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# Carelon exclusion list for Blue Cross Blue Shield of Michigan commercial

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For services managed by Carelon Medical Benefits Management (formerly AIM Specialty Health®), prior authorization isn't required for the health plans, groups, or settings and scenarios outlined in this document.

At the end of this document, you'll find additional resources that will help determine whether prior authorization is required through Carelon.

## **Prior authorization isn't required for select health plans, groups, or settings and scenarios for Blue Cross commercial**

### **Health plans**

Prior authorization isn't required for services managed by Carelon for Blue Cross Traditional.

### **Groups**

Prior authorization isn't required for services managed by Carelon for members who have coverage through the following groups:

- State of Michigan employee group
- Inmates/prisoners groups
- UAW Healthcare Trust group 70605
- UAW International Union group 71714
- Denso group
- Select Flexlink and Ascension groups



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## Settings or scenarios

Prior authorization isn't required for services managed by Carelon in the following settings or scenarios:

- Inpatient setting
- When Blue Cross coverage is secondary — for example, when Blue Cross commercial coverage is secondary to Medicare
- For most members, when the subscriber's address of record is outside of Michigan

**Exceptions:** Prior authorization **is** required for special group processing. This applies to the following groups in Indiana, Kentucky and Ohio:

- General Motors
- Delphi
- FCA
- Aptiva
- UAW Retiree Medical Benefits Trust
- Trinity Health

## Additional information

For additional information, see the [Blue Cross Carelon-Managed Procedures](#) page on [ereferrals.bcbsm.com](http://ereferrals.bcbsm.com).