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## Prior authorization requirements for Sublocade

Effective February 1, 2019, prior authorization (PA) requirements will change for the infusible/injectable drug Sublocade to be covered by UniCare Health Plan of West Virginia, Inc. Federal and state law, as well as state contract language and Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services guidelines, including definitions and specific contract provisions/exclusions, take precedence over these PA rules and must be considered first when determining coverage. **Noncompliance with new requirements may result in denied claims.** 

## PA requirements will be added to the following:

- Sublocade implant (J0570)
- Sublocade injectable (Q9991, Q9992)

## To request PA, you may use one of the following methods:

Fax: 1-855-402-6983Phone: 1-866-655-7423

Not all PA requirements are listed here. Detailed PA requirements are available to contracted and noncontracted providers on our provider website (**www.unicare.com** > Providers > State Sponsored Plan providers > West Virginia - Medicaid Managed Care > Authorization and Preservice Review > Precertification Look UP Tool PLUTO). Providers may also call us at **1-800-782-0095** for PA requirements.