

# HealthLink Medical Management Services Requiring Pre-Certification

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## For HealthLink Reviews

877-284-0102 • Phone Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. CST • 800-510-2162 (fax)

Inpatient Services (Medical, Surgical, Behavioral)		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bariatric Surgery</li> <li>Cervical Spine Surgery</li> <li>Computer Navigation for Orthopedic Surgery</li> <li>Elective Admissions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Emergency Admissions</li> <li>Hospice</li> <li>LTAC Admissions</li> <li>Lumbar Spine Surgery</li> <li>Rehabilitation Facility Admissions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sacroiliac Joint Fusion</li> <li>Skilled Nursing Facility Admissions</li> <li>Transplants</li> </ul>
Surgical Procedures - Ambulatory		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bariatric Surgery</li> <li>Cartilage Transplant Knee</li> <li>Cervical Spine Surgery</li> <li>Cochlear Implant</li> <li>Computer Navigation for Orthopedic Surgery</li> <li>Lumbar Spine Surgery</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mandibular/Maxillary Surgery (Orthognathic)</li> <li>Mastectomy for Gynecomastia</li> <li>Nasal Septoplasty</li> <li>Reduction Mammoplasty</li> <li>Rhinoplasty</li> <li>Sacroiliac Joint Fusion</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sinus Endoscopy</li> <li>Sleep Apnea Surgery - LAUP/UPPP, Nasal, and Uvulopalatoplasty</li> <li>Treatment of Varicose Veins (Lower Extremities)</li> </ul>
Ancillary Services		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Botulinum Toxin – Review for Migraine Use Only</li> <li>Home Health Services</li> <li>Home Hospice</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Home Infusion Services</li> <li>Hyperbaric Oxygen Therapy (Systemic/Topical)</li> <li>Occupational Therapy</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Physical Therapy</li> <li>Private Duty Nursing</li> <li>Speech Therapy</li> </ul>
Durable Medical Equipment		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bone Stimulator</li> <li>Cardio/External Defibrillator</li> <li>Cooling Devices</li> <li>CPAP/BIPAP</li> <li>Electric Scooters</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Infusion Pumps</li> <li>Insulin Pumps</li> <li>Limb Prosthetics</li> <li>Myoelectric prosthetics</li> <li>Neuromuscular Stimulators</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>TENS Unit</li> <li>Wheelchairs (Custom)</li> <li>Wheelchairs (Power)</li> <li>Wound Vacs</li> </ul>
Specialty Infusion Drugs		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Azacitidine (Vidaza)</li> <li>Bevacizumab (Avastin) – Review for Non-Eye Only</li> <li>Bortezomib (Velcade)</li> <li>Etanercept (Enbrel)</li> <li>Fulvestrant (Faslodex)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Immune Globulin (Intravenous)</li> <li>Infliximab (Remicade)</li> <li>Ipilimumab (Yervoy)</li> <li>Nivolumab (Opdivo)</li> <li>Paclitaxel (Abraxane Only)</li> <li>Panitumubab (Vectibix)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pembrolizumab (Keytruda)</li> <li>Pemetrexed (Alimta)</li> <li>Rituximab (Rituxan) – Review for Non-Oncology Diagnosis/Treatment Only</li> </ul>

## For Diagnostic Imaging – Ambulatory Reviews Please Refer to the Member’s ID Card \*

HealthLink Review Diagnostic Imaging - Ambulatory	
<b>For members that do not have AIM Review Services</b>	
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Coronary CT Angiography (CCTA)</li> <li>Coronary MRA</li> <li>Cardiac MRI</li> <li>MRA of the Head and/or Neck</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>MRI of the Brain</li> <li>MRI of the Spine – Cervical, Thoracic, Lumbar, Sacral</li> <li>PET Scan</li> </ul>

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AIM Review Diagnostic Imaging - Ambulatory	
<b>AIM Review Services Replace HealthLink Review</b>	
866-745-3266 • Phone Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. CST aimspecialtyhealth.com/goweb	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Resting Transthoracic Echocardiography</li> <li>Stress Echocardiography</li> <li>Transesophageal Echocardiography</li> <li>CT Scan</li> <li>CTA Scan</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Echocardiology</li> <li>MRA Scan</li> <li>MRI</li> <li>Nuclear Cardiology</li> <li>PET Scan</li> <li>SPECT Scan</li> </ul>

**\* Please refer to the member’s ID card to ensure that the member’s health plan participates with HealthLink Medical Management with AIM.**

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