



Request for Redetermination of Medicare Prescription Drug Denial

Because we, EmblemHealth, denied your request for coverage of (or payment for) a prescription drug. You have the right to ask us for a redetermination (appeal) of our decision.

- You may ask for an appeal within 65 days from the date of our Notice of Denial of Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage.
- You may also ask us for an appeal through our website at <https://www.emblemhealth.com/resources/medicare/grievances-appeals>.
- Expedited appeal requests can be made by phone at 888-447-8175 (TTY: 711), 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

This form may be sent to us by mail or fax:

Address:	Fax Number:
PO Box 2807	Standard Appeals: 866-854-2763
New York, NY 10116-2807	Expedited Appeals: 866-350-2168

Who May Make a Request: Your prescriber may ask us for an appeal on your behalf. If you want another individual (such as a family member or friend) to request an appeal for you, that individual must be your representative. Contact us to learn how to name a representative.

Enrollee Information		
Enrollee Name:		Date of Birth:
Enrollee Address:		
City:	State:	ZIP Code:
Phone:	Enrollee's Member ID Number:	
Complete the following section ONLY if the person making this request is not the enrollee:		
Requestor Name:		
Requestor Relationship to Enrollee:		
Address:		
City:	State:	ZIP Code:
Phone:		
Representation documentation for appeal requests made by someone other than the enrollee or the enrollee's prescriber: Attach documentation showing the authority to represent the enrollee (a completed Authorization of Representation Form CMS-1696 or a written equivalent) if it was not submitted at the coverage determination level. For more information on appointing a representative, contact your plan or 1-800-MEDICARE .		

Prescription drug you are requesting:		
Name of drug:		
Strength/quantity/dose:		
Have you purchased the drug pending appeal? ☐ Yes ☐ No If "Yes":		
Date purchased:		
Amount paid: \$ (attach copy of receipt)		
Name and telephone number of pharmacy:		
Prescriber Information:		
Name:		
Address:		
City:	State:	ZIP Code:
Office Phone:	Fax:	
Office Contact Person:		

Do you need an expedited (fast) decision?

☐ **CHECK THIS BOX IF YOU BELIEVE YOU NEED A DECISION WITHIN 72 HOURS. If you have a supporting statement from your prescriber, attach it to this request.**

- If you or your prescriber believe that waiting 7 days for a standard decision could seriously harm your life, health, or ability to regain maximum function, you can ask for an expedited (fast) decision.
- If your prescriber indicates that waiting 7 days could seriously harm your health, we'll automatically give you a decision within 72 hours. You can't ask for an expedited appeal if you're asking us to pay you back for a drug you already got.
- If you don't get your prescriber's support for an expedited appeal, we'll decide if your case requires a fast decision.

Please explain why you think this drug should be covered.

- Attach any additional information you think may help your case, like statement from your prescriber or medical records.
- Include a copy of the Notice of Denial of Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage
- Your prescriber will need to explain why you can't meet our plan's coverage rules and/or why the drugs required by the plan aren't medically appropriate for you.

Signature of person requesting the appeal (the enrollee or the representative):	Date:
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Notice of Availability of Language Assistance Services and Auxiliary Aids and Services

English ATTENTION: If you speak another language, free language assistance services are available to you. Appropriate auxiliary aids and services to provide information in accessible formats are also available free of charge. Call **833-998-5351** (TTY: **711**) or speak to your provider.

Español (Spanish) ATENCIÓN: Si habla español, tiene a su disposición servicios gratuitos de asistencia lingüística. También están disponibles de forma gratuita ayuda y servicios auxiliares apropiados para proporcionar información en formatos accesibles. Llame al **833-998-5351** (TTY: **711**) o hable con su proveedor.

中文 (Simplified Chinese) 注意: 如果您说[中文], 我们将免费为您提供语言协助服务。我们还免费提供适当的辅助工具和服务, 以无障碍格式提供信息。致电 **833-998-5351** (文本电话: **711**) 或咨询您的服务提供商。

РУССКИЙ (Russian) ВНИМАНИЕ: Если вы говорите на русском, вам доступны бесплатные услуги языковой поддержки. Соответствующие вспомогательные средства и услуги по предоставлению информации в доступных форматах также предоставляются бесплатно. Позвоните по телефону **833-998-5351** (TTY: **711**) или обратитесь к своему поставщику услуг.

Kreyòl Ayisyen (Haitian Creole) ATANSYON: Si w pale Kreyòl Ayisyen, gen sèvis èd aladispozisyon w gratis pou lang ou pale a. Èd ak sèvis siplemantè apwopriye pou bay enfòmasyon nan fòm aksesib yo disponib gratis tou. Rele nan **833-998-5351** (TTY: **711**) oswa pale avèk founisè w la.

한국어 (Korean) 주의: [한국어]를 사용하시는 경우 무료 언어 지원 서비스를 이용하실 수 있습니다. 이용 가능한 형식으로 정보를 제공하는 적절한 보조 기구 및 서비스도 무료로 제공됩니다. **833-998-5351** (TTY: **711**) 번으로 전화하거나 서비스 제공업체에 문의하십시오.

Italiano (Italian) ATTENZIONE: se parli Italiano, sono disponibili servizi di assistenza linguistica gratuiti. Sono inoltre disponibili gratuitamente ausili e servizi ausiliari adeguati per fornire informazioni in formati accessibili. Chiama l' **833-998-5351** (tty: **711**) o parla con il tuo fornitore.

יידיש (Yiddish) נאטיץ: אויב איר רעדט יידיש, שפראך הילף סערוויסעס זענען בארעכטיגט פאר דיר פריי. צונעמען אידס און בדינונגס פראווידינג ינפֿרמאַציע אין צוטריטלעך פֿאַרמאַטירונגען זענען אויך בנימצא פריי. רופן **833-998-5351** (TTY: **711**) דער רעדן מיט דיין טרעגער.

