

Presley, Shannon M (MRN 02233985)

# Authorized (Covered Benefit)

## Referral

Referral # 4116355850

### Referral Information

Referral #	Creation Date	Referral Status	Status Update
4116355850	01/13/2025	Authorized	<a href="#">01/16/2025: Status History</a>

Status Reason	Referral Type	Referral Reasons	Referral Class
Covered Benefit	DME/P&O	Provide DME/appliance/Brace/supplies only	Outgoing

To Specialty	To Provider	To Location/Place of Service	To Department	To POS Type
Durable Medical Equipment	Healthcare, Bellevue	BELLEVUE HEALTHCARE- REDMOND	none	Home

To Vendor	Referred By	By Location/Place of Service	By Department
none	Kim, Jason, DPM	BELLEVUE MEDICAL CENTER	BVU PODIATRY

Priority	Start Date	Expiration Date	Referral Entered By
Routine	01/13/2025	03/12/2025	Kim, Jason, DPM

Visits Requested	Visits Authorized	Visits Completed	Visits Scheduled
1	1		

### Procedure Information

#### Service Details

Procedure	Modifiers	Revenue Code	Provider	Requested	Approved
<del>DME0056-REF DME</del> CRUTCHES	none	<del>none</del>		0	0

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Procedure	Modifiers	Revenue Code	Provider	Requested	Approved
E0118 - CRUTCH SUBSTITUTE, LOWER LEG PLATFORM, WITH OR WITHOUT WHEELS, EACH	RR	none		2 (1/Month x 2)	2 (1/Month x 2)

Diagnosis Information

Diagnosis  
Z01.818 (ICD-10-CM) - Pre-op exam

Referral Notes

Number of Notes: 10

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Letter	01/16/2025 7:12 AM	Mills, Deann	Auto: 441021-KPWA RS AUTH MBR LTR	-

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January 16, 2025

Shannon M Presley  
31108 3rd Avenue 325  
Black Diamond WA 98010

Dear Shannon:

You have been referred to:

Provider:

BELLEVUE HEALTHCARE  
2015 152nd Ave NE  
Redmond WA 98052-5521

Facility:

BELLEVUE HEALTHCARE-REDMOND  
2015 152ND AVE NE  
REDMOND WA 98052  
[425-451-2842](tel:425-451-2842)

For the following service(s):

Procedure Name	Procedure Code	Approved Quantity	Procedure Type	Modifiers	Revenue Code	Revenue Code Name
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<b>End Date:</b>	03/12/2025
<b>Referring Provider:</b>	Jason Kim
<b>Referring Provider NPI:</b>	1235542788
<b>Referring Provider Address:</b>	11511 NE 10th St Bellevue WA 98004-8578
<b>Referring Provider Telephone:</b>	425-502-3036
<b>Your Medical Record Number:</b>	02233985
<b>Your Date of Birth:</b>	08/23/1970
<b>Your Phone Number:</b>	Telephone Information: Home Phone 206-979-6191 Work Phone 425-204-4250 Mobile 206-979-6191
<b>Group Number:</b>	HMO KPWA - TC1001884
<b>Group Name:</b>	KAISER FOUNDATION HEALTH PLAN OF WASHINGTON
<b>Specialty:</b>	Durable Medical Equipment
<b>Referral Diagnosis:</b>	Z01.818 Pre-op exam

**Additional Information**

DME Patient Coinsurance = 15%, deductible may apply when claim is received.

Kaiser Permanente must approve, in advance, any services not mentioned in this notice.  
Kaiser Permanente only pays for services that are "medically necessary".

The code referenced below represents a service range of procedure codes - please reference this document to see the codes that are included in that range

This approval is subject to all terms within your Evidence of Coverage, such as benefit limits, out of pocket expenses, and eligibility for coverage. A copy of your Evidence of Coverage is available online at [www.kp.org/wa](http://www.kp.org/wa).

Paperless options can make your life easier and more efficient by reducing the number of paper items you receive. Visit [kp.org/wa/pref](http://kp.org/wa/pref) to sign in. Select Account | Preferences to enroll.

If you have questions about this letter or your coverage, please call Member Services toll-free at 1-888-901-4636 (TTY WA Relay: 1800-833-6388; TTY ID Relay 1-800-377-3529) or email us at [www.kp.org/wa/memberservices](http://www.kp.org/wa/memberservices).

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cc: Bellevue Healthcare-redmond  
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### AUTHORIZATION FOR PATIENT SERVICES

- Kaiser Permanente will provide medical coverage subject to the terms and conditions of the patient's Evidence of Coverage, including any applicable copayments, deductibles, benefit limits or coinsurance.
- The cost of any goods or services listed on the authorization and provided to the patient after his/her medical coverage is no longer in effect will be the responsibility of the patient.
- Subject the terms and conditions of your Evidence of Coverage, the cost of any goods or services provided to the patient, which are not listed on the authorization, may not be covered by Kaiser Permanente.

### PATIENT INSTRUCTIONS:

**General Care:** For any additional medical care needs that are not part of this authorization, contact your provider.

**Hospital Care:** Admissions to any facility for inpatient care or for short stay surgery (including hospitals and freestanding ambulatory surgical centers) are not included in this authorization unless otherwise noted.

**Prescriptions, laboratory tests, and x-rays:** X-rays, laboratory work and all prescriptions must be obtained according to the instructions outlined in your Evidence of Coverage.

### Your Rights and Protections Against Surprise Medical Bills and Balance Billing

When you get emergency care or get treated by an out-of-network provider at an in-network hospital or ambulatory surgical center, you are protected from surprise billing or balance billing.

#### What is “balance billing” (sometimes called “surprise billing”)?

When you see a doctor or other health care provider, you may owe certain out-of-pocket costs, such as a copayment, coinsurance, and/or a deductible. You may have other costs or have to pay the entire bill if you see a provider or visit a health care facility that isn't in your health plan's network.

“Out-of-network” describes providers and facilities that haven't signed a contract with your health plan. Out-of-network providers may be permitted to bill you for the difference between what your plan agreed to pay and the full amount charged for a service. This is called “balance billing.” This amount is likely more than in-network costs for the same service and

might not count toward your annual out-of-pocket limit.

“Surprise billing” is an unexpected balance bill. This can happen when you can’t control who is involved in your care—like when you have an emergency or when you schedule a visit at an in-network facility but are unexpectedly treated by an out-of-network provider.

Insurers are required to tell you, via their websites or on request, which providers, hospitals and facilities are in their networks. Hospitals, surgical facilities and providers must tell you which provider networks they participate in on their website or on request.

You are protected from balance billing for:

### **Emergency Services**

If you have an emergency medical condition and get emergency services from an out-of-network provider or facility, the most the provider or facility may bill you is your plan’s in-network cost-sharing amount (such as copayments and coinsurance). You can’t be balance billed for these emergency services. This includes services you may get after you’re in stable condition, unless you give written consent and give up your protections not to be balance billed for these post-stabilization services.

### **Certain services at an in-network hospital or ambulatory surgical center**

When you get services from an in-network hospital or ambulatory surgical center, certain providers there may be out-of-network. In these cases, the most those providers may bill you is your plan’s in network cost-sharing amount. This applies to emergency medicine, anesthesia, pathology, radiology, laboratory, neonatology, surgeons and assistant surgeons, hospitalists, or intensivist services. These providers can’t balance bill you and cannot ask you to give up your protections not to be balance billed.

If you get other services at these in-network facilities, out-of-network providers can’t balance bill you, unless you give written consent and give up your protections.

You’re never required to give up your protections from balance billing. You also aren’t required to get care out-of-network. You can choose a provider or facility in your plan’s network.

