

Lipectomy

Prior Authorization Request

Date _____

Member information		
Member name (print)	SMID	Date of birth (month/day/year)
Provider information		
Provider name (print)	Telephone number	Fax number
Place of service: <input type="checkbox"/> Ambulatory Surgery Center <input type="checkbox"/> Hospital outpatient <input type="checkbox"/> Hospital inpatient <input type="checkbox"/> Provider's office <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____		
Facility where services will be provided (include address if the provider provides services at more than one practice location)		
Procedure information		
Scheduled date of service (month/day/year)	Requested service/procedure	Procedure code(s)
Diagnosis	Diagnosis code(s)	

Answer all of the following questions.

The requested service is: Suction-assisted lipectomy Lipectomy

The medical records documents that the excess skin folds cause a chronic intertrigo that is refractory to at least 3 months of appropriate medical therapy or consistently recurs over 3 months while receiving appropriate medical therapy Yes No

There is a presence of significant functional deficit that prohibits or profoundly impairs the ability to perform activities of daily living due to a significant physical deformity or disfigurement resulting from excess skin folds, and surgery is expected to restore or greatly improve the functional deficit. Yes No

Documentation that support medical necessity for procedure with signs and symptoms of:

- Is the member having pain Yes No
- Has the member had massive weight loss or gain Yes No
- Has the member had recurrent infections Yes No
- Does the member have functional impairment. Yes No

Is this performed to solely enhance the member's appearance Yes No

Clear supporting evidence of physical exam and documented by photographs for medical necessity

If yes to any of these questions above, please submit medical documentation.

By signing this form, the provider attests that the above information is accurate and documented in the medical record. Security Health Plan may, at its discretion, request medical records to make a final coverage determination.

Provider signature

Date

Pre-service decisions: Initial review is received and a coverage determination is made within fourteen (14) calendar days of receipt of request. The member and/or provider are notified in writing of a denial decision within fourteen (14) calendar days of receipt of the request.

Urgent pre-service decisions: Initial review is received and a coverage determination is made within seventy-two (72) hours of receipt of request.

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