# STATE OF LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH Bureau of Health Services Financing Medical Assistance Program

**BATON ROUGE, LA. 70898-4919** 

REQUEST FOR PRIOR AUTHORIZATION

P.A. NUMBER

Appendix BB-1

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								Revised 5	5/2019	

#### **Instructions for Completing Prior Authorization Form (PA-14)**

NOTE: ONLY THE FIELDS LISTED BELOW ARE TO BE COMPLETED BY THE PROVIDER OF SERVICE. ALL OTHER FIELDS ARE TO BE USED BY THE PRIOR AUTHORIZATION DEPARTMENT AT DXC.

- FIELD NO. 2 ENTER BENEFICIARY'S 13-DIGIT MEDICAID ID NUMBER OR THE 16-DIGIT CCN NUMBER.
- FIELD NO. 3 ENTER THE BENEFICIARY'S SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER.
- FIELD NO. 4 ENTER THE BENEFICIARY'S LAST NAME, FIRST NAME AND MIDDLE INITIAL AS IT APPEARS ON THE BENEFICIARY'S MEDICAID CARD.
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- FIELD NO. 8 PLACE A CHECK MARK IN THE 'YES' OR 'NO' BOX TO INDICATE WHETHER OR NOT THE BENEFICIARY IS CURRENTLY RECEIVING SERVICES.
- FIELD NO. 9 ENTER THE DIAGNOSIS CODES (PRIMARY & SECONDARY).
- FIELD NO. 10 ENTER THE DAY THE PRESCRIPTION, PRACTITIONER'S ORDERS WAS WRITTEN IN MMDDYYYY FORMAT (MM=MONTH, DD=DAY, YYYY=YEAR)
- FIELD NO. 11 ENTER THE NAME OF THE BENEFICIARY'S ATTENDING PRACTITIONER PRESCRIBING THE SERVICES.
- FIELD NO. 12 ENTER THE HCPCS CODE.
- FIELD NO. 12A ENTER THE CORRESPONDING MODIFIER (WHEN APPROPRIATE).
- FIELD NO. 12B ENTER THE HCPCS CODE'S CORRESPONDING DESCRIPTION FOR EACH PROCEDURE REQUESTED. FIELD NO.
- ENTER THE NUMBER OF TIMES THE REQUESTED PROCEDURE WILL BE PERFORMED DURING THE TREATMENT PLAN. CALCULATE THE TOTAL UNITS REQUESTED BY MULTIPLYING THE NUMBER OF UNITS PER DAY (1 UNIT = 15 MINUTES) TIMES THE NUMBER OF DAYS PER WEEK TIMES THE NUMBER OF WEEKS COVERED IN THE TREATMENT PLAN. THIS WILL GIVE THE TOTAL UNITS REQUESTED. BELOW ARE TWO EXAMPLES ON THE PROPER WAY TO CALCULATE THE TOTAL UNITS REQUESTED:

EXAMPLE 1) REQUESTING FOUR-HOURS PER DAY FOR A SIX MONTH PERIOD:

4 HOURS PER DAY = 16 UNITS PER DAY, 7 DAYS A WEEK, 26 WEEKS = 16 X 7 X 26 = 2912 TOTAL UNITS REQUESTED

EXAMPLE 2) REQUESTING TWO-HOURS PER DAY ON WEEKENDS AND FOUR-HOURS PER DAY ON WEEKDAYS:

2 HOURS PER DAY (WEEKENDS) = 8 UNITS PER DAY, 2 DAYS A WEEK, 26 WEEKS = 8 X 2 X 26 = 416 TOTAL UNITS REQUESTED FOR WEEKENDS

4 HRS. PER DAY (WEEKDAYS) = 16 UNITS PER DAY, 5 DAYS A WEEK, 26 WEEKS = 16 X 5 X 26 = 2080 TOTAL UNITS REQUESTED FOR WEEKDAYS

THE TOTAL UNITS REQUESTED WOULD BE THE COMBINATION OF THE TOTAL WEEKEND UNITS (416) AND WEEKDAY UNITS (2080), WHICH WOULD EQUAL TO 2496 TOTAL UNITS REQUESTED. THIS IS THE NUMBER (2496) TO ENTER IN FIELD NUMBER 12C.