### **When balance billing isn’t allowed, you also have the following protections:**

- You are only responsible for paying your share of the cost (like the copayments, coinsurance, and deductibles) that you would pay if the provider or facility was in-network. Your health plan will pay out-of-network providers and facilities directly.

Your health plan generally must:

- Cover emergency services without requiring you to get approval for services in advance (prior authorization).
- Cover emergency services by out-of-network providers.
- Base what you owe the provider or facility (cost-sharing) on what it would pay an in-network provider or facility and show that amount in your explanation of benefits.

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Count any amount you pay for emergency services or out-of-network services toward your deductible and out-of-pocket limit.

If you believe you've been wrongly billed, you may file a complaint with the federal government at <https://www.cms.gov/nosurprises/consumers> or by calling 1-800-985-3059; and/or file a complaint with the Washington State Office of the Insurance Commissioner at their website or by calling 1-800-562-6900.

Visit <https://www.cms.gov/nosurprises> for more information about your rights under federal law.

Visit the Office of the Insurance Commissioner Balance Billing Protection Act website for more information about your rights under Washington state law.

## KAISER PERMANENTE NONDISCRIMINATION NOTICE

Kaiser Foundation Health Plan of Washington and Kaiser Foundation Health Plan of Washington Options, Inc. ("Kaiser Permanente") comply with applicable federal civil rights laws and do not discriminate, exclude people, or treat them differently on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or any other basis protected by applicable federal, state, or local law. We also:

Provide free aids and services to people with disabilities to help ensure effective communication, such as:

- Qualified sign language interpreters
- Written information in other formats (large print, audio, and accessible electronic formats)
- Assistive devices (magnifiers, Pocket Talkers, and other aids)

Provide free language services to people whose primary language is not English, such as:

- Qualified interpreters
- Information written in other languages

If you need these services, contact Member Services at 1-888-901-4636 (TTY 711).

If you believe that Kaiser Permanente has failed to provide these services or discriminated in another way on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, sex, sexual orientation, or gender identity, you can file a grievance with our Civil Rights Coordinator by writing to P.O. Box 35191, Mail Stop: RCR-A3S-03, Seattle, WA 98124-5191 or calling Member Services at the number listed above. You can file a grievance by mail, phone, or online at [kp.org/wa/feedback](http://kp.org/wa/feedback). If you need help filing a grievance, our Civil Rights Coordinator is available to help you.

You can also file a civil rights complaint with:

- The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights electronically through the Office for Civil Rights Complaint Portal, available at <https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf>, or by mail or phone at: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 200 Independence Avenue SW., Room 509F, HHH Building, Washington, DC 20201, 1-800-368-1019, 800-537-7697 (TDD)  
Complaint forms are available at <http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html>

- The Washington State Office of the Insurance Commissioner, electronically through the Office of the Insurance Commissioner Complaint portal available at <https://www.insurance.wa.gov/file-complaint-or-check-your-complaint-status>, or by phone at **800-562-6900, 360-586-0241** (TDD). Complaint forms are available at <https://fortress.wa.gov/oic/online services/cc/pub/complaintinformation.aspx>

## English

ATTENTION: If you speak English, language assistance services, free of charge, are available to you. Call **1-888-901-4636** (TTY: **711**).

## Chinese

注意：如果您使用繁體中文，您可以免費獲得語言援助服務。請致電 **1-888-901-4636** (TTY: **711**)。

## Vietnamese

CHÚ Ý: Nếu bạn nói Tiếng Việt, có các dịch vụ hỗ trợ ngôn ngữ miễn phí dành cho bạn. Gọi số **1-888-901-4636** (TTY: **711**).

## Korean

주의: 한국어를 사용하시는 경우, 언어 지원 서비스를 무료로 이용하실 수 있습니다. **1-888-901-4636** (TTY: **711**) 번으로 전화해 주십시오.

## Russian

ВНИМАНИЕ: если вы говорите на русском языке, то вам доступны бесплатные услуги перевода. Звоните **1-888-901-4636** (TTY: **711**).

## Tagalog

PAUNAWA: Kung nagsasalita ka ng Tagalog, maaari kang gumamit ng mga serbisyo ng tulong sa wika nang walang bayad. Tumawag sa **1-888-901-4636** (TTY: **711**).

## Ukrainian

УВАГА! Якщо ви розмовляєте українською мовою, ви можете звернутися до безкоштовної служби мовної підтримки. Телефонуйте за номером **1-888-901-4636** (TTY: **711**).

## Khmer

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ប្រយ័ត្ន៖ បើសិនជាអ្នកនិយាយ ភាសាខ្មែរ, សេវាជំនួយផ្នែកភាសា ដោយមិនគិតថ្លៃ គឺអាចមានសំរាប់ បម្រើអ្នក។ ចូរ ទូរស័ព្ទ **1-888-901-4636** (TTY: 711)។

## Japanese

注意事項: 日本語を話される場合、無料の言語支援をご利用いただけます。

**1-888-901-4636** (TTY: 711) まで、お電話にてご連絡ください。

## Amharic

ማስታወሻ: የሚናገሩት ቋንቋ አማርኛ ከሆነ የትርጉም እርዳታ ድርጅቶች፣ በነጻ ሊያግዝዎት ተዘጋጅተዋል፡ ወደ ሚስተለው ቁጥር ይደውሉ **1-888-901-4636** (TTY: 711)፡

## Oromo

XIYYEEFFANNAA: Afaan dubbattu Oroomiffa, tajaajila gargaarsa afaanii, kanfaltiidhaan ala, ni argama. Bilbilaa **1-888-901-4636** (TTY: 711).

## Punjabi

ਧਿਆਨ ਦਿਓ: ਜੇ ਤੁਸੀਂ ਪੰਜਾਬੀ ਬੋਲਦੇ ਹੋ, ਤਾਂ ਭਾਸ਼ਾ ਵਿੱਚ ਸਹਾਇਤਾ ਸੇਵਾ ਤੁਹਾਡੇ ਲਈ ਮੁਫਤ ਉਪਲਬਧ ਹੈ। **1-888-901-4636** (TTY: 711) 'ਤੇ ਕਾਲ ਕਰੋ।

## Arabic

ملحوظة: إذا كنت تتحدث العربية، فإن خدمات المساعدة اللغوية تتوافر لك بالمجان. اتصل برقم **1-888-901-4636** (TTY: 711).

## German

ACHTUNG: Wenn Sie Deutsch sprechen, stehen Ihnen kostenlos sprachliche Hilfsdienstleistungen zur Verfügung. Rufnummer: **1-888-901-4636** (TTY: 711).

## Lao

ໂປດឧប: ຖ້າວ່າ ທ່ານເວົ້າພາສາ ລາວ, ການບໍລິການຊ່ວຍເຫຼືອດ້ານພາສາ, ໂດຍບໍ່ເສັຍຄ່າ, ແມ່ນມີພ້ອມໃຫ້ທ່ານ. ໂທ **1-888-901-4636** (TTY: 711).

