# ALAMEDA ALLIANCE FOR HEALTH PROVIDER PORTAL INSTRUCTIONS GUIDE



# WE ARE HERE TO HELP YOU!

At Alameda Alliance for Health (Alliance), we value our dedicated provider partner community. We are here to help ensure that you have everything that you need to care for Alliance members, and that your experience as an Alliance Provider is positive.

We have created a guide to the Alliance Provider Portal. This guide provides key information on how to create an account, check a patient's eligibility, coverage and claim status, submit and view authorizations and referrals, submit a provider appeal or dispute, and more.

The features described in this guide are subject to change. For the most up to date information, please visit the Alliance Provider Portal. You can also call the Alliance Provider Services Department at **1.510.747.4510**.





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# **Creating an Account**

Below is the information about how to create a provider account.

**Step 1:** Visit the Alliance website at **www.alamedaalliance.org**.

Select **Provider Portal** at the top right corner. You will be redirected to the Alliance Provider Portal webpage.



**Step 2:** Select **Create Account**, on the right side of the page.

Sign into your account	
Username	
Password	
Sign In	Create Account
Forgot your usemame or password?	_
If you are having issues authenticating password, please call: Alliance Provider Services Departmen Monday - Friday, 7:30 am - 5 pm Phone Number: <b>1.510.747.4510</b>	) your username and/or t

**Please Note:** If you have already created an account and cannot log in, please select **Forgot your username or password?** to update your information and/or reset your password.

**Step 3:** Review the License Agreement. To agree, please select the **Accept** box and select **Next** to proceed.

Term and Termination. This license is effective until termina you fail to comply with any provisions of this Agreement. T survive termination of this Agreement, including but not lim of Warranties, Limitation of Liability, and Governing Law.	ated by either you or the producers of this website. This li- he provisions of this Agreement which by their nature ext ited to the sections relating to Restrictions, Content of th
Content of the Website. The insurance products, data, and We make no representations regarding the products, data, questions, complaints, or claims regarding the products or o	other information referenced in the website are provided or any information about the products. We are not liable data must be directed to the appropriate provider or vend
☑ Accept	+
Cancel	Next



### **Step 4:** Complete all fields. When done, please select **Add Provider**.

Please complete all fields. Your Tax Identification and	I NPI Numbers are required.	
Select "Add Provider" at the bottom of the form to a	d one or more Tax Identification and NPI N	Numbers.
Select "Next" to proceed with the Sign-up process.		
First Name		
Last Name		
Address Line 1		
Address Line 2		
City		
State		
Select	` /	,
Zip		
Organization Name		
Previous	Add Provider	Canoel

A pop-up box will appear.

Step 5: Enter your provider Tax Identification Number (TIN) and National Provider Identifier (NPI). When done, please select Add Provider.

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e all fields. Your Ta	Identification and NPI Numbers are required.
wider" at the botto	n of the form to add one or more Tax Identification and NPI Numbers.
proceed with the	Sian-up process.

To add an additional provider to your account, please select **Add Provider** and repeat. There is no limit to how many providers you can add.



**Step 6:** When all providers have been added, please select **Next**.



**Step 7:** Complete all fields. When done, please select **Next**.

Username
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E-mail Address
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Confirm E-mail Address
/@alamedaalliance.org
Password
******
Confirm Password
****
Security Question 1
In what city were you born? (Enter full name of cit
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Your access request will be submitted for approval.

Please allow **two (2) business days** for the Alliance Provider Service Department to review and respond.

Access Pending
Thank you for submitting your request for your on-line Provider Portal account!
Our Provider Services team will respond to your request within 2 business days.
If you have any questions, please contact our Provider Relations Department Call Center at: 1.510.747.4510, option #3

If you have any questions, please contact:

Alliance Provider Services Department Monday – Friday, 7:30 am – 5 pm Phone Number: **1.510.747.4510** Email: **providerservices@alamedaalliance.org** 



# **Provider Portal Homepage**

Below is the information on how to navigate the homepage after you have logged in, including icons and the navigation toolbar.

On the Alliance Provider Portal homepage, you can view the Alliance Provider Services Department contact information and hours, and the following headers:

- News and Updates The latest provider news and updates.
- Contact Us The Alliance contact information.
- Locations The Alliance mailing information.

To view more information, please select the header to expand the content.