- FIELD NO. 13 ENTER THE NAME, MAILING ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF THE PROVIDER OF SERVICE. FIELD NO.
- PROVIDER/AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE IS REQUIRED. YOUR REQUEST WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED IF NOT SIGNED. IF USING A STAMPED SIGNATURE, IT MUST BE INITIALED BY AUTHORIZED PERSONNEL.
- FIELD NO. 15 DATE IS REQUIRED. YOUR REQUEST WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED IF FIELD IS NOT DATED.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS CONCERNING THE PRIOR AUTHORIZATION PROCESS, PLEASE CONTACT THE PRIOR AUTHORIZATION DEPARTMENT AT DXC.

PRIOR AUTHORIZATION PCS DEPARTMENT TOLL-FREE NO. IS 1-800-807-1320 PRIOR AUTHORIZATION FAX NO. IS 1-225-216-6481

# **REQUEST FOR MEDICAID EPSDT - PERSONAL CARE SERVICES**

(Personal Care Services are to be provided in the home and not in an institution)

# I. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION

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1. Applicant Name:				MID#				
Address:				Ph# ( )				
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2. Responsible Party/Curator:				Relationship:				
Address:				Home Phone #				
				Work or Cell Phon	e #			
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By signing this form I give my coeligibility for Personal Care Serv	onsent for my medica	I information to be released	to the Dep	partment of Health and Hosp	pitals to be used in determining			
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Signature:				Date:				
		II. MEDICAL INFO	DRMAT	ION				
	he following info	rmation is to be comple	ted by th	ne applicant's attending	g practitioner.			
1. Patient Name:								
2. Primary Diagnosis:					Diagnosis			
Secondary Diagnosis:					Code: Diagnosis			
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3. Physical Examination: General	Head and CNS	S Mouth		<b>4. Special Care/Procedures:</b> check appropriate box and give type, frequency, size, stage and site when appropriate				
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Extremities	Skin	Height						
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Control			D Urinary Catheter					
Impaired Vision	Impaired H	earing	D Seizure Precautions					
DGlasses	DHearing A	Aid	D Ostomy					
Lab Results:			D IV					
HCT	HCB	U/A	D Decubitus/Stage					
Radiology			D Diet/Tube Feeding					
<b>.</b>			D Reha	ab (OT,PT,ST)				
			Accieti	ve Device:				
5.			Assisti	ve Device.				
Medications		Dosage		Frequency	Route			

#### II. MEDICAL INFORMATION (Continued)

6. Recent Ho	spitalizations: (include	psychiat	ric):					
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Passive	D Yes (1 2 3)	D <b>No</b>	Physically Abusive	D Yes (1 2 3)	D <b>No</b>	Verbally Abusive	D Yes ( 1 2 3 )	D <b>No</b>
Verbal	D Yes (1 2 3)	D <b>No</b>	Comatose	D Yes (1 2 3)	D <b>No</b>	Hostile	D Yes (1 2 3)	D <b>No</b>
Forgetful	D Yes (1 2 3)	D <b>No</b>	Confused	D Yes (1 2 3)	D <b>No</b>	Combative	D Yes (1 2 3)	D <b>No</b>
Non- responsive	D Yes (1 2 3)	D <b>No</b>	Injures Self/Others	D Yes ( 1 2 3)	D <b>No</b>			
8. Impairme	ents: Please rate the	followin	g. 1- Mild , 2-N	loderate, 3-Severe				
Walking	(1 2 3)		Chronic heart failure	(1 2 3)		Vision impairment	(1 2 3)	
Spasticity	(1 2 3)		Speech impairment	(1 2 3)		Oral feeding	(123)	
Limb weakness	(1 2 3)		Seizure Disorder	(1 2 3)		Bladder and bowel incontinence	(1 2 3)	
Hypotonia	(1 2 3)		Developmenta delay	(1 2 3)		Intellectual impairment	(1 2 3)	
Chronic Resp distress	(1 2 3)	_	Hearing impairment	(1 2 3)	_		_	_