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- For all other questions regarding this letter, please call 1-800-289-1363.

cc: Shannon M Presley  
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**CONTRACT AUTHORIZING PATIENT SERVICES**

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2. **Medical Coverage:** Medical Coverage will be subject to the terms and conditions of the patient's Certificate of Coverage, including any applicable benefit limits, copayments, coinsurance, or deductibles. The patient will be responsible for payment of services listed on this authorization if medical coverage is no longer in effect when services are provided. The patient is responsible for payment of copayments, coinsurance, deductibles, missed or cancelled appointments, or non-covered services according to the patient's Certificate of Coverage.
3. **Time Limit:** This referral contract has a specific time limited (see front of letter). Any services provided before the start date or after the expiration date will not be reimbursed. Further authorization must be obtained if additional time is needed for care.
4. **Reports:** Send your report directly to the referring provider at the address listed unless otherwise noted. Your written report will be a part of the patient's medical record. Please indicate the authorization number and the member identification number on all reports.
5. **Durable Goods:** Durable Medical Equipment and orthopedic appliances require separate authorization and are not included unless specifically noted.
6. **Billing and Payment Procedure:** Submit charges for authorized services on a HCFA-1500 or UB-92 Billing Form, mailed directly to Kaiser Permanente Claims Administration, P.O. Box 30766, Salt Lake City, UT 84130-0766. To facilitate prompt payment, include the member number on the bill. Kaiser Permanente reserves the right to limit payment for Medicare enrollees in accordance with Physician Payment Reform called for in the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1989.

**7. Provisions Mandated and Approved under WAC 284-43-320**

- Provider hereby agrees that in no event, including but not limited to nonpayment by Kaiser Permanente insolvency or breach of this contract shall Provider bill, charge, collect a deposit from, seek compensation, remuneration or reimbursement from, or have any recourse against an enrolled participant or person, other than Kaiser Permanente, acting on their behalf, for services provided pursuant to this contract. This provision shall not prohibit collection of deductibles, copayments, coinsurance and/or non-covered services, which have not otherwise been paid by a primary or secondary carrier in accordance with regulatory standards for coordination of benefits, from enrolled participants in accordance with the terms of the enrolled participant's agreement.
- Provider agrees, in the event of Kaiser Permanente insolvency, to continue to provide the services promised in this contract to affected enrolled participants for the duration of the period for which premiums were paid on behalf of those enrolled participants or until the enrolled participant's discharge from inpatient facilities, whichever time is greater.
- Notwithstanding any other provisions of this contract, nothing in this contract shall be construed to modify the rights and benefits contained in the enrolled participant's subscriber agreement.
- Provider may not bill the enrolled participant for covered services where Kaiser Permanente denies payment because the provider has failed to comply with the terms of the participating provider contract.
- Provider further agrees (1) that the provisions A, B, C, and D shall survive termination of this contract regardless of the cause giving rise to termination and shall be construed to be for the benefit of the enrolled participants, and (2) that this provision superseded any oral or written contrary agreement now existing or hereafter entered into between Provider and enrolled participants or persons acting on their behalf.
- If Provider contracts with other health care providers who agree to provide covered services to enrolled participants with the expectation of receiving payment directly or indirectly from Kaiser Permanente, such providers must agree to abide by the above provisions A, B, C, D, and E.

8. Provision of services constitutes acceptance of the terms contained herein.

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3. **Time Limit:** This referral contract has a specific time limited (see front of letter). Any services provided before the start date or after the expiration date will not be reimbursed. Further authorization must be obtained if additional time is needed for care.
4. **Reports:** Send your report directly to the referring provider at the address listed unless otherwise noted. Your written report will be a part of the patient's medical record. Please indicate the authorization number and the member identification number on all reports.
5. **Durable Goods:** Durable Medical Equipment and orthopedic appliances require separate authorization and are not included unless specifically noted.
6. **Billing and Payment Procedure:** Submit charges for authorized services on a HCFA-1500 or UB-92 Billing Form, mailed directly to Kaiser Permanente Claims Administration, P.O. Box 30766, Salt Lake City, UT 84130-0766. To facilitate prompt payment, include the member number on the bill. Kaiser Permanente reserves the right to limit payment for Medicare enrollees in accordance with Physician Payment Reform called for in the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1989.

**7. Provisions Mandated and Approved under WAC 284-43-320**

- Provider hereby agrees that in no event, including but not limited to nonpayment by Kaiser Permanente insolvency or breach of this contract shall Provider bill, charge, collect a deposit from, seek compensation, remuneration or reimbursement from, or have any recourse against an enrolled participant or person, other than Kaiser Permanente, acting on their behalf, for services provided pursuant to this contract. This provision shall not prohibit collection of deductibles, copayments, coinsurance and/or non-covered services, which have not otherwise been paid by a primary or secondary carrier in accordance with regulatory standards for coordination of benefits, from enrolled participants in accordance with the terms of the enrolled participant's agreement.
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- Notwithstanding any other provisions of this contract, nothing in this contract shall be construed to modify the rights and benefits contained in the enrolled participant's subscriber agreement.
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**Kaiser Foundation Health Plan of Washington**

Review Services

P.O. Box 34589 Seattle WA 98124-1589

January 16, 2025

Jason Kim, DPM  
11511 NE 10th St  
Bellevue WA 98004-8578

Dear Provider:

We have received an authorization request for coverage of the service(s) listed below. This notice is to inform you that we are authorizing the specific care that we have listed.

The code referenced below represents a service range of procedure codes - please reference this document to see the codes that are included in that range

Procedure Name	Procedure Code	Approved Quantity	Procedure Type	Modifiers	Revenue Code	Revenue Code Name
CRUTCH SUBSTITUTE, LOWER*	E0118	2 (1/Month x 2)	HCPCS	RR	N/A	N/A

The requested item(s) with modifier RR has been approved for rental.

**Referral Request Information**

**Reference Number:** 4116355850  
**Start Date:** 01/13/2025  
**End Date:** 03/12/2025  
**Referring Provider:** Jason Kim  
**Referring Provider NPI:** 1235542788  
**Referring Provider Address:** 11511 NE 10th St  
Bellevue WA 98004-8578  
**Referring Provider Telephone:** 425-502-3036  
**Medical Record Number:** 02233985  
**Member Name:** Shannon M Presley  
**DOB:** 08/23/1970  
**Member Address:** 31108 3rd Avenue 325  
Black Diamond WA 98010  
**Member Phone Number:** Telephone Information:

Presley, Shannon M (MRN 02233985)

	Home Phone	206-979-6191
	Work Phone	425-204-4250
	Mobile	206-979-6191
Group Number:	HMO KPWA - TC1001884	
Group Name:	KAISER FOUNDATION HEALTH PLAN OF WASHINGTON	
Referring Diagnosis:	Z01.818	
Pre-op exam		
Specialty:	Durable Medical Equipment	
CMS Place of Service Code:	Home [12]	
Place of Service Location:	Bellevue Healthcare-redmond	

**By accepting this Authorization, you are required to comply with all the terms and conditions set forth below. Please read them carefully.**

DME Patient Coinsurance = 15%, deductible may apply when claim is received.

- For questions regarding **benefits and/or eligibility**, please consult the Kaiser Permanente provider website at [kp.org/wa/provider](http://kp.org/wa/provider) or call 1-800-289-1363.
- For questions regarding **additional services**, please contact the referring provider.
- For all other questions regarding this letter, please call 1-800-289-1363.

cc: Shannon M Presley  
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January 16, 2025

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31108 3rd Avenue 325  
Black Diamond WA 98010

Dear Shannon:

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BELLEVUE HEALTHCARE  
2015 152nd Ave NE  
Redmond WA 98052-5521

**Facility:**

BELLEVUE HEALTHCARE-REDMOND  
2015 152ND AVE NE  
REDMOND WA 98052  
[425-451-2842](tel:425-451-2842)

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**Referring Provider:**

Jason Kim

**Referring Provider NPI:**

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**Referring Provider Telephone:**[425-502-3036](tel:425-502-3036)**Your Medical Record Number:**

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**Your Date of Birth:**

08/23/1970

**Your Phone Number:**

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Home Phone [206-979-6191](tel:206-979-6191)Work Phone [425-204-4250](tel:425-204-4250)Mobile [206-979-6191](tel:206-979-6191)**Group Number:**

HMO KPWA - TC1001884

**Group Name:**

KAISER FOUNDATION HEALTH PLAN OF

Presley, Shannon M (MRN 02233985)

Specialty: WASHINGTON  
Referral Diagnosis: Durable Medical Equipment  
Z01.818  
Pre-op exam

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This approval is subject to all terms within your Evidence of Coverage, such as benefit limits, out of pocket expenses, and eligibility for coverage. A copy of your Evidence of Coverage is available online at [www.kp.org/wa](http://www.kp.org/wa).

