

Site of Care

Frequently Asked Questions

1. Do medications in the Site of Care program require prior authorization?

Yes, all medications included in the Site of Care program require prior authorization. For the most up-to-date list of infused medications that require prior authorization, please visit www.modahealth.com/medical/siteofcare.shtml.

2. Will my patients have to move to home infusion or a prescriber office immediately after Oct. 1, 2017?

Prior authorization requests for medications included in the Site of Care program on or after Oct. 1, 2017 for new utilizers are subject to the Site of Care program requirements. For current utilizers of these medications, Site of Care program requirements will apply upon prior authorization renewal on or after Oct. 1, 2017.

To prevent a delay in care and allow adequate transition time for Moda members to an alternate infusion site, Site of Care program requirements will be waived for the first month following prior authorization approval only. Moda will deny services as provider responsibility for infusions administered in a hospital outpatient infusion center beyond the waiver period.

3. What if a hospital outpatient infusion center is the only appropriate setting for my patient?

Exceptions to the Site of Care program requirements are reviewed through the prior authorization process and may be granted on a case-by-case basis based on medical necessity.

4. How will my patient be notified about the Site of Care program?

All members currently receiving infusions of one of the Site of Care program medications in a hospital outpatient infusion center will be notified of this change on or before Aug. 1, 2017.

Magellan Rx and Moda will work closely with members to identify and transition them to a preferred site of service.

5. How will I be notified of changes to the Site of Care program medication list?

If currently available infused specialty medications are added to the Site of Care program medication list, prescribers will receive advanced notification per the terms of your provider contract with Moda.

Newly available infused specialty medications may be added to the Site of Care program medication list upon FDA-approval.

To view the most up-to-date list of medications included in the program, please visit www.modahealth.com/pdfs/medical/soc_auth_list.pdf.

6. How do I submit a prior authorization request through Magellan Rx?

To begin requesting prior authorizations through the Magellan Rx self-service portal, visit ih.magellanrx.com/ and select “New Access Request-Provider” on the right side of the home page.