



# **Network Notification**

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To: Office Manager/Participating Health Care Provider

From: Humana – CareSource™

Subject: Synagis<sup>®</sup> Prior Authorization Submission

**Effective Date: immediately** 

Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) season is November 1, 2013, through March 31, 2014. Providers must obtain a prior authorization to administer Synagis to prevent RSV.

### Who needs to submit prior authorization for Synagis?

All providers who administer Synagis in the following settings:

- Provider's office
- Home setting
- Outpatient clinical setting

## How should I bill for Synagis?

- Submit as a medical benefit when a J code is used to bill the claims on a CMS-1500 form.
- Submit as a pharmacy benefit when using online claims adjudication with the National Drug Code (NDC) number.

## How should I submit a prior authorization form for Synagis?

- Online: For faster processing of prior authorization, submit using our secure
  <u>Provider Portal</u>
- Fax: Complete the Synagis prior authorization form and fax it to 1-888-399-0271
- Phone: Call Provider Services at 1-855-852-7005
- Mail: CareSource, Attn: Specialty Pharmacy, P.O. Box 1307, Dayton, OH 45401-1307

#### **Important Notice**

Please include clinical documentation with prior authorization requests for Synagis.

#### **Questions?**

Please call our Provider Services Department at 1-855-852-7005 and follow the prompts to reach a pharmacy representative.