Thank you for being a part of the Alliance provider network! We value our dedicated provider partner community and we are committed to continuously improving our provider satisfaction. The Alliance Provider Portal will allow you to exchange information with us and gain access to services in a secure environment.	
If you have any questions about the Alliance Provider Portal, our practices, or our members, please call: Alliance Provider Services Department Monday - Friday, 7:30 am - 5 pm Phone Number: <b>1.510.747.4510</b>	
News and Updates	
• Locations	

### lcons

There are several icons located on the right panel of the homepage after you log in.

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«News and Updates	Lab Results
*Affordable Care Act - Provider Payment Increase	
■Provider Pulse Newsletter & Updates	Ed 🖌
≈Contact Us	Pharmacy
Alliance Provider Services Department Monday - Friday, 7:30 am - 5 pm Phone Number: <b>1.510.747.4510</b>	
=Locations	Provider Demographic Attestation
Alkance Headquarters 1240 South Loop Road Alameda, CA 94502 Claims Address: PO Box 2460 Alameda, CA 94501-0460	



## Pharmacy & Drug Benefits

Links to our Drug Formulary, Prescription Drug Prior Authorization (PA) Request Form and more.

## Forms

Links to frequently used forms.

## Lab Results

Links to the Quest Diagnostic website to view lab information.

#### Pharmacy

Links to instructions to submit authorization requests for a medication electronically or by fax.

#### **Provider Demographic Attestation**

Links to a list of providers to review and approve based on the NPIs in your account (to be completed on a yearly basis).

# **Navigation Toolbar**

At the top of every page, there is a navigation tool bar. Some pages that are displayed in the navigation toolbar require additional permission from the Alliance. To obtain access, please contact the Alliance Provider Department.

Home Member Info Authorizations Care	Plans Reports Provider Resources
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If you have any questions, please contact:

Alliance Provider Services Department Monday – Friday, 7:30 am – 5 pm Phone Number: **1.510.747.4510** Email: **providerservices@alamedaalliance.org** 



# Member Info

Below is the information about how to navigate the pages under **Member Info** in the navigation toolbar.

When your cursor hovers over **Member Info** in the navigation toolbar, the following links will appear:

- Member Eligibility
- Member Roster
- Claim Status
- Pharmacy

# **Member Eligibility**

- **Step 1:** To search for an Alliance member, please use your cursor to hover over **Member Info** in the navigation toolbar and select **Member Eligibility**.
- **Step 2:** Complete the appropriate fields.

Member eligibility can be searched by one of the following:

- Member Name (First Name and Last Name)
- Member ID (nine-digit format: 00000000)
- Member SSN (00000000)
- Member CIN # (0000000E)
- Date of Birth

After you are done entering the information for any of the options above, please select **Search**.

Member E	ligibility	
First Name: Last Name: Search	Member ID Member SSN Member CIN #	Date of Birth:

**Please Note:** You can search for multiple Alliance member ID numbers by separating each member ID with a comma (,) or by pressing **Enter** after each number.



### **Step 3:** Member Eligibility shows member status as of the date of search.

The following headings are listed under Member Eligibility:

- Member ID
- Member Name
- Date of Birth
- Gender

- PCP
- Plan (Medi-Cal or Group Care)
- Status (Active or Terminated)

Select the member's name to view additional information.

To download results in an excel format, please select **Download Results**.

Memb	er Eligibility					
Member ID	Member Name	Date of Birth	Gender	PCP	Plan	<u>Status</u>
10100-1-01010-0001		101010010	101	Tenterin Medican - print	MEDI-CAL	Active

### **Step 4:** Member Details provides the following:

- Member Status (Active or Terminated)
- Current Date
- Member Name
- Member ID
- Gender

- DOB
- Address
- Preferred Language(s)
- Home Phone
- Relationship

Member Details		
Member Status:	Active	Current Date:
Member Name:	CARL PROMPTON	Member ID:
Gender:	Wight-	DOB:
Address:	filmadas apalitadas const Generalizativadas filma (temperatur constantes)	Preferred Language(s):
Home Phone:	1111-1078-10734	Relationship:



### PCP Details provides the following:

- PCP or Clinic Name
- NPI
- Gender
- Network

- Address
- Phone Number
- Website
- Email

PCP Details		
PCP Name:	Statitunt' Veillans Satita Satitunt' Veillans Satita	. PCP NPI:
PCP Gender:		PCP's Network:
Address:	anna 201 Suite 201	
City	(Esalitana)	State
PCP Phone:	13.63-18671-15716K	Zip
PCP Website:	Not Available	PCP Email:

