

Changes to the Gastric stimulation and Breast reconstruction questionnaires in the e-referral system

On Feb. 25, 2024, we'll update questionnaires in the e-referral system.

We'll also update the corresponding preview questionnaires in the [Authorization criteria and preview questionnaires](#) document on the ereferrals.bcbsm.com website.

As a reminder, we use our authorization criteria, our medical policies and your answers to the questionnaires in the e-referral system when making utilization management determinations on your prior authorization requests.

Updated questionnaires

We'll update the following questionnaires in the e-referral system:

Questionnaire	Will open for	Updates
<i>Gastric stimulation</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Medicare Plus Blue BCN commercial BCN Advantage 	Removed a question.
<i>Breast reconstruction</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> BCN commercial 	Updated a question.

Preview questionnaires

Preview questionnaires show the questions you'll need to answer in the e-referral system so you can prepare your answers ahead of time.

To find the preview questionnaires, see the document titled [Authorization criteria and preview questionnaires](#).

You can access this document by going to ereferrals.bcbsm.com and doing the following:

- **For Medicare Plus Blue:** Click on *Blue Cross* and then click on [Prior Authorization](#). Scroll down and look under the "Authorization information for Medicare Plus Blue members" heading.
- **For BCN:** Click on *BCN* and then click on [Prior Authorization & Plan Notification](#). Scroll down and look under the "Authorization criteria and preview questionnaires for select services" heading.

Authorization criteria and medical policies

The *Authorization criteria and preview questionnaires* document explains how to access the pertinent authorization criteria and medical policies.

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