लिए मुफ्त में भाषा सहायता सेवाएं उपलब्ध हैं।

1-800-977-7522 (Arizona), 1-800-275-4737 (California), 1-888-445-8913 (Oregon) (TTY: 711) पर कॉल करें।

Italian:

ATTENZIONE: In caso la lingua parlata sia l'italiano, sono disponibili servizi di assistenza linguistica gratuiti. Chiamare il numero 1-800-977-7522 (Arizona), 1-800-275-4737 (California), 1-888-445-8913 (Oregon) (TTY: 711).

Portuguese:

ATENÇÃO: Se fala português, encontram-se disponíveis serviços linguísticos, grátis. Ligue para 1-800-977-7522 (Arizona), 1-800-275-4737 (California), 1-888-445-8913 (Oregon) (TTY: 711).

French Creole:

ATANSYON: Si w pale Kreyòl Ayisyen, gen sèvis èd pou lang ki disponib gratis pou ou. Rele 1-800-977-7522 (Arizona), 1-800-275-4737 (California), 1-888-445-8913 (Oregon) (TTY: 711).

Polish:

UWAGA: Jeżeli mówisz po polsku, możesz skorzystać z bezpłatnej pomocy językowej. Zadzwoń pod numer 1-800-977-7522 (Arizona), 1-800-275-4737 (California), 1-888-445-8913 (Oregon) (TTY: 711).

Japanese:

注意事項：日本語を話される場合、無料の言語支援をご利用いただけます。1-800-977-7522 (Arizona), 1-800-275-4737 (California), 1-888-445-8913 (Oregon) (TTY: 711) まで、お電話にてご連絡ください。

Farsi:

توجه: اگر به زبان فارسی گفتگو می کنید، تسهیلات زبانی بصورت رایگان برای شما فراهم می باشد. با 1-800-977-7522 (Arizona), 1-800-275-4737 (California), 1-888-445-8913 (Oregon) (TTY: 711) تماس بگیرید.

Armenian:

ՈՒՇԱԴՐՈՒԹՅՈՒՆ՝ Եթե խոսում եք հայերեն, սպաս ձեզ անվճար կարող են տրամադրվել լեզվակապակցի աջակցություններ: Ձանգահարեք 1-800-977-7522 (Arizona), 1-800-275-4737 (California), 1-888-445-8913 (Oregon) (TTY (հեռատիպ)՝ 711):

Cambodian:

រមែងតន៖ េបើសិនជាអនកនិយាយ ភាសាខ្មែរ, េសវាជំនួយផនកភាសា េដោយមិនគិតឈនួល គីអាចមានសំរាប់បំេអនក។ ូរ ូរសំពទ 1-800-977-7522 (Arizona), 1-800-275-4737 (California), 1-888-445-8913 (Oregon) (TTY: 711) ។

Punjabi:

ਧਿਆਨ ਦਿਓ 1 ਤਾਂ ਭਾਸ਼ਾ ਵੱਚਿ ਸਹਾਇਤਾ ਸੇਵਾ ਤੁਹਾਡੇ ਲਈ ਮੁਫਤ ਉਪਲਬਧ ਹੈ। ਜੇ ਤੁਸੀਂ ਪੰਜਾਬੀ ਬੋਲਦੇ ਹੋ : 1-800-977-7522 (Arizona), 1-800-275-4737 (California), 1-888-445-8913 (Oregon) (TTY: 711) ਤੇ ਕਾਲ ਕਰੋ।

Thai:

เรียน : ถ้าคุณพูดภาษาไทยคุณสามารถใช้บริการช่วยเหลือทางภาษาได้ฟรี โทร 1-800-977-7522 (Arizona), 1-800-275-4737 (California), 1-888-445-8913 (Oregon) (TTY: 711).

