

MESSA members will have requirements under the Oncology Value Management program starting Jan. 1

Michigan Education Special Services Association, or MESSA, members will have requirements under the Oncology Value Management program, administered by OncoHealth, starting Jan. 1, 2027.

For dates of service on or after Jan. 1, 2027, healthcare providers will need to submit prior authorization requests for MESSA members for all drugs and radiation oncology services (including proton beam therapy) that are managed by OncoHealth. See the following lists to determine which procedure codes require prior authorization:

- **Drugs:** [Oncology Value Management program prior authorization list for Blue Cross and BCN commercial members](#)
- **Radiation oncology:** [Procedure codes for which providers must request prior authorization](#) — search for a specific procedure code and look for *OncoHealth* in the *Requests managed by column*

To determine prior authorization requirements for a specific member, follow the instructions in the pertinent section of the [Determining prior authorization requirements for members](#) document.

For additional information about the Oncology Value Management program, see the following resources:

- [Oncology Value Management program through OncoHealth: Frequently asked questions for providers](#) PDF
- The following pages on **authorizations.bcbsm.com**:
 - [Medical Benefit Drugs: How to determine requirements for oncology medical benefit drugs](#)
 - [Oncology Services](#)

Prior authorization isn't a guarantee of payment. Healthcare providers need to verify eligibility and benefits for members.

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