

Provider Bulletin



News and Information

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Authorization and Notification Requirements Update: Withdrawal Management

On April 1, 2022, UCare removed Withdrawal Management from the Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder Services Authorization and Notification requirements grid for members enrolled in a State Public Program (Prepaid Medical Assistance Program, MinnesotaCare, Minnesota Senior Health Options, Minnesota Senior Care Plus, UCare Connect and UCare Connect+ Medicare) or an Individual and Family Plan. Beginning April 1, 2022, no notification is needed for dates of service January 1, 2022, or later. Contract providers may bill for Withdrawal Management services without submitting notification.

SERVICES	REQUIREMENTS	CODE REQUIRING AUTHORIZATION CPT / HCPC CODES	THRESHOLD UNITS
Withdrawal Management	No Notification Requirement No Concurrent Review	Follow MHCP Guidelines	N/A

Non-contracted providers are required to submit a request for authorization. Non-contracted providers can submit a request for authorization by completing a [Notification of Admission](#) form for Withdrawal Management services. The form is available on [UCare's provider website](#).

Notification or prior authorization of services does not guarantee payment.

Contact UCare’s Provider Assistance Center at 612-676-3300 or 1-888-531-1493 (toll free), Monday through Friday, 8 am to 5 pm with any questions.