



Georgia Medicaid 2025 Transparency Act Prior Authorization Report

Monthly Outpatient Prior Authorizations by Status

| | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUNE | JULY | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC | YTD |
|-----------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-----|-----|---------|
| Approved | 12,243 | 10,579 | 17,051 | 21,594 | 17,815 | 14,690 | 31,264 | 25,910 | 19,726 | 20,991 | - | - | 191,863 |
| Denied | 2,573 | 2,845 | 6,350 | 6,613 | 4,951 | 3,282 | 3,265 | 3,699 | 3,707 | 5,346 | - | - | 42,631 |

Monthly Outpatient Prior Authorization Denial Reasons (Medical Benefit)

| | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUNE | JULY | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC | YTD |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----|-----|--------|
| Administrative Denial | 16 | 18 | 44 | 45 | 26 | 23 | 21 | 38 | 28 | 42 | - | - | 301 |
| Benefit Limit Exceeded | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | - | - | 10 |
| Exceeds Notification Limits | 75 | 135 | 158 | 111 | 101 | 69 | 180 | 138 | 359 | 1,253 | - | - | 2,579 |
| Medical Necessity Not Established | 1,720 | 1,772 | 3,592 | 4,783 | 3,630 | 2,520 | 2,129 | 2,260 | 2,051 | 2,211 | - | - | 26,668 |
| Non-Participating Provider | 725 | 861 | 2,501 | 1,596 | 1,137 | 620 | 872 | 1,172 | 1,199 | 1,786 | - | - | 12,469 |
| Not a Covered Benefit | 35 | 57 | 49 | 69 | 50 | 39 | 54 | 78 | 56 | 41 | - | - | 528 |
| Other | 2 | 2 | 6 | 8 | 7 | 11 | 9 | 4 | 14 | 13 | - | - | 76 |
| Total | 2,573 | 2,845 | 6,350 | 6,613 | 4,951 | 3,282 | 3,265 | 3,699 | 3,707 | 5,346 | - | - | 42,631 |

Percentage of Outpatient Prior Authorization Turnaround Times

| | JAN | FEB | MAR | APR | MAY | JUNE | JULY | AUG | SEPT | OCT | NOV | DEC | YTD |
|------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-----|-----|-------|
| Expedited | 97.7% | 98.4% | 98.0% | 98.6% | 99.0% | 98.1% | 98.2% | 98.6% | 98.3% | 98.8% | - | - | 98.4% |
| Standard | 94.6% | 97.1% | 97.9% | 99.0% | 99.3% | 99.6% | 99.1% | 99.5% | 99.4% | 98.7% | - | - | 98.4% |