

## FORWARDHEALTH PRIOR AUTHORIZATION DRUG ATTACHMENT FOR ANTIPSYCHOTIC DRUGS FOR CHILDREN 7 YEARS OF AGE AND YOUNGER COMPLETION INSTRUCTIONS

ForwardHealth requires certain information to authorize and pay for medical services provided to eligible members. Although these instructions refer to BadgerCare Plus, all information also applies to Medicaid.

Members of ForwardHealth are required to give providers full, correct, and truthful information for the submission of correct and complete claims for reimbursement. This information should include, but is not limited to, information concerning enrollment status, accurate name, address, and member identification number (Wis. Admin. Code § DHS 104.02[4]).

Under Wis. Stats. § 49.45(4), personally identifiable information about program applicants and members is confidential and is used for purposes directly related to ForwardHealth administration, such as determining eligibility of the applicant, processing prior authorization (PA) requests, or processing provider claims for reimbursement. Failure to supply the information requested by the form may result in denial of PA or payment for the services.

The use of this form is mandatory when requesting PA for certain drugs. Refer to the applicable service-specific publications for service restrictions and additional documentation requirements. Provide enough information for ForwardHealth to make a determination about the request.

### INSTRUCTIONS

Prescribers are required to complete and sign the Prior Authorization Drug Attachment for Antipsychotic Drugs for Children 7 Years of Age and Younger, F-00556. Pharmacy providers are required to use the Prior Authorization Drug Attachment for Antipsychotic Drugs for Children 7 Years of Age and Younger form to request PA using the Specialized Transmission Approval Technology-Prior Authorization (STAT-PA) system or by submitting a PA request on the ForwardHealth Portal, by fax, or by mail. Prescribers and pharmacy providers are required to retain a completed copy of the form.

Providers may submit PA requests on a PA drug attachment form in one of the following ways:

- 1) For STAT-PA requests, pharmacy providers should call 800-947-1197.
- 2) For requests submitted on the ForwardHealth Portal, providers can access [www.forwardhealth.wi.gov/](http://www.forwardhealth.wi.gov/).
- 3) For PA requests submitted by fax, pharmacy providers should submit a Prior Authorization Request Form (PA/RF), F-11018, and the appropriate PA attachment to ForwardHealth at 608-221-8616.
- 4) For PA requests by mail, pharmacy providers should submit a PA/RF and the appropriate PA drug attachment form to the following address:

ForwardHealth  
Prior Authorization  
Ste 88  
313 Blettner Blvd  
Madison WI 53784

The provision of services that are greater than or significantly different from those authorized may result in nonpayment of the billing claim(s).

### SECTION I — MEMBER INFORMATION

#### Element 1 — Name — Member

Enter the member's last name, first name, and middle initial. Use Wisconsin's Enrollment Verification System (EVS) to obtain the correct spelling of the member's name. If the name or spelling of the name on the ForwardHealth identification card and the EVS do not match, use the spelling from the EVS.

#### Element 2 — Member Identification Number

Enter the member ID. Do not enter any other numbers or letters. Use the ForwardHealth card or the EVS to obtain the correct member ID.

#### Element 3 — Date of Birth — Member

Enter the member's date of birth in MM/DD/CCYY format.

## SECTION II — PRESCRIPTION INFORMATION

### Element 4 — Drug Name

Enter the drug name.

### Element 5 — Drug Strength

Enter the strength of the drug listed in Element 4.

### Element 6 — National Drug Code (NDC)

Enter the National Drug Code (NDC) of the drug prescribed.

### Element 7 — Date Prescription Written

Enter the date the prescription was written.

### Element 8 — Directions for Use

Enter the directions for use of the drug.

### Element 9 — Start Date Requested

Enter the requested start date.

### Element 10 — Name — Prescriber

Enter the name of the prescribing provider.

### Element 11 — National Provider Identifier (NPI) — Prescriber

Enter the prescribing provider's 10-digit National Provider Identifier (NPI).

### Element 12 — Address — Prescriber

Enter the address (street, city, state, and ZIP+4 code) of the prescriber.

### Element 13a — Telephone Number — Prescriber

Enter the telephone number, including area code, of the prescriber.

### Element 13b

In case the PA consultant needs additional information about the member, provide a contact person's name and telephone number at the clinic where the member was seen who can be contacted to discuss the member's clinical information.

## SECTION III — DIAGNOSIS INFORMATION

### Element 14 — Diagnosis Code and Description

Enter the appropriate and most-specific *International Classification of Diseases* (ICD) diagnosis code and description most relevant to the drug requested. The ICD diagnosis code must correspond with the ICD description.

## SECTION IV — TARGET SYMPTOMS

### Element 15

Check the appropriate box to indicate the *one* target symptom cluster (i.e., mood-related irritability, aggression/anger/temper tantrums/defiance, or other target symptoms) that applies to the child. If other is checked, enter the specific target symptom(s) in the space provided.

## SECTION V — CLINICAL INFORMATION FOR STIMULANT USE (INCLUDING STRATERRA)

### Element 16

Check the appropriate box to indicate whether or not the child is currently taking a stimulant medication (including Straterra).

## SECTION VI — BODY MASS INDEX (BMI) INFORMATION

### Element 17 — Height — Member

Enter the child's height in inches.

### Element 18 — Weight — Member

Enter the child's weight in pounds.

### Element 19 — Date of Member's Weight Measurement

Enter the date the child's weight was measured in MM/CCYY format.

