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Complete this form to submit authorizations for Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Louisiana and HMO Louisiana, Inc. members for inpatient, outpatient and offices services that require an authorization directly from our authorization department. Do not use this form for authorizations processed by Carelon Medical Benefits Management (Carelon), Express Scripts, Inc. or Lucet, etc.

*Failure to fully complete this form could delay your authorization processing.*

<b>PATIENT DATA</b>	Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial
	Contract/Subscriber ID Number		Date of Birth
<b>CLINICAL DATA</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Inpatient Admit/Surgery		<input type="checkbox"/> Outpatient Procedure/Service
			<input type="checkbox"/> Office
	Diagnosis Code(s) (ICD-10)		CPT® Code(s)
	Number of Visits Requested (If Applicable)		Date of Service/Admit Date
<b>REQUESTING PHYSICIAN</b>	Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial
	Address	Phone number	Fax Number
NPI (National Provider Identifier) Number:			
<b>FACILITY INFORMATION</b>	Name		
	Address	Phone number	Fax Number
NPI (National Provider Identifier) Number:			
<b>CONTACT PERSON</b>	Name	Phone number	Fax Number
	<b>Additional Information:</b>		
<p><b>Note:</b> Maternity admissions to network facilities (or out-of-network facilities if the member has out-of-network benefits) do not require authorization if the inpatient stay is 48 hours or less for vaginal delivery and 96 hours or less for Cesarean section delivery.</p> <p>The authorization process is based on medical necessity only and is <i>not</i> a guarantee of payment. Services/procedures are subject to review by Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Louisiana for contractual limitations or exclusions. Providers are required to check an individual's benefits, limitations and eligibility immediately prior to providing a benefit or service. You may log into iLinkBlue (<a href="http://www.bcbsla.com/ilinkblue">www.bcbsla.com/ilinkblue</a>) or call the customer service number printed on the member's ID card for specific member information.</p>			

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