#### III. LEVEL OF CARE DETERMINATION

#### **Activities of Daily Living:**

**Based on the beneficiary's impairment**, the attending practitioner should check the appropriate box as it applies to the beneficiary's ability to perform this age appropriate tasks using the following definitions and PCS Level of Assistance Guide:

Not Independent at this Age - not age appropriate to perform this task independently

Independent – beneficiary able to perform task without assistance

Limited Assistance – beneficiary aids in task, but receives help from other persons some of the

time

Extensive Assistance – beneficiary aids in task, but receives help from other persons all of the time

Maximal Assistance – beneficiary is entirely dependent on other persons

Note: An additional 15 minutes can be added to bathing, dressing and toileting if mobility/transfer assistance is required

## (EPSDT - PCS Level of Assistance Guide)

This is a **general guide** to assist practitioners with determining the level of assistance beneficiaries require to complete their activities of daily living (ADL). Additional time to complete the tasks will be considered if there is sufficient medical documentation provided. Please use the comments section below and attach documentation to support the need for additional time to complete the ADL's. In addition to the PCS tasks listed, assistance with incidental household chores may be approved. This does not include routine household chores such as regular laundry, ironing, mopping, dusting, etc., but instead arises as the result of providing assistance with personal care to the beneficiary.

PCS Task		Levels o	f Assistance	Mobility/Transfer Requirement	
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Bathing	0	15 min	30 min	45 min	Additional 15 min
Dressing	0	15 min	30 min	45 min	Additional 15 min
Grooming	0	15 min	15 min	15 min	
Toileting	0	15 min	30 min	45 min	Additional 15 min
Eating	0	15 min	30 min	45 min	
Meal Prep	0	30 min	30 min	30 min	

# III. LEVEL OF CARE DETERMINATION (Continued)

NOTE: The following information is to be completed by the applicant's attending practitioner. Check the appropriate box using the definitions and EPSDT PCS Level of Assistance Guide to assist with determining the level of care.							
Activity	Not Independent at this Age	Independent	Limited Assistance	Extensive Assistance	Maximal Assistance	Comments	
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Dressing							
Grooming							
Toileting							
Eating							
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Reason for PCS			nedical appointr	nents:			
The above named patient is in need of EPSDT PCS due to his/her current medical condition. I am prescribing  Personal Care Services forhours,days a week as determined by the level of care determination.							
Practitioner's Na Address:	me (type or prin	nt):				Phone:	
I certify/recertify that I am the attending practitioner for this patient and that the information provided is accurate and correct to the best of my knowledge. I authorize these EPSDT personal care services and will periodically review the plan. In my professional opinion, the services listed on this form are medically necessary and appropriate due to the child's medical condition. I understand that if I knowingly authorize services that are not medically necessary, I may be in violation of Medicaid rules and subject to sanctions described therein. I understand a face to face evaluation must be held between beneficiary and practitioner.  Practitioner's Signature							

MAIL TO: DXC / LA. MEDICAID P.O. BOX 14919 **BATON ROUGE, LA. 70898-4919** 

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  THE NUMBER OF DAYS PER WEEK TIMES THE NUMBER OF WEEKS REQUESTED (TAKEN FROM THE SERVICES TREATMENT DATES (FIELD NO. 7 ABOVE). THIS WILL GIVE THE TOTAL UNITS REQUESTED.

## **EXAMPLE:** 11 HOURS PER DAY, 7 DAYS PER WEEK, 26 WEEKS =

#### 11 X 4 = 44 X 7 X 26 WEEKS = 8,008

- FIELD NO.13 ENTER THE NAME, MAILING ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF THE PROVIDER OF SERVICE
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- FIELD NO.15 DATE IS REQUIRED. YOUR REQUEST WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED IF THIS FIELD IS NOT DATED

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS CONCERNING THE PRIOR AUTHORIZATION PROCESS, PLEASE CONTACT THE PRIOR AUTHORIZATION DEPARTMENT AT DXC.

