

Bkemv, Niktimvo and Pyzchiva will require prior authorization for Medicare Advantage members starting Feb. 3

For dates of service on or after Feb. 3, 2025, the following drugs will require prior authorization for Medicare Plus Blue and BCN Advantage members:

- BkemvTM (eculizumab-aeab), HCPCS code Q5139
- NiktimvoTM (axatilimab-csfr), HCPCS code J3590
- Pyzchiva[®] IV (ustekinumab-ttwe), HCPCS code Q9997

Submit prior authorization requests through the NovoLogix[®] online tool when this drug will be billed as a medical benefit.

When prior authorization is required

These drugs will require prior authorization when administered by a health care provider in sites of care such as outpatient facilities or physician offices and are billed in one of the following ways:

- Electronically through an 837P transaction or on a professional CMS-1500 claim form
- Electronically through an 837I transaction or using the UB04 claim form for a hospital outpatient type of bill 013x

How to access NovoLogix

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List of requirements

For a list of requirements related to drugs covered under the medical benefit, see the [Medical Drug and Step Therapy Prior Authorization List for Medicare Plus Blue and BCN Advantage members](#).

We'll update this list prior to the effective date.

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