**Element 20 — BMI — Member**

Enter the child's most current body mass index (BMI) using the following equation. Indicate the child's most current BMI as a three-digit number (e.g., if the child's BMI is 33, enter 33.0).

Refer to the formula below or to the BMI calculator on the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Web site at [apps.nccd.cdc.gov/dnpabmi/](https://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/dnpabmi/).

$$\text{BMI} = \frac{703 \times (\text{weight in pounds})}{(\text{height in inches})^2}$$

Example: Height = 3'4"

Weight = 80 lbs

Figure out height in inches:  $3 \times 12 = 36 + 4 = 40$

$$\text{BMI} = \frac{703 \times 80}{40^2}$$

$$\text{BMI} = \frac{56240}{1600}$$

$$\text{BMI} = 35.15$$

**Element 21 — BMI Percentile**

Enter the child's current BMI percentile.

**SECTION VII — CLINICAL INFORMATION FOR CHILDREN WITH A BMI PERCENTILE  $\geq$  85**

**Element 22**

*Note:* The date must be within the past six months.

Enter the date the child's most recent lipid panel was taken and the lipid panel values of total cholesterol, high-density lipoprotein (HDL) cholesterol, low-density lipoprotein (LDL) cholesterol, and triglyceride. Enter the date the child's most recent fasting glucose level was taken and the fasting glucose level in the spaces provided.

**SECTION VIII — CURRENT MEDICATION USE**

**Element 23**

Check the appropriate box to indicate whether or not the child is currently taking a psychoactive medication(s) other than the drug being requested. If yes, check the appropriate box to indicate the medication category(s) (alpha-2 adrenergic agonist, anticonvulsant/mood stabilizer, antidepressant, antipsychotic, lithium, stimulant, or other) and enter the name of the drug(s) and total daily dose in the space provided. Check all categories that apply.

**Element 24**

Check the appropriate box to indicate whether or not the child is currently taking the antipsychotic drug being requested.

**SECTION IX — PAST MEDICATION USE**

**Element 25**

Check the appropriate box to indicate whether or not the child has previously (within the last 12 months) taken a psychoactive medication(s) that he or she is no longer taking. If yes, check the appropriate box to indicate the medication category(s) (alpha-2 adrenergic agonist, anticonvulsant/mood stabilizer, antidepressant, antipsychotic, lithium, stimulant, or other) and enter the name of the drug(s) and total daily dose in the space provided. Check all categories that apply.

**SECTION X — PRESCRIBER SPECIALITY INFORMATION**

**Element 26**

Check appropriate box to indicate the specialty (i.e., Child Psychiatrist Board Certified, Child Psychiatrist Board Eligible, Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrician Board Certified, or other specialty) of the prescribing provider. If other, enter the specific specialty in the space provided.

**SECTION XI — CONSULTATION HISTORY (This section does not need to be completed if the prescriber completing the form is a child psychiatrist.)**

**Element 27**

Check the appropriate box to indicate whether or not the child has ever received a child psychiatry consultation. If yes, check the appropriate box to indicate what type of consultation the child received (i.e., child seen formally or child not seen formally). Enter the name of the consultant and the date of the consultation in the space provided.

**SECTION XII — JUSTIFICATION FOR A NON-PREFERRED ANTIPSYCHOTIC DRUG (This section does not need to be completed if the antipsychotic drug being requested is a preferred antipsychotic drug on the ForwardHealth Preferred Drug List.)**

**Element 28**

Check the appropriate box to indicate whether or not a preferred antipsychotic drug(s) has been attempted in the past if the drug being requested is a non-preferred antipsychotic drug on the ForwardHealth Preferred Drug List. Also, enter the preferred antipsychotic drug(s), date of the trial(s), and clinical justification why a non-preferred antipsychotic drug is necessary over a preferred antipsychotic drug in the space provided.

**SECTION XIII — FOR PHARMACY PROVIDERS USING STAT-PA**

**Element 29 — NDC**

Enter the appropriate 11-digit NDC for each drug.

**Element 30 — Days' Supply Requested**

Enter the requested days' supply.

**Element 31 — NPI**

Enter the NPI. Also enter the taxonomy code if the pharmacy provider taxonomy code is not 333600000X.

**Element 32 — Date of Service**

Enter the requested first date of service (DOS) for the drug in MM/DD/CCYY format. For STAT-PA requests, the DOS may be up to 31 days in the future or up to 14 days in the past.

**Element 33 — Place of Service**

Enter the appropriate place of service code designating where the requested item would be provided/performed/dispensed.

Code	Description
01	Pharmacy
13	Assisted living facility
14	Group home
32	Nursing facility
34	Hospice
50	Federally qualified health center
65	End-stage renal disease treatment facility
72	Rural health clinic

**Element 34 — Assigned PA Number**

Enter the PA number assigned by the STAT-PA system.

**Element 35 — Grant Date**

Enter the date the PA was approved by the STAT-PA system.

**Element 36 — Expiration Date**

Enter the date the PA expires as assigned by the STAT-PA system.

**SECTION XIV — AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE**

**Element 37 — Signature — Prescriber**

The prescriber is required to complete and sign this form.

**Element 38 — Date Signed**

Indicate the month, day, and year the form was signed in MM/DD/CCYY format.

**SECTION XV — ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

**Element 39**

Include any additional information in the space provided. Additional diagnostic and clinical information explaining the need for the drug requested may be included here.