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## Reminder: Make Sure You're Using Our Current Prior Authorization Request Form

Dear Provider,

Earlier this year we updated our prior authorization form, which is available online. This new form will help us process prior authorization requests more efficiently. If you have not, please begin using this template immediately.

## The current form is version 3.2 and is dated September 2020. You can find it at www.hpsm.org/provider/authorizations.

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Here is an image of what the current form looks like. Use these tips to ensure your authorization is processed as quickly as possible:

□ You complete all fields using the fillable PDF (typed, not handwritten).

□ You use one form for one patient and double-check the member ID number before sending. Note that we cannot process more than one patient per form.

□ You set your fax machine settings to the highest quality possible.

□ Bookmark HPSM's authorizations page (link above) and regularly check the Prior Authorization Required list to determine if prior authorization is required.

Thank you,

The Health Plan of San Mateo