#### PCP History provides the following:

Start DateEnd Date

- PCP
- Group Type (Medi-Cal or Group Care)

PCP History			
Start	End	PCP	Group
05/01/2020	06/30/2020	ALLIANCE-	MEDI-CAL
04/01/2020	04/30/2020	ALLIANCE-PCP Not Assigned (01078)-PCP Not Assigned (01078)	MEDI-CAL
Eligibility Info	rmation		

### Eligibility Information provides the following:

- Effective Date
- Plan (Medi-Cal or Group Care)
- Copays
- Coordination of Benefits Coverage

Eligibility Information									
Primary Alliance Coverage	The initial effective								
Effective Date:	date of continuous enrollment	Plan:							
03/01/2013 - Active		MEDI-CAL							
CoPays:		Coordination of Benefits Coverage:							
Office Visit, ER, Hospital - \$0 Rx	- \$0G/\$0B	N:							



If a member has coordination of benefits coverage, you will see the following:



**Please Note:** The member's effective date is the initial effective date of coverage with the plan.

**Current Profile** provides the following:

• Member Benefits (PDF) (Medi-Cal or Group Care)

Current Profile
Click on the link below to see the member's benefit highlights.
Medi-Cal Benefits (PDF)

**Please Note:** Some **teal-colored text** will display additional information if you hover your cursor over it.

## **Member Roster**

- **Step 1:** To view all members who are assigned to a primary care provider (PCP), please use your cursor to hover over **Member Info** in the navigation toolbar and select **Member Roster**.
- **Step 2:** Select a Provider NPI from the dropdown list.

A list of members associated with the selected NPI will appear.

**Please Note:** If no patients are found under the selected NPI, the message "No patients found" will appear.

#### Step 3: The following headings are located under Member Roster:

- PCP Begin Date
- Member ID
- Member Name
- Date of Birth

- Gender
- PCP
- Plan (Medi-Cal or Group Care)
- Status (Active or Terminated)



To download in an excel format, please select **Download Results**.

	Member Mame	Date of Birth	Gender	PCP	Plan	Status
9/1/2019					MEDI-CAL	Active
9/1/2019					MEDI-CAL	Active
9/1/2019					MEDI-CAL	Active
8/1/2019	 The second second	111.000		70.00	 MEDI-CAL	Active
8/1/2019					MEDI-CAL	Active
8/1/2019					MEDI-CAL	Active
8/1/2019					MEDI-CAL	Active
8/1/2019					MEDI-CAL	Active
8/1/2019					MEDI-CAL	Active
8/1/2019					MEDI-CAL	Active

## **Claim Status**

### Search by Tax Identification Number (TIN)

- Step 1: To search for a member's claim status by TIN, please use your cursor to hover over Member Info in the navigation toolbar and select Claim Status.
- Step 2: Select a provider TIN from the dropdown box. All Claims associated with the same TIN will appear.

The following headings are located under **Claim Status**:

Claims Status

- End Date of Service •
- Claim Number
- Member Name •
- Member ID
- Start Date of Service

- **Rendering Provider**
- Total Billed •
- Amount Paid
- •

Select Provider	Select Provider TIN: 12345678										
Clair	n Status										
<u>Claim Status</u>	Claim Number •	Member Name	Member ID	Start Date of Service	End Date of Service	Rendering Provider	Total Billed	Amount Paid			
PAID							\$175.00	\$129.35			
DENIED							\$75.00	\$0.00			



### **Step 3:** Select a heading to filter results by section.



**Step 4:** Select a member's claim number to expand results.

Claii	m Status							
Claim Status	<u>Claim Numk</u>	Member Name	Member ID	Start Date of Service	End Date of Service	Rendering Provider	Total Billed	Amount Paid
PAID	111000000000000000000000000000000000000	101400NE 1979NES	9671012238	71,000	7/22002211220	(MAHERE/THERREE INC	\$111,011,011,00	\$885.05

### **Step 5:** Claim Detail for Member provides the following:

- Member Name
- Member Number
- Claim Number
- Claim Status
- Date of Service
- Date Received

- Rendering Provider
- Total Charges
- RA Date
- Total Paid
- Member Cost/Responsibility

The following headings are located under **Services and Charges**:

- Line (line number on claim)
- From Date
- Through Date
- CPT Codes and Modifiers
- Services
- Quantity
- Amount Billed

- Amount Approved
- Other Amount
- Amount Paid
- Status
- RA/Check Date
- Check Number

**Please Note**: For delegated claims you will not see a paid, in process or denied status. Claim status will be included with **Encounter Data**.



