



Medi-Cal Rx

Changes to GLP-1 Drug Coverage for Wegovy®

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What Pharmacy Providers and Prescribers Need to Know

Effective April 1, 2026, Wegovy® does not require an approved prior authorization (PA) when prescribed for the treatment of noncirrhotic metabolic dysfunction-associated steatohepatitis (MASH).

Claims must be submitted with the appropriate *International Classification of Diseases – 10th Revision, Clinical Modification* (ICD-10-CM) diagnosis code(s) (K76.0 and/or K75.8) to be eligible for coverage. Failure to include the appropriate ICD-10-CM diagnosis code(s) will result in the claim denying with **Reject Code 80 – Diagnosis Code Submitted Does Not Meet Drug Coverage Criteria**.

- » For treatment of other diagnoses, a PA request must be submitted to Medi-Cal Rx for coverage consideration. Wegovy is not covered for weight loss or weight-loss indications.

What Pharmacy Providers and Prescribers Need to Do

- Prescribers should provide the appropriate ICD-10-CM diagnosis code(s) with the prescription to ensure pharmacy providers have access to the information and document the ICD-10-CM diagnosis code(s) in the member's electronic health record for auditing purposes.
- Pharmacy providers should immediately begin including ICD-10-CM diagnosis code(s) on pharmacy claim submissions. Pharmacy providers may contact the prescriber if the ICD-10-CM diagnosis code(s) is not listed on the prescription.
- Refer to the following resources for additional information about Reject Code 80 and ICD-10-CM diagnosis code requirements:
 - [How to Address Reject Code 80 – Diagnosis Code Submitted Does Not Meet Drug Coverage Criteria](#)
 - *Reminder: Provide Medical Justification for GLP-1 Drugs*
 - [Reminder: Include ICD-10-CM Diagnosis Codes on Pharmacy Claims](#)
 - The *Code I Restrictions and Documentation Requirements* sections in the [Medi-Cal Rx Provider Manual](#)
 - [Medi-Cal Rx Diagnosis Crosswalk](#)
 - [Medi-Cal Rx Contract Drugs List](#) (CDL)

Contact Information

You can call the Medi-Cal Rx Customer Service Center (CSC) at 1-800-977-2273, which is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days per year.

For other questions, email Medi-Cal Rx Education & Outreach at MediCalRxEducationOutreach@primetherapeutics.com.