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This document provides an inventory of commonly used self-service tools and resources Humana created to make it easier for you to find the information you need. The information is categorized by function, to guide you more directly to what you need. When downloaded, this document becomes uncontrolled. Do not rely on printed copies for the most up-to-date version; instead, please use the links below.

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Eligibility and Benefits

Overview	 Check the patient's benefits Identify an HMO patient's primary care provider Obtain your patient's ID number by searching by Medicare Beneficiary Identifier 	 Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Patient Registration → Eligibility and Benefits Inquiry
Humana ID card	• View and/or print a patient's ID card	 Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Payer Spaces → Humana → Applications → View ID Card
Member summary	• Access a 365-day summary of a patient's medical history for specific, clinically relevant information, including quality data for HEDIS® and Star measures	 Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Patient Registration → Eligibility and Benefits Inquiry
Patient care summary	• Download medical history by entering a date range. (Summary includes a history of radiology and immunization.)	 Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Patient Registration → Eligibility and Benefits Inquiry
Care reminders	 Obtain clinically relevant information specific to the patient Identify opportunities for screenings, lab tests or other treatments 	 Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Patient Registration → Eligibility and Benefits Inquiry
Accumulated benefits and deductibles	• Access patient coverage and benefit information, including copayment, coinsurance and deductible details	 Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Patient Registration → Eligibility and Benefits Inquiry
Certificate of coverage	Access a document with detailed benefits	 Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Patient Registration → Eligibility and Benefits Inquiry
Patient cost estimator (for professional claims only)	 Submit service, diagnosis and procedure information to calculate a patient's estimated financial responsibility. Includes: Deductibles Copayments 	 Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Patient Registration → Eligibility and Benefits Inquiry

Authorizations and Referrals

Authorizations and referrals	 Check to see if an authorization is required Submit new referral and authorization requests 	 Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Patient Registration → Authorizations and Referrals
	• Use the "add clinical documents" feature to seamlessly share medical record information with requesting Humana departments	
Authorization	• Inquire about existing inpatient and outpatient authorizations and referrals	 Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Payer Spaces → Humana →
management	• Use the "add clinical documents" feature to seamlessly share medical record information with requesting Humana departments	Applications \rightarrow Authorization Management
Medical and pharmacy coverage policies	• Obtain information on evaluation and coverage of medical procedures, devices and medications being investigated or recently introduced for the treatment of various conditions	Found at <u>Humana.com/CoveragePolicies</u>
Preauthorization and notification lists	 Find lists of medical procedures, devices and medications for which preauthorization may be required Includes procedure codes 	Found at <u>Humana.com/PAL</u>

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Behavioral health, authorizations, referrals and guidelines	Consult clinical practice guidelines for behavioral health conditions	 Found at <u>Humana.com/Provider/Medical-</u> <u>Resources/Authorizations-Referrals</u> More information found at <u>Humana.com/Provider/Support/Clinical/Behavioral-Health-Guidelines</u>
Utilization Management partners	 Cohere Health Request preauthorization for pain management, musculoskeletal procedures, therapy, cardiac imaging, devices and interventions, select surgical procedures and endoscopies (starting July 1, 2024, diagnostic imaging and facility-based sleep studies) Chemotherapy services (Group Medicare and Medicare Advantage – HMO and PPO Only and KY Medicaid) 	 Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Patient Registration → Authorizations & Referrals → Cohere Health Also found at <u>Next.CohereHealth.com</u> Found at <u>Humana.com/Provider/Medical-</u> Descurses (Authorizations Beformle, Chemotherenu)
	 OncoHealth* reviews preauthorization requests [for practices in CT, DE, GA, MA, MD, ME, NH, NJ, NY, PA, RI, TX, VT and PR]. *Formerly known as Oncology Analytics Evolent* reviews preauthorization requests for all other states except HI. *Formerly known as New Century Health Humana's medical intake team (MIT) also known as Humana's Clinical Pharmacy Review (HCPR) reviews preauthorization requests for commercial, private feefor-service (PFFS) and Humana-covered patients in Hawaii. Fax: 888-447-3430. Request forms are available. Phone: 866-461-7273 Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. – 11 p.m., Eastern time PR phone: 866-488-5995 Monday – Friday, 8:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m., local time 	 <u>Resources/Authorizations-Referrals</u> → Chemotherapy agents, supportive drugs and symptom Found at <u>Prior Authorization for Professionally Administered</u> <u>Drugs - Humana</u>
	 Oncology therapy services (radiation and surgical services for Group Medicare and Medicare Advantage – HMO and PPO Only) Evolent* reviews preauthorization requests for all states except Puerto Rico. *Formerly known as New Century Health Humana's clinical intake team (CIT) reviews preauthorization requests for commercial and private fee-for-service (PFFS). Fax: 800-266-3022 Phone: 800-523-0023 Monday – Friday, 7 a.m. – 7 p.m., Eastern time PR phone: 866-488-5995 Monday – Friday, 8:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m., local time 	 Found at <u>Humana.com/Provider/Medical-Resources/Authorizations-Referrals</u> → Oncology therapy services Found at <u>Humana.com/Provider/Medical-Resources/Authorizations-Referrals</u> → Surgical services
	• Tivity Health, Inc.: Obtain information about fitness and health products primarily for seniors and older adults	• Found at <u>TivityHealth.com/Products/SilverSneakers</u>