You can select **Back to Search Results** or **Print** the line details below the table.

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Claim D	Detail for	Member										
Member	r Name:						Men	ber Number	:			
Claim N	lumber:		09/12/2019		Clair	n Status:			PAID	)		
Date of	Service:		09/12/2019				Date	Received:				
Renderi	ing Provide	r:					Tota	l Charges:				
RA Date	e						Tota	l Paid:				
							Mem	ber Cost/Re	sponsibility	:	\$0.00	0
Service	es and Ch	narges										
Line F	rom Date	Through Date	CPT Codes and Modifiers	Services	Qty	Amount Billed	Amount Approved	Other Amount	Amount Paid	Status	RA/Check Date	Check Number
001			72070	X-RAY EXAM THORAC SPINE 2VWS	1.000					PAID		
002			72100	X-RAY EXAM L-S SPINE 2/3 VWS	1.000					PAID		
laim for										Γ	Back to Search	h Results   P
show/Hig	de Search									_		

#### Search by Claim Number

**Step 1:** To search for a member's claim status by claim number, please use your cursor to hover over **Member Info** in the navigation toolbar and select **Claim Status**.

Complete the appropriate fields.

Claim status can be searched by one of the following:

- Claim Number(s)
- Member ID (nine-digit format: 00000000)
- Member SSN (00000000)
- Member CIN # (0000000E)
- Date of Birth
- Check Number

Existing claims can also be searched by date of service. To locate a single claim, please include the **Begin Date** and **End Date**.

You can search for multiple entries by separating each claim with a comma (,) or press **Enter** after each number.



After you are done entering the information for any of the options above, please select **Search**.

Claim Number(s):	Member ID V	Begin Date: 7/16/2019 End Date:	Check Number:
	Date of Birth:	7/16/2020	
Search			

**Please Note:** The **Begin Date** and **End Date** search function can be used to look up claims with dates of service within one (1) year of the search date.

**Step 2:** The following headings are located under **Claim Status**:

- Claims Status
- Claim Number
- Member Name
- Member ID
- Start Date of Service

- End Date of Service
- Rendering Provider
- Total Billed
- Amount Paid

Claim Status											
<u>Claim Status</u>	Claim Number O	Member Name	<u>Member ID</u>	Start Date of Service	End Date of Service	Rendering Provider	<u>Total</u> Billed	Amount Paid			
PAID	1.718171.268	CHRIST DRUGE MORANE	8008/772/96	40.000	4611037133	Nav(5)(5)(2+a), 5()+(0+0+(12))(27)	\$193.00	\$72.93			
PAID	COMPLEX NO.	MIR JERMOR	000274/07	TAVILUAU	MANIEVAN	VALUETIE SAULSBEITY	\$103.00	\$30.74			

**Step 3:** Select a heading to filter results by section.

Clair	n Status							
Claim Status	Claim Number •	Member Name	Member ID	Start Date of Service	End Date of Service	Rendering Provider	Total Billed	Amount Paid
PAID	1000000-00	0140046 1979145	MC/1011038	71,000	79 (2000) (2010)	(%/#/#E86/?##C88#E ##C	\$111(85).M	\$885.05

**Step 4:** Select a member's claim number to expand results.

Clair	n Status							
Claim Status	Claim Numb	Member Name	Member ID	Start Date of Service	End Date of Service	Rendering Provider	Total Billed	Amount Paid
PAID		IDJACENE ISPRAIS	36,7135.138	71,000	7/29/2013	01/4/1636/714C/8HE HC	\$1113,010,36	\$885.05



#### **Step 5:** Claim Detail for Member provides the following:

- Member Name
- Member Number
- Claim Number
- Claim Status
- Date of Service
- Date Received

- Rendering Provider
- Total Charges
- RA Date
- Total Paid
- Member Cost/Responsibility

The following headings are located under Services and Charges:

- Line (line number on claim)
- From Date
- Through Date
- CPT Codes and Modifiers
- Services
- Quantity
- Amount Billed

- Amount Approved
- Other Amount
- Amount Paid
- Status
- RA/Check Date
- Check Number

**Please Note**: For delegated claims you will not see a paid, in process or denied status. Claim status will be included with **Encounter Data**.