Paperless options can make your life easier and more efficient by reducing the number of paper items you receive. Visit [kp.org/wa/pref](http://kp.org/wa/pref) to sign in. Select Account | Preferences to enroll.

If you have questions about this letter or your coverage, please call Member Services toll-free at 1-888-901-4636 (TTY WA Relay: 1800-833-6388; TTY ID Relay 1-800-377-3529) or email us at [www.kp.org/wa/memberservices](http://www.kp.org/wa/memberservices).

cc: Bellevue Healthcare-redmond  
Jason Kim  
BELLEVUE HEALTHCARE

**AUTHORIZATION FOR PATIENT SERVICES**

- Kaiser Permanente will provide medical coverage subject to the terms and conditions of the patient's Evidence of Coverage, including any applicable copayments, deductibles, benefit limits or coinsurance.
- The cost of any goods or services listed on the authorization and provided to the patient after his/her medical coverage is no longer in effect will be the responsibility of the patient.
- Subject the terms and conditions of your Evidence of Coverage, the cost of any goods or services provided to the patient, which are not listed on the authorization, may not be covered by Kaiser Permanente.

**PATIENT INSTRUCTIONS:**

**General Care:** For any additional medical care needs that are not part of this authorization, contact your provider.

**Hospital Care:** Admissions to any facility for inpatient care or for short stay surgery (including hospitals and freestanding ambulatory surgical centers) are not included in this authorization unless otherwise noted.

**Prescriptions, laboratory tests, and x-rays:** X-rays, laboratory work and all prescriptions must be obtained according to the instructions outlined in your Evidence of Coverage.

**Your Rights and Protections Against  
Surprise Medical Bills and Balance Billing**

When you get emergency care or get treated by an out-of-network provider at an in-network hospital or ambulatory surgical center, you are protected from surprise billing or balance billing.

**What is “balance billing” (sometimes called “surprise billing”)?**

When you see a doctor or other health care provider, you may owe certain out-of-pocket costs, such as a copayment, coinsurance, and/or a deductible. You may have other costs or have to pay the entire bill if you see a provider or visit a health care facility that isn't in your health plan's network.

“Out-of-network” describes providers and facilities that haven't signed a contract with your health plan. Out-of-network providers may be permitted to bill you for the difference between what your plan agreed to pay and the full amount charged for a service. This is called “balance billing.” This amount is likely more than in-network costs for the same service and might not count toward your annual out-of-pocket limit.

“Surprise billing” is an unexpected balance bill. This can happen when you can't control who is involved in your care—like when you have an emergency or when you schedule a visit at an in-network facility but are unexpectedly treated by an out-of-network provider.

Insurers are required to tell you, via their websites or on request, which providers, hospitals and facilities are in their networks. Hospitals, surgical facilities and providers must tell you which provider networks they participate in on their website or on request.

You are protected from balance billing for:

**Emergency Services**

If you have an emergency medical condition and get emergency services from an out-of-network provider or facility, the most the provider or facility may bill you is your plan's in-network cost-sharing amount (such as copayments and coinsurance). You can't be balance billed for these emergency services. This includes services you may get after you're in stable condition, unless you give written consent and give up your protections not to be balanced

billed for these post-stabilization services.

### **Certain services at an in-network hospital or ambulatory surgical center**

When you get services from an in-network hospital or ambulatory surgical center, certain providers there may be out-of-network. In these cases, the most those providers may bill you is your plan's in network cost-sharing amount. This applies to emergency medicine, anesthesia, pathology, radiology, laboratory, neonatology, surgeons and assistant surgeons, hospitalists, or intensivist services. These providers can't balance bill you and cannot ask you to give up your protections not to be balance billed.

If you get other services at these in-network facilities, out-of-network providers can't balance bill you, unless you give written consent and give up your protections.

You're never required to give up your protections from balance billing. You also aren't required to get care out-of-network. You can choose a provider or facility in your plan's network.

### **When balance billing isn't allowed, you also have the following protections:**

- You are only responsible for paying your share of the cost (like the copayments, coinsurance, and deductibles) that you would pay if the provider or facility was in-network. Your health plan will pay out-of-network providers and facilities directly.

Your health plan generally must:

- Cover emergency services without requiring you to get approval for services in advance (prior authorization).
- Cover emergency services by out-of-network providers.
- Base what you owe the provider or facility (cost-sharing) on what it would pay an in-network provider or facility and show that amount in your explanation of benefits. Count any amount you pay for emergency services or out-of-network services toward your deductible and out-of-pocket limit.

If you believe you've been wrongly billed, you may file a complaint with the federal government at <https://www.cms.gov/nosurprises/consumers> or by calling 1-800-985-3059; and/or file a complaint with the Washington State Office of the Insurance Commissioner at their website or by calling 1-800-562-6900.

Visit <https://www.cms.gov/nosurprises> for more information about your rights under federal law.

Visit the Office of the Insurance Commissioner Balance Billing Protection Act website for more information about your rights under Washington state law.

### **KAISER PERMANENTE NONDISCRIMINATION NOTICE**

Kaiser Foundation Health Plan of Washington and Kaiser Foundation Health Plan of Washington Options, Inc. ("Kaiser Permanente") comply with applicable federal civil rights laws and do not discriminate, exclude people, or treat them differently on the basis of race, color,

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national origin, age, disability, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or any other basis protected by applicable federal, state, or local law. We also:

Provide free aids and services to people with disabilities to help ensure effective communication, such as:

- Qualified sign language interpreters
- Written information in other formats (large print, audio, and accessible electronic formats)
- Assistive devices (magnifiers, Pocket Talkers, and other aids)

Provide free language services to people whose primary language is not English, such as:

- Qualified interpreters
- Information written in other languages

If you need these services, contact Member Services at 1-888-901-4636 (TTY 711).

If you believe that Kaiser Permanente has failed to provide these services or discriminated in another way on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, sex, sexual orientation, or gender identity, you can file a grievance with our Civil Rights Coordinator by writing to P.O. Box 35191, Mail Stop: RCR-A3S-03, Seattle, WA 98124-5191 or calling Member Services at the number listed above. You can file a grievance by mail, phone, or online at [kp.org/wa/feedback](https://kp.org/wa/feedback). If you need help filing a grievance, our Civil Rights Coordinator is available to help you.

You can also file a civil rights complaint with:

- The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights electronically through the Office for Civil Rights Complaint Portal, available at <https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf>, or by mail or phone at: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 200 Independence Avenue SW., Room 509F, HHH Building, Washington, DC 20201, 1-800-368-1019, 800-537-7697 (TDD) Complaint forms are available at <http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html>
- The Washington State Office of the Insurance Commissioner, electronically through the Office of the Insurance Commissioner Complaint portal available at <https://www.insurance.wa.gov/file-complaint-or-check-your-complaint-status>, or by phone at 800-562-6900, 360-586-0241 (TDD). Complaint forms are available at <https://fortress.wa.gov/oic/online services/cc/pub/complaintinformation.aspx>

## English

ATTENTION: If you speak English, language assistance services, free of charge, are available to you. Call 1-888-901-4636 (TTY: 711).

