

Follow these steps to submit prior authorization requests when prescribing drugs covered under the medical benefit for Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan and Blue Care Network commercial members.

Michigan prescribers

To submit prior authorization requests electronically, first register for Availity® Essentials, our provider portal; refer to the [Register for web tools](#) page at bcbsm.com for details. Then:

1. Log in to [availity.com](#)*.
2. Click *Payer Spaces* on the menu bar and click the BCBSM and BCN logo.
3. On the Applications tab, click the tile for the appropriate NovoLogix web tool.
4. Within NovoLogix, click the *Authorizations* menu and select *Create Authorization*.
5. Enter the member's details and select the correct member on the contract.
6. Complete the required fields. This includes selecting the correct drug in the "Authorization Lines" section.
7. Click *Submit*, complete the protocol questions and click *Done*.

If you're registered for Availity but are not able to access it, submit your prior authorization request using the *Medication Authorization Request Form*, or MARF, that's on the next page.

Non-Michigan prescribers

When submitting a prior authorization request for the first time, prescribers located outside of Michigan should complete and submit:

- The *Medication Authorization Request Form*, or MARF, that's on the next page
- The [Application for access to NovoLogix for non-Michigan prescribers](#)

Submit these documents to the fax number or address that's on the MARF. Once we approve the request for access, we'll provide information about how to access the NovoLogix tool so that you can submit subsequent prior authorization requests electronically.

Note: Access to NovoLogix is available only to registered users. You must include a valid Type 1 (individual) NPI on the application for access to NovoLogix.

Information about NovoLogix

For more information about the NovoLogix web tool, look under the Training Resources heading on these webpages:

- [Blue Cross Medical-Benefit Drugs](#)
- [BCN Medical-Benefit Drugs](#)

If you need help with the NovoLogix tool, contact the Web Support Help Desk at 1-877-258-3932.

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Blue Cross Blue Shield/Blue Care Network of Michigan Medication Authorization Request Form

Makena® (hydroxyprogesterone caproate) HCPCS CODE: J1726/J1729



This form is to be used by participating physicians to obtain coverage for Makena®. For commercial members only, please complete this form and submit via fax to 1-877-325-5979. If you have any questions regarding this process, please contact BCBSM Provider Relations and Servicing or the Medical Drug Helpdesk at 1-800-437-3803 for assistance.

PATIENT INFORMATION	PHYSICIAN INFORMATION
Name	Name
ID Number	Specialty
D.O.B. <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	Address
Diagnosis	City /State/Zip
Drug Name	Phone/Fax: P: () - F: () -
Dose and Quantity	NPI
Directions	Contact Person
Date of Service(s)	Contact Person Phone / Ext.

STEP 1: DISEASE STATE INFORMATION

- Which product is being requested?
 - ☐ Compounded product, *Please do not submit this form. Please submit claim with code J3490, NDC, and quantity to BCBSM.*
 - ☐ Makena (Brand name)
 - ☐ Hydroxyprogesterone caproate (Generic name)
- Please provide the NPI number for the place of administration: _____
- What is the gestational age (GA) at treatment initiation? ____ weeks ____ days Date: _____
- What is the estimated delivery date (EDD)? _____
- Please describe CURRENT pregnancy: ☐ singleton ☐ twin ☐ multiples ☐ other: _____
- Has the patient had a previous spontaneous pre-term delivery? ☐ yes ☐ no
 - Please describe the PREVIOUS pre-term delivery: ☐ singleton ☐ twin ☐ multiples ☐ other: _____
 - Provide the GA at the previous pre-term delivery? _____ weeks _____ days
- Is there a known fetal anomaly with the current pregnancy? ☐ yes ☐ no Comment _____
- Does the patient have a hormone imbalance, placenta previa, or too much amniotic fluid?
 - ☐ yes ☐ no Comment _____
- Check all relevant risk factors for preterm delivery for this patient
 - ☐ age < 16 ☐ maternal chronic conditions (HTN, heart or liver disease, DM, kidney disease) ☐ alcohol or substance abuse
 - ☐ poor nutrition ☐ inadequate vitamin intake ☐ infections (eg: rubella, certain STDs, vaginal infections, UTIs)
 - ☐ chorioamnionitis (infection of amniotic fluid) ☐ hormone imbalance ☐ smoking ☐ low weight gain ☐ abnormally shaped uterus
 - ☐ none
- Does the patient have any of the following medical problems:
 - ☐ Current or history of thrombosis or thromboembolic disorders
 - ☐ Known or suspected breast cancer, other hormone-sensitive cancer, or history of these conditions
 - ☐ Undiagnosed abnormal vaginal bleeding unrelated to pregnancy ☐ Uncontrolled hypertension
 - ☐ Cholestatic jaundice of pregnancy ☐ Liver tumors, benign or malignant, or active liver disease ☐ none

Please add any other supporting medical information necessary for our review

Coverage will not be provided if the prescribing physician's signature and date are not reflected on this document.

☐ Request for expedited review: I certify that applying the standard review time frame may seriously jeopardize the life or health of the member or the member's ability to regain maximum function

Physician's Name	Physician Signature	Date
Step 2: Checklist <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Form Completely Filled Out <input type="checkbox"/> Attached Chart Notes <input type="checkbox"/> Physician Attestation reviewed 	<input type="checkbox"/> No other risk factors for preterm <input type="checkbox"/> No contraindication <input type="checkbox"/> GA and EDD provided	
Step 3: Submit	By Fax: BCBSM Specialty Pharmacy Mailbox 1-877-325-5979	By Mail: BCBSM Specialty Pharmacy Program P.O. Box 312320, Detroit, MI 48231-2320

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