You can select to go **Back to Search Results** or **Print** the line details below the table.

Mem	ber Name:						Member Number: Claim Status:				PAID	
Clair	n Number:											
Date of Service: 09/12/2019		Date Received:										
Rend	lering Provide	r:					Total	Charges:				
RAD	Date						Total	Paid:				
							Mem	ber Cost/Res	sponsibility		\$0.00	C
Serv	ices and Ch	arges										
<b>Serv</b> Line	ices and Ch From Date	Through Date	CPT Codes and Modifiers	Services	Qty	Amount Billed	Amount Approved	Other Amount	Amount Paid	Status	RA/Check Date	Check Number
<b>Erv</b> Line	ices and Cl From Date	Through Date	CPT Codes and Modifiers 72070	Services X-RAY EXAM THORAC SPINE 2VWS	<b>Qty</b> 1.000	Amount Billed	Amount Approved	Other Amount	Amount Paid	<b>Status</b> PAID	RA/Check Date	Check Number
<b>Serv</b> Line 001 002	ices and Ch From Date	Through Date	CPT Codes and Modifiers 72070 72100	Services X-RAY EXAM THORAC SPINE 2VWS X-RAY EXAM L-S SPINE 2/3 VWS	<b>Qty</b> 1.000 1.000	Amount Billed	Amount Approved	Other Amount	Amount Paid	Status PAID PAID	RA/Check Date	Check Number

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# **Electronic Remit Advice (eRA)/Explanation of Payment (EOP)**

Below is information on how to view the **Electronic Remit Advice (eRA)/Explanation of Payment (EOP)**. You can view eRAs within the **Claims Status** section of the provider portal.

- **Step 1:** To search for an eRA/EOP, please use your cursor to hover over **Member Info** in the navigation toolbar and select **Claim Status**.
- **Step 2:** Complete the appropriate fields.

eRAs/EOP can be searched by one of the following:

- Claim Number(s)
- Check Number

After you are done entering the information for any of the options above, please select **Search**.

Claim Number(s):	Member ID V Date of Birth:	Begin Date: 2/20/2019 End Date: 2/20/2020	Check Number:
Search			

**Please Note**: You can enter more than one claim number by separating them by a (,) or pressing **Enter** after each number.

**Step 3:** Select the member's claim number to view **Claim Detail for Member**.

Claiı	m Status	//						
Claim Status	Claim Numb	Member Name	Member ID	Start Date of Service	End Date of Service	Rendering Provider	Total Billed	Amount Paid
PAID	11.00000000000	IDJACENE ISPRAIS	96/7105208	79.5200330	71296201120	DVAHERCTHCRIFE HC	\$111,010,00	\$885.05



**Step 4:** Scroll down to the bottom of the page and select **View EOP**.

The Statement of Remittance for the week will appear.



To view another EOP by claim number, click go Back to Search Results.

Servi	ces and Ch	arges									
Line	From Date	Through Date	CPT Codes and Modifiers	Services Qty	Amount Billed	Amount Approved	Other Amount	Amount Paid	Status	RA/Check Date	Check Number
001	10/07/2019	10/07/2019	99214								990031652
Claim <u>Show/</u>	for Hide Search									Back to Searc	h Results Print

## **Pharmacy**

- **Step 1:** To view an Alliance member's prescription information, please use your cursor to hover over **Member Info** in the navigation toolbar and select **Pharmacy**.
- **Step 2:** Select a Provider TIN from the dropdown.





**Step 3:** Complete the appropriate fields.

Prescription information can be searched by one of the following:

- Prescription Number(s)
- Member ID (nine-digit format: 00000000)
- Member SSN (00000000)
- Member CIN # (0000000E)
- Date of Birth

Prescriptions can also be searched by date of fill. To locate prescriptions within a date range, please include the **Begin Date** and **End Date**.

After you are done entering the information for any of the options above, please select **Search**.

 Member ID 🗸	
	End Date:
Date of Birth:	
•	

**Please Note:** You can search for multiple prescription numbers by separating each prescription with a comma (,) or by pressing **Enter** after each number.

**Step 4:** The prescription(s) associated with the Alliance member will appear

The following headings are located under **Pharmacy**:

- Rx Number
- Member First Name
- Date Filled
- Days Supply
- Member Last Name
- Pharmacy

Prescriber Name

RX Number O	Member First Name	Member Last Name	Pharmacy WALMART PHARMACY 10-	Date Filled 9/7/2019	<u>Days Supply</u> 8	Prescriber Name NANCY
			≪ 1 Page 1 of 1 1 100			
						Download Results

To download results in an excel format, please select **Download Results**.



