

NETWORK Notification

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To: Ohio Medicaid Providers

From: CareSource

Subject: 2021-2022 Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) Season and Synagis

Effective Date: September 16, 2021

Summary

The CareSource Synagis® Prior Authorization resources for the 2021-2022 Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) Season are now available at CareSource.com. This notification provides additional information pertaining to the billing process for Synagis®.

Importance

Policy and Form:

- The Synagis® policy is available online at CareSource.com > Providers > Tools & Resources > Select a Plan > Medicaid > Ohio > Provider Policies > Pharmacy.
- The Synagis® Prior Authorization (PA) form is available online at CareSource.com > Providers > Tools & Resources > Select a Plan > Medicaid > Ohio > Forms.
 - Please see the top of the authorization form for the fax number required for submission.
 - When submitting the authorization form, please include all pertinent information that would be required for approval (i.e., chart notes, diagnosis codes, etc.) to expedite the review process.

Billing Information

- For Ohio Medicaid, Synagis® is available as a pharmacy benefit or medical benefit.
- Synagis® can be billed only by pharmacies in CareSource's Specialty Network. The
 specialty pharmacy provider can directly bill CareSource for the injectable product and will
 be responsible for delivering Synagis® to your office.
 - o Our preferred specialty pharmacy for Synagis® is Accredo.
- Billing on the medical benefit requires submission of a claim form using CPT code 90378 for Synagis®, with required NDC and billing units incremental to each 50 mg dose administered (i.e. 100 mg = 2 billing units).
- Administration charges for the injection should be billed directly to CareSource on a (HCFA) CMS 1500 claim form using CPT code 96372 (Administration). You may also bill for an appropriate office visit for each administration of the drug.

Questions?

For any questions, please contact CareSource's Provider Services at 1-844-607-2831 Monday through Friday, 8 am to 8 pm Eastern Time (ET).

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