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 WholeHealth Living, Inc.: Administers leased network management, utilization management (UM) and claim payments for chiropractic, acupuncture, naturopathy and therapeutic massage services. Services vary by line of business and state. Chiropractic network and UM services: Available in AZ, GA and South FL, IL, KY, OH and IN counties bordering IL, KY and OH. Preauthorization required beginning with the initial visit (commercial and Southern FL only). Acupuncture: Available in AZ, CO, CT, DE, FL, HI, ID, KY, ME, MD, MA, MO, NH, NC, NJ NM, NY, OH, OR, PA, RI, TX, UT, VT, VA, WA and WY. Preauthorization required beginning with the initial visit (Medicare Advantage only). Naturopathy: Available in OR and WA Therapeutic massage: Available in FL 	Found at <u>WholeHealthPro.com</u>
 WholeHealth Living Choices Physical medicine and integrative health solutions discount network Members can access more than 18,000 provider and vendor discounts. Services members receive are not part of their health benefits plan; therefore, no referrals or precertifications are required. 	• Found at <u>Humana.WholeHealthMD.com</u>

Clinical Policies and Documentation

Medical and pharmacy	Obtain information on evaluation and coverage of medical procedures	• Found at Humana com/CoverageDelicies
coverage policies	 Obtain information on evaluation and coverage of medical procedures, devices and medications being investigated or recently introduced for the treatment of various conditions 	 Found at Humana.com/CoveragePolicies
Preauthorization and notification lists	• Find a list of services and medications for which preauthorization may be required	Found at Humana.com/PAL
	View procedure codes	
Clinical support	• Review clinical and behavioral health guidelines, Medicaid materials, medical services and procedures that may require medical records review and many other resources	Found at <u>Humana.com/Clinical</u>
Social determinants of health (SDOH) coding resources	Obtain a best practices document about addressing a patient's social health needs.	Found at <u>healthequity.humana.com/resources/physician-</u> guide-to-address-sdoh-in-patients.html
	• Social Determinants of Health Data Issue Brief: provides opportunities to address SDOH.	Found at <u>healthequity.humana.com/humana-issue-</u> briefs/social-determinants-of-health-data-issue-brief.html
	• Health Equity Issue Brief: Identifies and addresses racial and ethnical health disparities experienced by Humana's members	 Found at <u>healthequity.humana.com/humana-issue-</u> briefs/health-equity-2023-issue-brief.html
Claim coding and inquiry process guidelines	• Find detailed information about Humana's claim coding guidelines to assist you in accurately documenting and coding diagnoses and services provided to your Humana-insured patients	Found at <u>Humana.com/ClaimsCoding</u>

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Medical Claim Policies and Code Editing

Humana's claims payment policies	 Access information about reimbursement methodologies and acceptable billing Reduce delays in processing claims and avoid rebilling and additional requests for information 	Found at <u>Humana.com/ClaimsPaymentPolicies</u>
Claim processing edits	 Access policies and claims payment systems aligned with correct-coding initiatives 	Found at <u>Humana.com/Edits</u>
Code edit simulator	Submit billing scenarios to receive instant responses about code edits	 Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Payer Spaces → Humana → Applications → Code Edit Simulator
Research procedure code edits	Submit specific questions about code editing	 Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Payer Spaces → Humana → Applications → Research Procedure Code Edits
Making It Easier for Physicians and Other Healthcare Providers	• Access a library of brief videos designed to make it easier for you to do business with Humana	 Found at <u>Humana.com/MakingItEasier</u> Also found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Payer Spaces → Humana → Resources → Making It Easier

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Electronic claims	• Submit electronic claims through Availity Essentials™	 Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Claims and Payments → Professional Claim or Facility Claim
Claim submissions	• Find information about submitting electronic and paper claims. Note: The claim or encounter mailing address on patient identification cards is always the most appropriate to use.	Found at <u>Humana.com/ClaimsSubmissions</u>
Electronic claim payment	 Initiate direct deposit of your Humana claims payments into the bank accounts of your choice when you sign up for electronic funds transfer (EFT) Receive electronic versions of your explanations of remittance automatically when you enroll for electronic remittance advice (ERA) 	 Found at <u>Humana.com/ePaymentInfo</u> or Also Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Payer Spaces → Humana → Applications → ERA/EFT Enrollment