## Chinese

注意：如果您使用繁體中文，您可以免費獲得語言援助服務。請致電 1-888-901-4636 (TTY: 711)。

**Vietnamese**

CHÚ Ý: Nếu bạn nói Tiếng Việt, có các dịch vụ hỗ trợ ngôn ngữ miễn phí dành cho bạn. Gọi số **1-888-901-4636** (TTY: 711).

**Korean**

주의: 한국어를 사용하시는 경우, 언어 지원 서비스를 무료로 이용하실 수 있습니다. **1-888-901-4636** (TTY: 711) 번으로 전화해 주십시오.

**Russian**

ВНИМАНИЕ: если вы говорите на русском языке, то вам доступны бесплатные услуги перевода. Звоните **1-888-901-4636** (TTY: 711).

**Tagalog**

PAUNAWA: Kung nagsasalita ka ng Tagalog, maaari kang gumamit ng mga serbisyo ng tulong sa wika nang walang bayad. Tumawag sa **1-888-901-4636** (TTY: 711).

**Ukrainian**

УВАГА! Якщо ви розмовляєте українською мовою, ви можете звернутися до безкоштовної служби мовної підтримки. Телефонуйте за номером **1-888-901-4636** (TTY: 711).

**Khmer**

ប្រយ័ត្ន: បើសិនជាអ្នកនិយាយ ភាសាខ្មែរ, សេវាជំនួយផ្នែកភាសា ដោយមិនគិតថ្លៃ គឺអាចមានសំរាប់ បំរើអ្នក។ ចូរ ទូរស័ព្ទ **1-888-901-4636** (TTY: 711)។

**Japanese**

注意事項: 日本語を話される場合、無料の言語支援をご利用いただけます。  
**1-888-901-4636** (TTY: 711) まで、お電話にてご連絡ください。

**Amharic**

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**Oromo**

XIYYEEFFANNAA: Afaan dubbattu Oroomiffa, tajaajila gargaarsa afaanii, kanfaltiidhaan ala, ni argama. Bilbilaa **1-888-901-4636** (TTY: 711).

**Punjabi**



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ਪਿਆਨ ਦਿਉ: ਜੇ ਤੁਸੀਂ ਪੰਜਾਬੀ ਬੋਲਦੇ ਹੋ, ਤਾਂ ਭਾਸ਼ਾ ਵਿੱਚ ਸਹਾਇਤਾ ਸੇਵਾ ਤੁਹਾਡੇ ਲਈ ਮੁਫਤ ਉਪਲਬਧ ਹੈ। **1-888-901-4636** (TTY: 711) 'ਤੇ ਕਾਲ ਕਰੋ।

## Arabic

ملحوظة: إذا كنت تتحدث العربية، فإن خدمات المساعدة اللغوية تتوافر لك بالمجان. اتصل برقم **1-888-901-4636** (TTY: 711).

## German

ACHTUNG: Wenn Sie Deutsch sprechen, stehen Ihnen kostenlos sprachliche Hilfsdienstleistungen zur Verfügung. Rufnummer: **1-888-901-4636** (TTY: 711).

## Lao

ໂປດຊາບ: ຖ້າວ່າ ທ່ານເວົ້າພາສາ ລາວ, ການບໍລິການຊ່ວຍເຫຼືອດ້ານພາສາ, ໂດຍບໍ່ເສັຽຄ່າ, ແມ່ນມີພ້ອມໃຫ້ທ່ານ. ໂທ 1-888-901-4636 (TTY: 711).

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**End Date:** 03/12/2025

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Work Phone [425-204-4250](tel:425-204-4250)

Mobile [206-979-6191](tel:206-979-6191)

Group Number: HMO KPWA - TC1001884

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Specialty: Durable Medical Equipment

Referral Diagnosis: Z01.818

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cc: Bellevue Healthcare-redmond  
Jason Kim  
BELLEVUE HEALTHCARE

### AUTHORIZATION FOR PATIENT SERVICES

- Kaiser Permanente will provide medical coverage subject to the terms and conditions of the patient's Evidence of Coverage, including any applicable copayments, deductibles, benefit limits or coinsurance.
- The cost of any goods or services listed on the authorization and provided to the patient after his/her medical coverage is no longer in effect will be the responsibility of the patient.
- Subject the terms and conditions of your Evidence of Coverage, the cost of any goods or services provided to the patient, which are not listed on the authorization, may not be covered by Kaiser Permanente.

### PATIENT INSTRUCTIONS:

**General Care:** For any additional medical care needs that are not part of this authorization, contact your provider.

**Hospital Care:** Admissions to any facility for inpatient care or for short stay surgery (including hospitals and freestanding ambulatory surgical centers) are not included in this authorization unless otherwise noted.

**Prescriptions, laboratory tests, and x-rays:** X-rays, laboratory work and all prescriptions must be obtained according to the instructions outlined in your Evidence of Coverage.

### Your Rights and Protections Against Surprise Medical Bills and Balance Billing

When you get emergency care or get treated by an out-of-network provider at an in-network hospital or ambulatory surgical center, you are protected from surprise billing or balance billing.

## **What is “balance billing” (sometimes called “surprise billing”)?**

When you see a doctor or other health care provider, you may owe certain out-of-pocket costs, such as a copayment, coinsurance, and/or a deductible. You may have other costs or have to pay the entire bill if you see a provider or visit a health care facility that isn't in your health plan's network.

“Out-of-network” describes providers and facilities that haven't signed a contract with your health plan. Out-of-network providers may be permitted to bill you for the difference between what your plan agreed to pay and the full amount charged for a service. This is called “balance billing.” This amount is likely more than in-network costs for the same service and might not count toward your annual out-of-pocket limit.

“Surprise billing” is an unexpected balance bill. This can happen when you can't control who is involved in your care—like when you have an emergency or when you schedule a visit at an in-network facility but are unexpectedly treated by an out-of-network provider.

Insurers are required to tell you, via their websites or on request, which providers, hospitals and facilities are in their networks. Hospitals, surgical facilities and providers must tell you which provider networks they participate in on their website or on request.

You are protected from balance billing for:

### **Emergency Services**

If you have an emergency medical condition and get emergency services from an out-of-network provider or facility, the most the provider or facility may bill you is your plan's in-network cost-sharing amount (such as copayments and coinsurance). You can't be balance billed for these emergency services. This includes services you may get after you're in stable condition, unless you give written consent and give up your protections not to be balance billed for these post-stabilization services.

### **Certain services at an in-network hospital or ambulatory surgical center**

When you get services from an in-network hospital or ambulatory surgical center, certain providers there may be out-of-network. In these cases, the most those providers may bill you is your plan's in-network cost-sharing amount. This applies to emergency medicine, anesthesia, pathology, radiology, laboratory, neonatology, surgeons and assistant surgeons, hospitalists, or intensivist services. These providers can't balance bill you and cannot ask you to give up your protections not to be balance billed.

If you get other services at these in-network facilities, out-of-network providers can't balance bill you, unless you give written consent and give up your protections.

You're never required to give up your protections from balance billing. You also aren't required to get care out-of-network. You can choose a provider or facility in your plan's network.

### **When balance billing isn't allowed, you also have the following protections:**

- You are only responsible for paying your share of the cost (like the copayments, coinsurance, and deductibles) that you would pay if the provider or facility was in-network. Your health plan will pay out-of-network providers and facilities directly.

