## NOTICE OF PRIOR APPROVAL LIST CHANGES

Date: February 1, 2025



The chart(s) below provide a high-level overview of changes related to the Prior Approval List. We encourage you to review the Prior Approval List in its entirety. The current Prior Approval List is posted at <a href="https://www.bluecrossvt.org/providers/prior-approval-authorization">https://www.bluecrossvt.org/providers/prior-approval-authorization</a>.

## **60-Day Advanced Notice Prior Approval List Changes**

NOTE: Refer to Medical Policy Notification Changes for other changes impacting the Prior Approval List.

<b>Effective Date:</b>	N/A	
Summary:	•	Changed section for codes G0564, G0565 from being listed incorrectly in the cosmetic section to being added to the correct surgery section of the prior approval list. This is not a change in Prior Approval requirement for the listed codes.  Added color coding to the Prior Approval List footer to denote changes by date.

<b>Effective Date:</b>	April 01, 2025		
Summary:	<b>NOTE:</b> The changes go into effect on or after dates of service April 01, 2025.		
	The Prior Approval List has been updated to remove the following codes. These services as of April 01, 2025 will be eligible when medically necessary.		
	21244, 21245, 21246, 21247, 21248, 21249, 38242, 47370, 47380, 47382, 64910, 64911, 64912, 64913, 77424, 77425, 77469, 77520, 77522, 77523, 77525, 78195, 78800, 78801, 78802, 78804, 81200, 81205, 81209, 81242, 81250, 81251, 81254, 81255, 81257, 81260, 81290, 81330, 81400, 82397, 83698, 90875, 90901, 90912, 90913, 92517, 92518, 92519, 95921, 95922, 95923, 95924, 0394T, 0395T, S8080.		
Link to Policy/ Document:	https://www.bluecrossvt.org/documents/prior-approval-list-feb-march-april- 2025		

## **Notice of Right to Object in Writing**

In accordance with 18 V.S.A. § 9418c contracted providers have the right to object to new or modified policies and manuals.

Providers who object must do so within 60 days of the date the notice related to a policy or manual change. The rationale for the objection to the change must be in writing including related area(s) of the policy or manual and rationale or reasoning for the objection.

These objections are to be directed to Provider Contracting. This can be done by email at: <a href="mailto:providercontracting@bcbsvt.com">providercontracting@bcbsvt.com</a> or

US Postal Service Blue Cross VT

Attn: Provider Contracting, PO Box 186

Montpelier, VT 05601.

Within 5 business days of receipt, the sender will receive confirmation of receipt of the objection.