বাংলা (Bengali) মনোযোগ দিন: যদি আপনি বাংলা বলেন তাহলে আপনার জন্য বিনামূল্যে ভাষা সহায়তা পরিষেবাদি উপলব্ধ রয়েছে। অ্যাক্সেসযোগ্য ফরম্যাটে তথ্য প্রদানের জন্য উপযুক্ত সহায়ক সহযোগিতা এবং পরিষেবাদিও বিনামূল্যে উপলব্ধ রয়েছে। **833-998-5351** (TTY: **711**) নম্বরে কল করুন অথবা আপনার প্রদানকারীর সাথে কথা বলুন।

POLSKI (Polish) UWAGA: Osoby mówiące po polsku mogą skorzystać z bezpłatnej pomocy językowej. Dodatkowe pomoce i usługi zapewniające informacje w dostępnych formatach są również dostępne bezpłatnie. Zadzwoń pod numer **833-998-5351** (TTY: **711**) lub porozmawiaj ze swoim dostawcą.

العربية (Arabic)

تنبيه: إذا كنت تتحدث اللغة العربية، فستتوفر لك خدمات المساعدة اللغوية المجانية. كما تتوفر وسائل مساعدة وخدمات مناسبة لتوفير المعلومات بتنسيقات يمكن الوصول إليها مجانًا. اتصل على الرقم **833-998-5351** (**711**) أو تحدث إلى مقدم الخدمة.

Français (French) ATTENTION : Si vous parlez Français, des services d'assistance linguistique gratuits sont à votre disposition. Des aides et services auxiliaires appropriés pour fournir des informations dans des formats accessibles sont également disponibles gratuitement. Appelez le **833-998-5351** (TTY: **711**) ou parlez à votre fournisseur.

اردو (Urdu)

توجہ دیں: اگر آپ اردو بولتے ہیں، تو آپ کے لیے زبان کی مفت مدد کی خدمات دستیاب ہیں۔ قابل رسائی فارمیٹس میں معلومات فراہم کرنے کے لیے مناسب معاون امداد اور خدمات بھی مفت دستیاب ہیں۔ (**711**) **833-998-5351** پر کال کریں یا اپنے فراہم کنندہ سے بات کریں۔

Tagalog (Tagalog) PAALALA: Kung nagsasalita ka ng Tagalog, magagamit mo ang mga libreng serbisyong tulong sa wika. Magagamit din nang libre ang mga naaangkop na auxiliary na tulong at serbisyo upang magbigay ng impormasyon sa mga naa-access na format. Tumawag sa **833-998-5351** (TTY: **711**) o makipag-usap sa iyong provider.

Ελληνικά (Greek) ΠΡΟΣΟΧΗ: Εάν μιλάτε ελληνικά, υπάρχουν διαθέσιμες δωρεάν υπηρεσίες υποστήριξης στη συγκεκριμένη γλώσσα. Διατίθενται δωρεάν κατάλληλα βοηθήματα και υπηρεσίες για παρήχηση πληροφοριών σε προσβάσιμες μορφές. Καλέστε τ **833-998-5351** (TTY: **711**) ή απευθυνθείτε στον πάροχό σας.

SHQIP (Albanian) VINI RE: Nëse flisni shqip, shërbime falas të ndihmës së gjuhës janë në dispozicion për ju. Ndihma të përshtatshme dhe shërbime shtesë për të siguruar informacion në formate të përdorshme janë gjithashtu në dispozicion falas. Telefononi **833-998-5351** (TTY: **711**) ose bisedoni me ofruesin tuaj të shërbimit.

NOTICE OF NONDISCRIMINATION POLICY

Discrimination is Against the Law

EmblemHealth complies with Federal civil rights laws and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex, including sex characteristics, including intersex traits; pregnancy or related conditions; sexual orientation; gender identity, and sex stereotypes. EmblemHealth does not exclude people or treat them less favorably because of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex.

EmblemHealth:

- Provides people with disabilities reasonable modifications and free appropriate auxiliary aids and services to communicate effectively with us, such as:
 - Qualified sign language interpreters.
 - Written information in other formats (large print, audio, accessible electronic formats, and other formats).
- Provides free language assistance services to people whose primary language is not English, which may include:
 - Qualified interpreters.
 - Information written in other languages.

If you need reasonable modifications, appropriate auxiliary aids and services, or language assistance services contact the Civil Rights Coordinator by calling Medicare Connect Concierge at **877-344-7364** (TTY: **711**; Oct. 1 through March 31: 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., seven days a week; April 1 through Sept. 30: 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., Monday through Saturday).

If you believe that EmblemHealth has failed to provide these services or discriminated in another way based on race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex, you can file a grievance with the Civil Rights Coordinator by writing to the EmblemHealth Grievance and Appeals Department, P.O. Box 2807, New York, NY 10116-2807; faxing them at **866-854-2763**; or calling Medicare Connect Concierge at **877-344-7364**. (Dial **711** for TTY services.) You can file a grievance in person, by mail, by fax, or through your secure member portal. If you need help filing a grievance, EmblemHealth's Grievance and Appeals Department is available to help you. You can also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights electronically through the Office for Civil Rights Complaint Portal, available at ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf or by mail or phone at: **U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, 200 Independence Avenue SW, Room 509F, HHH Building, Washington, DC 20201; 800-368-1019** (TTY: **800-537-7697**).

Complaint forms are available at hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html.

This notice is available on EmblemHealth's website at emblemhealth.com/legal/nondiscrimination.