Your health plan generally must:

- Cover emergency services without requiring you to get approval for services in advance (prior authorization).
- Cover emergency services by out-of-network providers.
- Base what you owe the provider or facility (cost-sharing) on what it would pay an in-network provider or facility and show that amount in your explanation of benefits. Count any amount you pay for emergency services or out-of-network services toward your deductible and out-of-pocket limit.

If you believe you've been wrongly billed, you may file a complaint with the federal government at <https://www.cms.gov/nosurprises/consumers> or by calling 1-800-985-3059; and/or file a complaint with the Washington State Office of the Insurance Commissioner at their website or by calling 1-800-562-6900.

Visit <https://www.cms.gov/nosurprises> for more information about your rights under federal law.

Visit the Office of the Insurance Commissioner Balance Billing Protection Act website for more information about your rights under Washington state law.

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- Written information in other formats (large print, audio, and accessible electronic formats)
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- Information written in other languages

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### Ukrainian

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### Oromo

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Type	Date	User	Summary	Attachment
RS Letter	01/13/2025	Kim, Jason,	Auto: 29150-KPWA RFL DME COINSURANCE	-
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Note:

DME Patient Coinsurance = 15%, deductible may apply when claim is received.

Type	Date	User	Summary	Attachment
Provider	01/13/2025	Kim, Jason,	Provider Comments	-
Comments	8:35 AM	DPM		

Note:

Enter other order details here: knee scooter to be used for 6 weeks starting 2/6/25

Wt Readings from Last 1 Encounters:

11/27/23 : 293 lb 3.2 oz (133 kg)

Ht Readings from Last 1 Encounters:

11/27/23 : 5' 9" (1.753 m)

## Referral Order

Order

REF DME CRUTCHES (Order # 472497729) on 01/13/2025

## Questionnaire

Referral Quality Issues

Other (please describe)

What type of service is being requested? None of the Above

Type of Request

What is being ordered?

Has the patient been diagnosed with an infection or injury of the perineal area and the sitz bath is part of a planned regimen of home care treatment?

Is the patient confined to a bed?

What type of brace is being ordered?

Select the device being ordered:

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Does the patient have a nonunion of a long bone fracture defined as radiographic evidence that fracture healing has ceased for three or more months prior to starting treatment with the osteogenesis stimulator?

Does the patient have a failed fusion of a joint other than in the spine where a minimum of nine months has elapsed since the last surgery?

Does the patient have congenital pseudarthrosis?

Has the patient had a failed spinal fusion where a minimum of nine months has elapsed since the last surgery?

Has the patient had a multilevel spinal fusion surgery?

Has the patient had a failed spinal fusion surgery where there is a history of a previously failed spinal fusion at the same site?

Does the patient have a nonunion fracture and a minimum of 2 sets of radiographs prior to treatment with the osteogenesis stimulator?

Are the radiographs separated by a min of 90 days with each including multiple views of the fracture site, and has a written interpretation stating no clinically significant evidence of fracture healing between the two sets or radiographs?

Is the fracture at a site other than the skull or vertebrae?

Is the fracture not related to a tumor?

Has the patient had a total knee replacement?

Is this device being prescribed for use, nor more than two days from the surgery date and for no longer than 3 weeks post surgery?

Is this being prescribed for treatment of contractures?

Has the patient had a recent injury or surgery that requires both medial and lateral rotation control?

Does the patient have documented knee instability/joint laxity?

What device is being ordered?

Does the patient have weakness or deformity of the foot and ankle?



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Does the patient require stabilization for medical reasons?

Does the patient have the potential to benefit functionally?

Does the patient require knee stability?

Does the patient have plantar flexion contracture of the ankle with dorsiflexion on passive range of motion testing of at least 10 degrees?

Is there a reasonable expectation of the ability to correct the contracture?

Is the contracture interfering or expected to interfere significantly with the patient's functional abilities?

Is this going to be used as a component of a therapy program which includes active stretching of the involved muscles and/or tendons?

Does the patient have plantar fasciitis?

Does the patient have weakness or deformity of the knee that requires stabilization?

Has the patient had a recent injury to or a surgical procedure on the knee?

Is the patient ambulatory and has knee instability?

Is the examination of the patient's joint laxity documented?

Does the patient have flexion or extension contractures of the knee with movement on passive range of motion testing of at least 10 degrees?

Is the need for a custom fabricated orthosis instead of a prefabricated orthosis documented?

Is this to reduce pain by restricting mobility of the trunk?

Is this to facilitate healing following an injury to the spine or related soft tissues?

Is this to facilitate healing following a surgical procedure on the spine or related soft tissue?

Is this to support weak spinal muscles and/or deformed spine?

Has the patient had a mastectomy?

Has the patient had breast reconstruction?

Does the patient have a mastectomy form or silicone (or equal) breast prosthesis?

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Does the patient have a mastectomy form?

Will the external breast prosthesis garment be used in the post-operative period prior to a permanent breast prosthesis or will it be used as an alternative to a mastectomy bra and breast prosthesis?

Does the member have a mobility limitation that significantly impairs their ability to participate in one or more mobility-related activities of daily living (MRADL) in the home?

Will the functional mobility deficit be sufficiently resolved by the use of the cane or crutch, and is the patient able to safely use a cane or crutch?

Does the patient have a documented episode of ventricular fibrillation or a sustained, lasting 30 seconds or longer, ventricular tachyarrhythmia?

Does the patient have familial or inherited conditions with a high risk of life-threatening ventricular tachyarrhythmia such as long QT syndrome or hypertrophic cardiomyopathy?

Does the patient have either documented prior myocardial infarction or dilated cardiomyopathy and a measured left ventricular ejection fraction less than or equal to 0.35?

Does the patient need to have a previously implanted defibrillator explanted?

Does the patient have a diagnosis of Diabetes Mellitus?

Within the last 6 months, has the patient had an in-person, video, or telephone visit with a physician, NP, or PA to evaluate their diabetes control?

Has the patient's treating practitioner concluded the patient (or the patient's caregiver) has training using the particular device prescribed as evidenced by providing a prescription for the appropriate supplies and frequency of blood glucose testing?

Is the patient insulin treated?

Does the patient have recurrent (more than one) level 2 hypoglycemic events (glucose <54mg/dL (3.0mmol/L)) that

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persist despite multiple (more than one) attempts to adjust medication(s) and/or modify the diabetes treatment plan?

Does the patient have a history of one level 3 hypoglycemic event (glucose <54mg/dL (3.0mmol/L)) characterized by altered mental and/or physical state requiring third-party assistance for treatment of hypoglycemia

Is the patient physically incapable of utilizing a regular toilet for at least one of the following situations: 1) confined to a single room, 2) confined to one level where there is no toilet, or 3) the home has no toilet facility?

Bilateral or Lateral?

Will the compression burn garment be used to treat hypertrophic scarring and joint contractures following a burn injury?

Is this being requested to treat a wound caused by or treated by a surgical procedure or following a debridement or open venous stasis ulcer?

For non-surgical wounds, was any type of debridement (surgical, enzymatic, mechanical, biological, autolytic) ever performed on this wound?

Select all that apply for the members condition that this item is being requested for:

Member has venous or lymphatic condition, as indicated by 1 or more of the following:

CPAP or BIPAP request?

Does the patient have any of the following? (Hover for info)

Has the diagnosis been confirmed by polysomnography, either during an inpatient hospital visit or sleep lab, or was OSA suspected at the time of discharge?

Does the patient use on average 4 hours per night for a minimum of 70% of nights?

Has there been a re-evaluation by the treating provider within 30-90 days from the initial request with documentation that includes symptoms of OSA are improved; and

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evidence of adherence to use of the device?

