



## Network Notification

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**Date:** October 17, 2011

**Number:** OH-P-2011-45

**To:** Ohio Providers

**From:** CareSource

**Subject:** Providers Who Administer Synagis® (palivizumab)

**Effective:** November 1, 2011 to March 31, 2012

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Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) season is November 1 through March 31. Providers must obtain a prior authorization (PA) to administer Synagis to prevent RSV.

### **Who Needs to Submit PA for Synagis?**

All providers who are administering Synagis in:

- The provider's office
- Home setting
- Outpatient clinical setting

### **How to Submit PA for Synagis?**

- **Online:** For faster processing of PA, submit on our secure [Provider Portal](#)
- **Fax:** Complete the [Synagis PA form](#) and fax it to 1-888-399-0271
- **Phone:** 1-800-488-0134
- **Mail:** CareSource, Attn: Speciality Pharmacy, P.O. Box 1307, Dayton OH, 45401

Please include clinical documentation with prior authorization requests for Synagis.

### **Questions?**

Please call Provider Services and listen for the prompts for Pharmacy.