# Request prior authorizations on Availity®

## We're making it easier to request authorizations for selected procedures

For these procedures:

- Cataract surgery
- · Hip or knee replacement
- Shoulder arthroplasty
- · Hip surgery to repair impingement syndrome
- Inpatient electroencephalographic (EEG) video monitoring
- Endoscopic nasal balloon dilation
- Functional endoscopic sinus surgery (FESS)
- Blepharoplasty

We've made it easy for you to authorize these services and submit any requested clinical information. Just use <u>our provider portal on Availity</u>®.

### Requesting authorizations on Availity is a simple two-step process:

Here's how it works:

- 1. Submit your initial request on Availity using the Authorization (Precertification) Add transaction.
- 2. Then complete a short questionnaire, if asked, to give us more clinical information.

You may even get an approval right away after completing the questionnaire. There's no need to call in requests or fax medical records.

#### Why use Availity

Completing the questionnaire on Availity:

- Keeps everything in one place
- Saves you time

Helps expedite our review

• Eliminates calls from us asking for more clinical information (You're giving us what we need upfront to review the case.)

#### **How to register for Availity**

Register for Availity at **Availity.com**. Once your account is ready, you can start submitting Authorization requests right away.

#### **Get trained**

Sign up for our "Authorizations on Availity" webinar. You'll learn how to use the Authorization transaction and questionnaire on Availity. Get the schedule and enroll at **AetnaWebinars.com**.

**Register for Availity** 



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