What is being ordered?

Is there record of the patient's need for a pump (i.e. gravity feeding is not satisfactory due to reflux or aspiration, severe diarrhea, dumping syndrome, administration rate less than 100 ml/hr, glucose fluctuations, gastrostomy/jejunostomy tube used)?

What is the Administration/Delivery Method?

Does the patient have full or partial non-function or disease of the structures that normally permit food to reach the small bowel, that will last at least 3 months?

Does the patient have a disease that impairs digestion and/or absorption of an oral diet, directly or indirectly, by the small bowel, that will last at least 3 months?

Does the patient's medical record include documentation stating why a standard formula cannot be used?

What type of Device or Supply is being ordered?

Does the patient have a covered cochlear implant or a bone-anchored hearing aid (BAHA)?

Is this request for convenience or to upgrade to a newer technology?

Is the current component obsolete or no longer supported?

Is the current component no longer meeting the patient's needs?

Has the patient had a formal evaluation of their cognitive and communication abilities by a speech-language pathologist (SLP)?

Does the patient's medical condition result in a severe expressive speech impairment?

Can the patient's speaking needs be met using natural communication methods?

Have other forms of treatment been considered and ruled out?

Will the patient's speech impairment benefit from the speech generating device?

Does the treating practitioner have a copy of the SLP's written evaluation

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and recommendation?

Does the patient have an absence or shrinkage of an eye due to a birth defect, trauma, or surgical removal?

Has the patient had more than 2 eye polishing services within this year?

What is being ordered?

Is the patient using a covered insulin pump?

Does the patient have Diabetes Mellitus?

Does the patient have C-Peptide level <110% (or has renal insufficiency w/C-peptide level <200%) & fasting sugar drawn at the same time <225 mg/dl?

Does the patient have a positive Beta cell autoantibody test?

Has the patient completed comprehensive diabetes education program, multiple daily insulin injections (3/day), frequent self-adjustments of insulin dose for at least 6 months, has documented glucose self-testing at least 4x/day during the 2 months prior?

Does the patient have HbA1c >7%, or history of recurring hypoglycemia, or wide fluctuations in blood glucose before mealtime, or "Dawn phenomenon" w/fasting blood sugars frequently >200mg/dL, or history of severe glycemic excursions?

Has the patient been on an insulin pump prior to enrollment with plan and has documented frequency of glucose self-testing at least 4x/day (on average) during the month prior to enrollment?

Does the patient have a medical condition that requires positioning of the body in ways not feasible with an ordinary bed due to pain, CHF, or chronic pulmonary disease?

Does the patient have aspiration problems requiring head of bed elevation >30 degrees and have a need for frequent changes in body positions, and/or an immediate need for a change in body position?

Does the patient require traction equipment requiring attachment to a hospital bed?

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Are Hospital Bed accessories or a replacement mattress needed?

Type of Accessories:

Is this being provided for a patient-owned Hospital Bed?

Does the patient require a trapeze to sit up because of a respiratory condition, to change body positions for other medical reasons, or to get in and out of bed?

Does the patient have a condition that requires a safety enclosure that would be an integral part of a hospital bed?

Is a bed cradle needed to prevent the patient from having contact with the bed coverings?

Does the patient have a condition that requires bed rails?

Is the patient confined to a bed?

Does the patient's condition require a replacement mattress?

Is this request for a Negative Pressure Wound Therapy pump or supplies?

Does the patient have a chronic stage 3 or 4 pressure ulcer, a neuropathic ulcer, venous or arterial insufficiency ulcer, or a chronic (being present for at least 30 days) ulcer of mixed etiology?

Has the patient been appropriately turned and positioned, and has used a group 2 or 3 support surface, and has had their moisture and incontinence appropriately managed?

Has the patient been on a comprehensive diabetic management program and has reduction in pressure on a foot ulcer been accomplished?

Has the patient had compression badages and/or garments consistently applied and have leg elevation and ambulation been encouraged?

Has wound therapy, with documented eval, care, & wound measurement by a medical professional, dressings to maintain a moist wound area, debridement of necrotic tissue, & provisions for adequate nutritional status been tried or considered & ruled out?

Does the patient have an ulcer or wound found in an inpatient setting, and after wound treatments have been tried or considered & ruled out,

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Negative Pressure Wound Therapy is used because the treating practitioner determines it is the best treatment?

Does the patient have complications of a surgically created wound or a traumatic wound where there is documentation of medical necessity for an accelerated formation of granular tissue which cannot be achieved by other available topical wound treatments?

Is the patient currently using a Negative Pressure Wound Therapy pump?

Does the patient have angina pectoris in the absence of hypoxemia, dyspnea without cor pulmonale or the evidence of hypoxemia, severe peripheral vascular disease resulting in clinically evident desaturation in one or more extremities but the in absence of systemic hypoxemia, or a terminal illness that does not affect the ability to breathe?

The patient had a qualifying blood gas, performed by a treating practitioner or qualified provider during the patient's illness or within 2 days of discharge from a hospital (documented) & the provision of oxygen, in the home setting, will improve the condition?

Does the patient have an arterial PO<sub>2</sub> at or below 55 mm Hg or an arterial oxygen sat at or below 88% taken at rest (awake) while breathing room air?

Does the patient have an arterial PO<sub>2</sub> at or below 55 mm Hg, or an arterial oxygen sat at or below 88 %, taken during sleep for a patient who demonstrates an arterial PO<sub>2</sub> at or above 56 mm Hg or an arterial oxygen sat at or above 89% while awake.

Does the patient have a decrease in arterial PO<sub>2</sub> more than 10 mm Hg, or a decrease in arterial oxygen sat more than 5% from baseline sat, taken during sleep and associated with symptoms of hypoxemia?

Does the patient have an arterial PO<sub>2</sub> at or below 55 mm Hg or an arterial oxygen sat at or below 88%, taken during exercise for a patient who demonstrates an arterial PO<sub>2</sub> at or

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above 56 mm Hg or an arterial oxygen sat at or above 89% while at rest?

Does the patient have an arterial PO<sub>2</sub> of 56-59 mm Hg or an arterial blood oxygen saturation of 89 percent?

Does the patient have dependent edema suggesting CHF, pulmonary hypertension or cor pulmonale, determined by measure of pulmonary artery pressure, gated blood pool scan, echocardiogram, or "P" pulmonale on EKG, or Erythrocythemia with a hematocrit > 56%?

Does the patient have the absence of hypoxemia and a medical condition with distinct physiologic, cognitive, and/or functional symptoms documented in high-quality, peer-reviewed literature to be improved by oxygen therapy?

Oxygen Saturation or PaO<sub>2</sub> level:

Measurement:

Date of oxygen saturation or PaO<sub>2</sub> level measurement:

Testing Conditions:

Describe needed change:

Type of Pad or Mattress?

Is the patient completely immobile (i.e., the member can't make changes in the body position without assistance?

Does the patient have limited mobility (i.e., the member can't make changes in body position significant enough to alleviate pressure)?

Does the patient have one of these conditions; impaired nutritional status, fecal or urinary incontinence, altered sensory perception, or compromised circulatory status?

Does the patient have any stage pressure ulcer on the trunk or pelvis?

Does the patient have multiple stage 2 pressure ulcers located on the trunk or pelvis which have failed to improve over the past month?

Has the patient been on an ulcer treatment program including, a Group 1 support surface, assessment by a licensed healthcare professional, turning and positioning, wound care, moisture/incontinence control,



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nutritional assessment and  
intervention?

Does the patient have large or multiple  
stage 3 or 4 pressure ulcer(s) on the  
trunk or pelvis?