#### **Step 5:** Select the member's RX Number to expand results.



## **Step 6:** Member Details provides the following:

- RX Number
- Pharmacy Name
- Date Filled
- Prescriber Name

- Member Name
- Member ID
- Member DOB

Prescription Summary provides the following:

• Label Name

Prescribed Date

Quantity

Days Supply

Member Details			
RX Number	1586	Pharmacy Name	CAS PLANTANCA CONTRACT
Date Filled	/20111380	Prescriber Name	(marked) 2011, (marked)
Member Name	01.4044040367	Member ID	112112003279888
Member DOB	/11002		
Prescription Summ	nary		
Label Name	Quantity	Prescribed Date	Days Supply
	300	10021020000	118

You can select to go **Back to Search Results** or **Print** the line details below the table.

Quantity	Prescribed Date	Days Supply
30	09/07/2019	8
		Back to Search Results   Print View



# Authorizations

Below is information on how to navigate the pages under **Authorizations** in the navigation toolbar.

When your cursor hovers over **Authorizations** in the navigation toolbar, the following links will appear:

- Search Authorizations
- Submit New Authorization

# **Search Authorizations**

- **Step 1:** To search for an existing authorization, please use your cursor to hover over **Authorizations** in the navigation toolbar and select **Search Authorizations**.
- **Step 2:** Complete the appropriate fields.

Authorizations can be searched by one of the following:

- Authorization Number
- Member ID (nine-digit format: 00000000)
- CIN # (0000000E)
- SSN (00000000)

**Please Note:** No additional information is required if you enter an **authorization number**.

You may also select **Search for member** to look up a member by one of the following:

- SSN
- Alternate ID
- First name, Last name and Date of Birth (DOB)



After you are done, please select Find Member.

• SSN (00000000)		Close
No additional information is required if you e	Find a member by	
Authorization Number (optional)	SSN Alternate ID	
	First name, Last name, DOB	
	Enter SSN	
No additional information is required if you en		
	Find Member	
Member ID (optional) <u>Search for member</u>		

Enter the **Date of Service** or **Date of Request**, and select **Status** (any status, pending, approved, denied, or canceled).

After you are done entering the information for any of the options above, please select **Search**.

Member ID (optional) Search for member Date From Date 12/05/2019	To 03/05/2020	Status Any status Pending Approved Denied Cancelled
Search		

**Step 3:** The authorization associated with the Alliance member will appear.

The following headings will be displayed:

- Authorization Number
- Member ID

•

- Group (MC or GC)
- Member Name

- Start Date
- End Date

**Step 4:** Click on the authorization number from the list to view expanded details.

Search					
AUTH NUMBER	MEMBER ID	MEMBER	GROUP	START DATE	END DATE
OP123456	444444	Jane Doe	MC	12/26/2019	3/25/2020



#### View Authorization provides the following:

- Authorization #
- Status
- Requested Type
- Approved Type
- Requested Date of Service
- Requesting Provider
- Servicing Provider

- Member Name
- Member ID
- Date of Birth
- Diagnosis Code
- Description
- Diagnosis Date
- Diagnosis Status

View Au	thorizati	ion							🖶 Print
Authorization #	#OP00462								
Authorization #	OP00462	Status:	APPROVE	Requested Type:	OUTPATIENT	Approved Type:	OUTPATIENT	Requested Dates of Service:	12/20/2019
Requesting Provider:	Washington To	wnship Medical Fo	undation		Servicing Provider:				
Member Name:	Jane Doe	Member ID:	12345	Date of Birth:	01/01/1901				
Diagnosis Code:	C61	Description:	MALIGNAN	T NEOPLASM OF	PROSTATE	Diagnosis Date:		Diagnosis Status:	

#### **Service Details** provides the following:

- Service Line number
- Procedure Code
- Status
- Description
- Study Result
- Place of Service

- Charge Amount
- Requested Units
- Approved Units
- Date of Purchase
- Date of Study
- Approved Date From

Service Details			
Service 1			
Procedure Code:	J2185	Status:	APPROVE
Description:	INJECTION MEROPENEM 100 MG	Study result:	N/A
Place of Service:	Outpatient Hospital	Charge Amount:	N/A
Requested Units:	1	Approved Units:	N/A
Date of purchase:	N/A	Date of study:	N/A
Approved date from 12/26/2019 to 3/25/202	20		

The following data fields are displayed under **Requesting Provider** as submitted on the request:

- Provider: Provider Name
- Phone: Phone Number
- NPI: Referring Provider NPI
- ID: Provider ID we have assigned
- Address: Physical provider address



If you need to cancel an existing authorization or extend the service dates on an existing authorization, please select **Click here**.