HOME HEALTH TOLL-FREE NO. IS 1-800-807-1320

HOME HEALTH PRIOR AUTHORIZATION FAX NUMBER IS 1-225-237-3342

HOME HEALTH CERTIFICATION AND PLAN OF CARE								
1. Patient's HI Cla	aim No.	2. Start Of Care	e Date 3. 0	Certification Perio	d		Medical Record No.	5. Provider No.
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6. Patient's Name	and Address		F	rom:	To:	. Addross s	nd Telephone Number	
o. Patient's Name	and Address				7. Provider's Name	e, Address a	nd relephone Number	
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12. ICD	Surgical Procedu	Iro		Date				
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19. Mental Status			ш					
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22. Goals/Rehabi	litation Potential/D	ischarge Plans						
23. Nurse's Signa	iture and Date of V	erbal SOC When	e Applicable:			25	<ol><li>Date of HHA Received S</li></ol>	igned POT
24. Physician's Name and Address  26. I certify/recertify that this patient is confined to his/her home and needs						home and needs		
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					authorized serv	ices on this p	plan of care and will period	lically review the plan.
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# **Privacy Act Statement**

Sections 1812, 1814, 1815, 1816, 1861 and 1862 of the Social Security Act authorize collection of this information. The primary use of this information is to process and pay Medicare benefits to or on behalf of eligible individuals. Disclosure of this information may be made to: Peer Review Organizations and Quality Review Organizations in connection with their review of claims, or in connection with studies or other review activities, conducted pursuant to Part B of Title XI of the Social Security Act; State Licensing Boards for review of unethical practices or nonprofessional conduct; A congressional office from the record of an individual in response to an inquiry from the congressional office at the request of that individual.

Where the individual's identification number is his/her Social Security Number (SSN), collection of this information is authorized by Executive Order 9397. Furnishing the information on this form, including the SSN, is voluntary, but failure to do so may result in disapproval of the request for payment of Medicare benefits.

# **Paper Work Burden Statement**

According to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. The valid OMB control number for this information collection is 0938-0357. The time required to complete this information collection is estimated to average 15 minutes per response, including the time to review instructions, search existing data resources, gather the data needed, and complete and review the information collection. If you have any comments concerning the accuracy of the time estimate(s) or suggestions for improving this form, please write to: CMS, Mailstop N2-14-26, 7500 Security Boulevard, Baltimore, Maryland 21244-1850.

# PRESCRIPTION REQUEST FORM FOR DISPOSABLE INCONTINENCE PRODUCTS

Recipient Information	
Name:	Date of birth: Age:
Medicaid ID:	Height: Weight
Recipient's Address	
Prescribing Provider:	
Prescriber's Name:	Phone #:
Address:	
Medical Diagnoses causing the urine and/o Primary:	r fecal incontinence (Specify ICD CM code): Secondary:
> Specify Urine/Fecal incontinence diagnose Primary:	s (Specify ICD CM code): Secondary:
➤ Mobility  □ Ambulatory □ Transfer Assistance □ Confined to bed o	•
<ul> <li>Extraordinary Needs - if you are requesting Complete and provide additional supporting and/or extenuating circumstances for the</li> </ul>	g documentation for acute medical condition
➤ Mental Status/Level of Orientation  ☐ Has the ability to communicate needs ☐ Sometimes communicates needs ☐ Unable to communicate needs	Frequency of anticipated change  During Day time (6 AM-10PM)  During Night time (10PM – 6 AM)
> Additional supporting Diagnoses (Specific ICD-CM Code)	Indicate current supportive services  ☐ Home Health ☐ Skilled Nursing Services ☐ Personal Care Services
➤ List any medications and/or nutritional therapy	☐ Otherthat would increase urine or fecal output:
<ul> <li>➤ Specify incontinence supply, size, quantity/</li> <li>□ Diapers (Check one): [] child size [] □ youth-</li> <li>□ Pull-ups (Check one): [] child size [] □ youth-</li> <li>□ Liner/shield (Check one): [] child size [] □ youth-</li> </ul>	Qty per Size day (S, M, L, XL) sized [] adult-sized sized [] adult-sized
By my signature I attest that I have seen the patient and the item prescribed is medically necessary. I have personally completed this request and a copy will be maintained in the patient's medical record.	> Comments
Prescriber's Signature:	
Date:	—————————————————————————————————————