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Claim status	 Search by claim number, member name or date of service Check claim status and view details Manage accounts receivable Submit an unsolicited overpayment Correct a claim (see entry below) Initiate an appeal or dispute a claim 	 Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Claims & Payments → Claim Status Initiate an appeal or dispute: Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Claims & Payments → Claim Status → Enter search criteria → Select claim → "Dispute Claim" button* *Button displays only for eligible claims.
Claim correction	 Submit a claim correction via Availity Essentials Update material information on a previously submitted incorrect or incomplete claim 	 Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Claims & Payments → Claim Status → Enter search criteria → Select claim → "Correct this claim" button* *Button displays only for eligible claims.

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Claim appeals and disputes	 Manage a worklist for claim appeals and disputes Attach documentation Finalize and submit requests to Humana Check status View high-level determinations and determination letters 	 Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Claims & Payments → Appeals
Remittance review	 Search the past 18 months of remittance history using: Automated clearing house (ACH), check, claim or remit numbers Service dates, voucher or EFT deposit dates Download the 835 file in PDF, X12 or CSV format 	 Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Claims & Payments → Remittance Viewer → Remittance Inquiry (Humana)
Fee schedule inquiry	Obtain contracted reimbursement information for patient services	 Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Claims & Payments → Fee Schedule Listing → Fee Schedules
Claim payment inquiries	• Find the process for claim-payment inquiries and disputing determinations	Found at <u>Humana.com/Provider/Medical-</u> <u>Resources/Claims-Payments/Claims-Payment/Payment-</u> <u>Inquiries</u>
Overpayments tool	 View overpayments in real time and assign related tasks to a specific user Manage overpayment documentation and maintain case history electronically Request more information about or dispute a specific overpayment 	• Go to <u>Availity.com</u> → Claims & Payments → Overpayments
	Resolve overpayments	

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Prior authorization for pharmacy drugs	 Request prior authorizations for medications Includes Puerto Rico customized process 	 Found at <u>Humana.com/PA</u> Also found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Payer Spaces → Humana → Applications → Pharmacy Prior Authorization
Prior authorization for professionally administered drugs	• See the "Customized fax forms" section for drugs that require prior authorization before they can be administered in a physician's office, clinic, outpatient or home setting	Found at <u>Humana.com/MedPA</u>
CoverMyMeds	 Request preauthorizations (Humana's preferred method) Review, complete and track preauthorization requests Receive electronic determinations and create renewals from previously submitted requests 	 Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Patient Registration → Authorizations & Referrals → Drug Prior Authorization (CoverMyMeds) Found at <u>CoverMyMeds.com/Main/Prior-Authorization- Forms/Humana</u>
Prescription drug exceptions and appeals	 Obtain information about coverage determinations, such as: The portion of a drug's cost for which the patient will be responsible Quantity limits Step therapy requirements 	 Found at <u>Humana.com/Provider/Pharmacy-</u> <u>Resources/Exceptions-Appeals</u>

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Medical and pharmacy coverage policies	• Obtain information on evaluation and coverage of medical procedures, devices and medications being investigated or recently introduced for the treatment of various conditions	Found at <u>Humana.com/CoveragePolicies</u>
Humana drug lists	 Overview Access formulary information and other resources Humana drug-list search Search for a medication on Humana's drug list and obtain information about specific drugs Generic drug guide View a chart that shows generic alternatives or generic equivalents for brand-name drugs 	 Found at <u>Humana.com/RxTools</u> Found at <u>Humana.com/DrugLists</u> Found at <u>Humana.com/Provider/Medical-</u> <u>Providers/Pharmacy/Tools/Generics</u>
CenterWell Pharmacy® (Formerly known as Humana Pharmacy)	 Benefits: Accuracy and safety Potential cost savings Integrated services Obtain information about: Drug lists Medication Therapy Management (MTM) Ways to prescribe 	 Found at <u>CenterWellPharmacy.com</u> Found at <u>Humana.com/Provider/Pharmacy- Resources/Tools/CenterWell-Pharmacy</u>
CenterWell Specialty Pharmacy ® (Formerly known as Humana Specialty Pharmacy)	 Benefits: Convenience Support for many complex therapies Prescription accuracy and safety protocols that include a Utilization Management (UM) program Billing assistance to help you with coverage questions Obtain information about: Drug lists Ways to prescribe 	Found at <u>CenterWellSpecialtyPharmacy.com</u>
Pharmacy manuals and forms	 View payer sheets Obtain information about compliance training requirements Obtain manuals and forms Provider manuals Controlled substances Medicaid Audit guide Network request forms 	Found at <u>Humana.com/Provider/Pharmacy-</u> <u>Resources/Manuals-Forms</u>

Medical Record Submission

Medical records management (MRM)	 Share medical record information seamlessly with requesting Humana departments 	 Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Payer Spaces → Humana → Applications → Medical Records Management
Authorization management	 Use the "add clinical documents" feature to seamlessly share medical record information requested by Humana for authorization submissions 	 Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Payer Spaces → Humana → Applications → Authorization Management
Claim status – send medical record information	 Use the "send claim attachment" feature to seamlessly share medical record information requested by Humana for claims. 	 Found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Claims & Payments → Claim Status Enter search criteria → Select claim → "Send claim attachment" button* *Button displays only for eligible claims.

