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April 15 holiday closure: How to submit inpatient authorization requests

On Friday, April 15, 2022, Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan and Blue Care Network corporate offices will be closed for the Good Friday holiday.

Refer to the document <u>Holiday closures: How to submit authorization requests</u> for instructions on how to submit authorization requests for inpatient admissions during the closure.

You can access this document on the **ereferrals.bcbsm.com** website, on these webpages:

- Blue Cross Authorization Requirements & Criteria page
- BCN Authorization Requirements & Criteria page

Here are the additional holiday closures that will occur during 2022, so you can plan ahead:

- Memorial Day, Monday, May 30
- Juneteenth Day, Monday, June 20
- Independence Day, Monday, July 4
- Labor Day, Monday, Sept. 5
- Election Day, Tuesday, Nov. 8
- Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, Nov. 24
- Day after Thanksgiving, Friday, Nov. 25
- Floating Christmas Holiday, Friday, Dec. 23
- Day after Christmas, Monday, Dec. 26
- Floating New Year's Holiday, Friday, Dec. 30