## Disposable Incontinence Products (T4521 - T4535 & T4539 & T4543)

# **Standards of Coverage:**

**Diapers** are covered for individual's age four years through age twenty years when:

- Specifically prescribed by the recipient's physician, and
- The individual has a medical condition resulting in permanent bowel/bladder incontinence, and
- The individual would not benefit from or has failed a bowel/bladder training program when appropriate for the medical condition.

**Pull-on briefs** are covered for individual's age four years through age twenty years when:

- · Specifically prescribed by the recipient's physician, and
- There is presence of a medical condition resulting in permanent bowel/bladder incontinence, and
- The recipient has the cognitive and physical ability to assist in his/her toileting needs.

**Liners/guards** are covered for individual's age four years through age twenty years when:

- Specifically prescribed by the recipient's physician, and
- They cost-effectively reduce the amount of other incontinence supplies needed.

Note: Permanent loss of bladder and/or bowel control is defined as a condition that is not expected to be medically or surgically corrected and that is of long and indefinite duration.

**Documentation:** The prescription request form for disposable incontinence products may be completed by the physician, or a physician's prescription along with the required documentation as listed below.

**Documentation** must reflect the individual's current condition and include the following:

- Diagnosis (specific ICD-CM code) of condition causing incontinence (primary and secondary diagnosis).
- Item to be dispensed.
- Duration of need (physician must provide).
- Size
- Quantity of item and anticipated frequency the item requires replacement.
- Description of mobility/limitations

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To avoid unnecessary delays and need for reconsideration, care should be taken to use the correct HCPC code from among T4521-T4535 & T4539 & T4543.

# **Documentation for extraordinary needs** must include all of the above and:

- Description of mental status/level of orientation
- Indicate current supportive services
- · Additional supporting diagnosis to justify increased need for supplies
- Additional documentation to justify increased need may include but are not limited to any prescriptions that would increase urinary or fecal output.

If completed, DHH's "Prescription Request Form for Disposable Incontinence Supplies" collects this information.

# Approved providers of incontinence products:

- Pharmacy
- Home health agency
- Durable medical equipment provider

**Prior Authorization Requirements:** Prior authorization is required for all disposable incontinence supplies. The PA requests shall meet all previously defined criteria for:

- Eligible recipient.
- Eligible provider.
- · Covered product.
- Documentation requirements the prescription request form for disposable incontinence products may be completed, or a physician's prescription along with the required documentation as indicated above.

#### **Quantity Limitations:**

- Disposable incontinence supplies are limited to eight per day.
- ICF-MR and nursing facility residents are excluded as these products are included in the facility per diem.
- Additional supporting documentation is required for requests that exceed the established limit.

## Dispensing and Billing:

- Only a one-month supply may be dispensed at any time as initiated by the recipient.
- Bill one unit per item. Shipping costs are included in the DHH maximum allowable payment and may not be billed separately.
- Although specific brands are not required, DHH maximum allowable amounts may preclude the purchase of some products. The rate has been established so that the majority of products on the market are obtainable.

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- Providers should always request authorization for the appropriate product for the recipient's current needs.
- Providers must provide at the minimum, a moderate absorbency product that will accommodate a majority of the Medicaid recipient's incontinence needs. Supplying larger quantities of inferior products is not an acceptable practice.
- For recipients requesting a combination of incontinence supplies, the total quantity shall not exceed the established limit absent approval of extraordinary needs.
- Because payment cannot exceed the number of units prior authorized, providers who choose to have incontinent supplies shipped directly from the manufacture to the recipient's home shall be responsible for any excess over the number of supplies approved by the prior authorization.

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