## **Submit New Authorizations**

- **Step 1:** To submit a new authorization, please use your cursor to hover over Authorizations in the navigation toolbar and select **Submit New Authorization**.
- **Step 2:** Choose the appropriate request from the **Select A Form** dropdown menu:
  - Inpatient Elective Authorization
  - Outpatient Authorization
- **Step 3:** Complete the form. Fields with an asterisk (\*) are required.
- **Step 4:** Please attach supporting clinical documentation to avoid further delay of review or possible denial of services.

Attach Supporting Clinical Documentation



Step 5: When complete, please select Submit Request.

**Please Note**: If required information is missing, the form will not be submitted and you will be prompted to enter the missing fields.

Service Type*	
Select	-
🛕 Please enter a	service type
Place of Service*	
Select	•
🛕 Please enter a	place of service



### Modifying Authorizations

**Step 1:** To modify an existing authorization request, please select **Click here** at the top of the authorization page.



You will be redirected to an Authorization Change page.

Authorization Change	Attachments (o)
Authorization Cha	nge
Use this form if you need - Cancel an existing author - Extend the service dates	:o: rization on an authorization
lf you should have any qu	estions, please contact the Utilization Manageme
Member ID*	
099	
Member First Name*	

**Step 2:** Complete the form. Fields with an asterisk (\*) are required.

The following options are available:

- Change an authorization Enter information needing change.
- Cancel Select reason for cancellation.
- Extend Enter previous auth number and number of visits used.

Change Procedure Code	
99214	
Add Procedure Code(s)	Cancel an authorization
99218	Reason for cancellation
Change number of Units/Visits requested	:
1	Extension of Service Dates for unused Visits
Change in DX code	
M56.2	*If selected then all the following are required
Add a DX code(s)	Previous Authorization Number
M57.2	
Change in Rendering Provider	Number of visits used



**Step 3:** To include an attachment, please select the **Attachments** tab.



**Step 4:** Attach the file you would like to include.

When done, please select **Add** to upload the file.

File*	
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**Step 5:** After you have completed the form and attached the document (if applicable), please return to the **Authorization Change** tab.

To submit the form, please select **Submit**.

To save results for submission at a later time, please select **Save**.





# **Provider Resources**

Below is information about how to navigate the pages under **Provider Resources** in the navigation toolbar.

When your cursor hovers over **Provider Resources** in the navigation toolbar, the following links will appear:

- Provider Directory
- Provider Manual
- Provider Portal Instructions Guide

# **Provider Directory**

- **Step 1:** To search for a doctor or facility in the Alliance network, please use your cursor to hover over **Provider Resources** in the navigation toolbar and select **Provider Directory**.
- **Step 2:** To search for a PCP, specialist, facility, or hospital, please select the **Provider Search** tab.

To search for a pharmacy, please select the **Facility** tab.

Fields with an asterisk (\*) are required.

When done, please select Search.

Provider Facility		
Provider Search		
By Location	By Provider Detail	By Coverage and Care Requirements
<ul> <li>No preference</li> <li>Within Any range </li> <li>Only inside <ul> <li>of -</li> </ul> </li> <li>Zip Code</li> <li>Use current location</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Male</li> <li>Female</li> <li>Any Gender</li> <li>Only show providers who are accepting new members</li> </ul>	Medical Group/Network       Please Select           Alliance Plan*           Please Select           Type           Any Type           Specialty           Any Specialty
More Search Options		
Start Over		Search

**Please Note:** You can narrow down your search with additional information by selecting **More Search Options**.



**Step 3:** To request a printed copy of the Provider Directory or to report an error in the Provider Directory, please select the corresponding box located at the top of the page.



- **Step 4:** To view a copy of the Alliance Provider Directory, please select the Alliance health care program:
  - Medi-Cal
  - Alliance Group Care

To view a copy of the Alliance Provider Directory, please select the Alliance health care program: <u>Medi-Cal | Alliance Group Care</u>

**Step 5:** To view a list of healthcare services, information regarding language and interpreter services, access for people with disabilities, and definitions, please scroll past the provider directory search fields.