Has the patient had a myocutaneous  
flap or skin graft for a pressure ulcer  
on the trunk or pelvis in the past 60  
days and has been on a Group 2 or 3  
support surface immediately prior to  
discharge from a hospital or nursing  
facility in the past 30 days?

What type of Patient Lift or Transfer  
Device is being ordered?

Does the patient need to be  
transferred between a bed and a chair,  
wheelchair or commode?

Without the use of a lift, would the  
patient be confined to a bed?

Is this sling or seat being ordered as a  
replacement for a covered lift?

Does the patient have severe arthritis  
of the hip or knee or have a severe  
neuromuscular disease?

Is the seat lift mechanism being  
prescribed to effect improvement, or  
arrest or retard deterioration in the  
patient's condition?

Is the patient completely incapable of  
standing up from a regular armchair or  
any chair in their home?

Once standing, does the patient have  
the ability to ambulate?

Have all appropriate therapeutic  
modalities to enable the patient to  
transfer from a chair to a standing  
position been tried already?

What type of Pneumatic Compression  
is being ordered?

Does the patient have lymphedema?

Does the patient meet one or more of  
the following criteria (Check all that  
apply)

Is the patient's lymphedema  
documented to be unresponsive to  
other clinical treatment over the  
course of a required four-week trial?

Does the patient have chronic venous  
insufficiency with venous stasis ulcers  
of the lower extremity?

Does the patient have all of the  
following: edema in the affected lower  
extremity; one or more venous stasis

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ulcer(s); the ulcer(s) have failed to heal after a six-month trial of conservative therapy directed by the treating practitioner?

Does the member have lymphedema extending onto the chest, trunk and/or abdomen that extends past the limits of a standard compression sleeve?

Has the chest, trunk and/or abdominal lymphedema has failed to improve with a four-week trial?

What is being ordered?

Is this being ordered as a replacement piece to a covered wheelchair?

Does the patient have a mobility limitation that limits their ability to participate in one or more MRADLs within the home and that limitation cannot be resolved with a cane or walker?

Does the patient have sufficient upper extremity function to self propel a manual wheelchair in the home to perform MRADLs?

Has the patient had a face to face visit in the last 6 months?

Is this being ordered for use with a covered brace?

Does the patient have chronic obstructive lung disease, chronic bronchitis, or emphysema?

Does the patient have a neuromuscular disease?

Is the patient's condition causing a significant impairment of chest wall and/or diaphragmatic movement, such that it results in an inability to clear retained secretions?

Has the patient or caregiver received appropriate training by a physician or therapist?

Request Type:

Does the patient have Diabetes Mellitus?

Does the patient have 1 or more of these conditions; amputation of other foot or partial of either foot, previous foot ulceration, pre-ulcerative callus, peripheral neuropathy with callus formation, foot deformity, or poor circulation, either foot?

Has the patient had a face to face visit with the provider managing their

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diabetes care (and the members conditions are documented in their medical record), within 6 months of this order?

Does the patient have a foot deformity that cannot be accommodated by a depth shoe?

Is this to be used as part of a covered leg brace and is medically necessary for the proper functioning of the brace?

Is this prosthesis being used by the patient for treatment or rehab during an inpatient stay?

Is this prosthesis reasonable and necessary for use by the patient in their home setting?

Is this prosthesis being delivered to the patient no more than 2 days prior to a discharge from an inpatient stay, or to a patient who is not currently inpatient?

Does the patient use of a respiratory suction pump to clear secretions?

Does the patient have a tracheostomy?

Is the patient on a ventilator?

Does the patient have an orthopedic impairment requiring traction equipment which prevents ambulation during the period of use?

Does the patient have a musculoskeletal or neurological impairment requiring cervical traction equipment?

Has the patient had demonstration of appropriate use of home cervical traction device and tolerated use?

Does the patient meet one or more of the following criteria (Check all that apply)

Does the patient have neuromuscular disease and chronic respiratory failure consequent to chronic obstructive pulmonary disease?

Does the patient have thoracic restrictive diseases and chronic respiratory failure consequent to chronic obstructive pulmonary disease?

Request Type?

Does the patient have a full thickness wound, wound with light to moderate exudate, or a wound that has stalled or

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has not progressed toward a healing goal?

Does the patient have a wound with heavy exudate, a third degree burn, or active vasculitis?

Does the patient have a moderate to highly exudative full thickness wound or wound cavity?

Is the patient's wound covered with eschar?

Is the gauze being used for dressing changes no more than 3 times per day for a dressing without a border and once per day for a dressing with a border?

Does the patient have a full thickness wound with minimal or no exudate?

Does the patient have a stage 2 ulcer?

Does the patient have a wound with light to moderate exudate?

Does the patient have an open, partial thickness wound with minimal exudate or a closed wound?

Is this being used to hold wound cover dressings in place?

Is this patient currently receiving Home Health Care?

Type of Walker or Gait Trainer?

Does the patient have a mobility limitation that significantly impairs the ability to participate in one or more mobility-related activities of daily living (MRADL), and will the deficit be resolved by the use of the device, and can the patient safely use the device?

Is the patient unable to use a standard walker due to a severe neurologic disorder or other condition causing the restricted use of one hand?

Are Walker Accessories needed?

Type of Accessories:

Is this being provided for a patient - owned walker?

Type of Request:

Can the patient's mobility limitation be sufficiently resolved by the use of an appropriately fitted cane or walker?

Does the patient's home provide adequate access between rooms, maneuvering space, and surfaces for use of a manual wheelchair?

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Does the patient have a mobility limitation that impairs their ability to participate in mobility-related activities of daily living (MRADLs) entirely?

Does the patient have a mobility limitation that impairs their ability to complete MRADLs in a reasonable time frame?

Does the patient have a mobility limitation that impairs their ability to participate in MRADLs and would put them at heightened risk of morbidity or mortality secondary to the attempts to perform the MRADLs?

Will use of a manual wheelchair significantly improve the patient's ability to participate in MRADLs and will they have expressed that they will use it on a regular basis in the home?

Does the patient have sufficient upper extremity function and other physical and mental capabilities needed to safely self-propel in a manual wheelchair?

Does the patient have a caregiver who is available, willing, and able to provide assistance with the wheelchair?

Does the patient require a lower seat height (17-18") because of short stature or to enable them to place their feet on the ground for propulsion?

Is the patient able to self-propel in a lightweight wheelchair, but cannot in a standard wheelchair?

Is the patient able to self-propel the wheelchair while engaging in frequent activities in the home that cannot be performed in a standard or lightweight wheelchair?

Does the patient spend at least 2 hours per day in the wheelchair and require a seat width, depth, or height that cannot be accommodated in a standard or lightweight chair?

Does the patient have severe spasticity?

Does the patient have sufficient strength and postural stability to utilize a Rollabout chair?

Has the patient had an evaluation performed by a licensed/certified medical professional (LCMP), who has

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specific training and experience in rehab wheelchair evaluations and that documents the medical necessity and it's special features?

Is the wheelchair being provided by a Rehabilitative Technology Supplier that employs a RESNA-certified Assistive Technology Professional who specializes in wheelchairs and who has direct, in-person involvement in the chair selection for the patient?

Place Of Delivery:

Alternative Business Name:

Alternative Address Line 1:

Alternative Address Line 2:

Alternative City:

Alternative State:

Alternative ZIP Code:

Alternative Phone:

Patient Height (in):

Patient Weight (lbs):

Ok to substitute an in network provider if the chosen referred to provider is not in the member's network?

Is this a retrospective request?

Name of Requestor:

Requestors Contact #:

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