

# Provider Bulletin

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## Update: Custodial Bedhold Authorization Process

This is an advisory notification to Molina Healthcare of California (MHC) network providers applicable to the Medi-Cal line of business.

### What you need to know:

For members with approved authorization for a custodial stay, bedhold days may be submitted directly through the claims process. **Separate authorization for bedhold days is no longer necessary.**

### When this is happening:

Effective immediately, prior authorization will no longer be required for custodial bedhold requests.

## Provider Action

Please ensure your billing teams are aware of this change and adjust processes accordingly.



## What if you need assistance?

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