Alliance Partners (for Behavioral Health, Dental, Laboratory, Rehabilitation, and Vision Services)

Depending on the Alliance plan, some Alliance services are offered through other networks. Please view the services below to get more information or search for their providers or facilities. Please note that the search for these providers will take you to a website outside the Alliance portal.
≇Behavioral Health
∗Dental
*Laboratory
∗ Rehabilitation
*Vision
*Language & Interpreter Services
*Access for People with Disabilities
* Definitions



### **Step 6:** To view more information, please select the header to expand the content.

Behavioral Health	
Behavioral health care services are offered through our delegated provider, Beacon Health Options. Prior authorization (approval) is not required for routine outpa behavioral health care services.	atient
To find a behavioral health care provider in our network, or make an appointment, please contact: Beacon Health Options Toll-Free: 1855,856,0577 www.beaconhealthoptions.com Click on the "Locate a Provider" link. Enter "AAHP" as the Plan Name/Code. =Dental	
Alliance members may have access to dental care services. • The dental network for Alliance Medi-Cal members is <u>Denti-Cal</u> . • The dental network for Alliance Group Care members is managed by the <u>Alameda County Public Authority</u> .	

# **Provider Manual**

- **Step 1:** To view the most current Alliance Provider Manual, please use your cursor to hover over **Provider Resources** in the navigation toolbar and select **Provider Manual**.
- Step 2: Select Click here.

A new tab will open to display a PDF of the Alliance Provider Manual.

Resources	
<u>Click here</u> to view the provider manual.	

# **Provider Portal Instructions Guide**

To view and download the most current Alliance Provider Portal Instructions Guide, please visit any of the following locations:

- 1. Alliance Provider Portal
  - a. On the home page under the **Provider Portal Instruction Guide section**.
  - b. In the navigation toolbar, hover your cursor over **Provider Resources** and select **Provider Portal Instructions Guide**.
- 2. Alliance Website
  - a. In the navigation toolbar, select **Providers**. Use your cursor to hover over the Providers header and select **Provider Resources** from the dropdown menu. Click to expand the **Provider Portal** section, and select **click here**.



# **Care Plans**

Care Plans can now be viewed and downloaded from the Alliance Provider Portal.

## How will it work?

An Alliance Care Manager will call your office to alert you when a Care Plan has been uploaded into the portal.

## What if I have a questions about a Care Plan?

For any questions, please contact:

Alliance Case Management Department Monday – Friday, 8 am – 5 pm Phone Number: **1.510.747.4512** Toll-Free: **1.877.251.9612** 



# **Potential Quality Issue (PQI) Referral**

Below is the information about how to submit a **Potential Quality Issue (PQI) Referral**.

**Step 1:** From the Alliance Provider Portal homepage, please select the **Forms** icon on the right panel.



Step 2: Select External PQI Summary Form.



**Step 3:** Complete the form. Fields with an asterisk (\*) are required.

PQI (Potential Quality Issue) Referral	<u>Attachments (0)</u>
PQI (Potential Quality Issue)	Referral
Member Information:	
Member Name:*	
Date of Birth:*	
Member ID:*	
Date of Birth:"	

**Step 4:** To include an attachment, please select the **Attachments** tab.



**Step 5:** Attach the file you would like to include.

When done, please select **Add** to upload the file.

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**Step 6:** After you have completed the form and attached the document, please return to the **PQI Referral** tab.

To submit the form, please select **Submit**.

To save results for submission at a later time, please select **Save**.





# **Provider Appeal/Dispute**

Below is information on how to submit a **Provider Appeal/Dispute**.

**Step 1:** From the Alliance Provider Portal homepage, please select the **Forms** icon on the right panel.



Step 2: Select Claims Appeal Form.



**Step 3:** A new tab will open to display a PDF of the Alliance Provider Dispute Resolution Request form.

Please print and complete the form. Fields with an asterisk (\*) are required.

**Step 4:** Mail the completed form with attachments to the address below:

Notice of Provider Dispute Unit P.O. Box 2460 Alameda, CA 94501-4506

Thank you for being a part of the Alliance provider network! Together, we are creating a healthier community for all.

# We Are Here To Help

If you have any questions, please contact:

Alliance Provider Services Department Monday – Friday, 7:30 am – 5 pm Phone Number: **1.510.747.4510** Email: **providerservices@alamedaalliance.org**