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Humana PPI policies and processes	View PPI policies and processes	Found at <u>Humana.com/PPI</u>
Humana PPI dispute resolution process	Learn about the dispute resolution process for physicians and other healthcare providers who disagree with Humana's findings	Found at <u>Humana.com/provider/medical-</u> resources/payment-integrity-and-disputes
Overpayments tool	 View overpayments in real time and assign related tasks to a specific user Manage overpayment documentation and maintain case history electronically Request more information about or dispute a specific overpayment 	• Go to <u>Availity.com</u> → Claims & Payments → Overpayments
Humana PPI policy for medical records management	Obtain details on submitting medical records to Humana's PPI department	 Found at <u>Humana.com/Provider/Support/Claims/Financial- Recovery/Medical-Records</u>
Humana PPI medical record review resources	 Find information about medical record reviews conducted during prepayment and post-payment review 	 Found at <u>Humana.com/Provider/Medical-</u> <u>Resources/Payment-Integrity-and-Disputes/Medical-</u> <u>Record-Review-Resources</u>
Humana PPI review policy	 Prepayment site: Obtain an explanation of the prepayment review process 	 Prepayment found at <u>Humana.com/Provider/Support/Claims/Financial-</u> <u>Recovery/Prepayment</u>
	 Post-payment site: Find information about PPI's post-payment review process 	 Post-payment found at <u>Humana.com/Provider/Support/Claims/Financial-</u> <u>Recovery/Post-Payment-Review-Policy</u>
Humana PPI medical record review dispute policy	• Learn about the dispute resolution process for physicians and other healthcare professionals who disagree with Humana's findings	Found at <u>Humana.com/Provider/Medical-</u> <u>Resources/Payment-Integrity-and-Disputes/Medical-</u> <u>Record-Dispute-Policy</u>

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Education

Business resources	• Access links to publications, informational presentations, compliance training and other resources to help you do business with Humana	Found at Humana.com/Provider/News
Making It Easier for Physicians and Other Healthcare Providers	 Access a library of brief videos designed to make it easier for you to do business with Humana 	 Found at <u>Humana.com/MakingItEasier</u> Also found at <u>Availity.com</u> → Payer Spaces → Humana → Resources → Making It Easier
Humana interactive webinars	 Sign up for education about online tools View instructor-led webinars and receive answers to questions 	Found at <u>Humana.com/ProviderWebinars</u>
Humana Physician News	 Find quarterly email newsletters featuring the latest news, resources and administrative information to support you in the care of your Humana-covered patients Read Humana Physician News (formerly Humana's YourPractice) 	Go to <u>Humana.com/PhysicianNews</u>
Humana news	Read key updates for healthcare providers and their staff members	Found at <u>Humana.com/News</u>
Publications	 Review provider manuals and other publications Find important information concerning policies and procedures, claim submission and adjudication requirements and guidelines used to administer Humana health plans 	Found at <u>Humana.com/Publications</u>
Social determinants of health (SDOH) resources	 Find information about SDOH provider coding guide Various SDOH screening guides Humana Community Navigator 	 Found at <u>healthequity.humana.com/resources/physician</u> <u>-guide-to-address-sdoh-in-patients.html</u>
Value-based care	• Learn about value-based care and Humana's efforts to support your commitment to your patients' health. Includes access to sophisticated tools, capabilities and services designed to make population health management easier.	Found at <u>ValueBasedCare.Humana.com</u>

Key Contacts

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Clinical intake team	For medical service preauthorization requests and notifications	Call 800-523-0023
Commercial customer service	For eligibility/benefits and claims inquiries	Call 800-4-HUMANA (448-6262)
Humana clinical pharmacy	• For medication prior authorization, step therapy, quantity limits and	Call 800-555-CLIN (2546)
review Medicare customer service	 For eligibility/benefits and claims inquiries	Call 800-457-4708
Medication intake team	• For preauthorization of medication supplied and administered in a physician's office and billed as a medical claim (Part B for Medicare)	Call 866-461-7273
Doctor call line	For answers to all your CenterWell Pharmacy® questions	Call 800-967-9830

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Provider payment integrity	For questions about PPI audit policies and other resources	• Call 800-438-7885
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