

Provider Claim Dispute & Provider-initiated Appeal Form

Before completing this form for the Grievances and Appeal Unit (GAU), please consult the [Claim Form Finder](#) on NHPRI.org

Do not use this form for claim denials requiring Corrected Claims, Adjustments, or Reconsiderations

With your request, please include:

- ☐ This completed form and/or a letter on office letterhead with a clear outline of what you are asking GAU to review
- ☐ Copy of the claim you are asking GAU to review and/or clear indication of the claim ID#/denied line #
- ☐ Supporting documentation

Member Name		Member ID	
Date/s of Service		Claim Number/ID	

Provider Name		Provider NPI	
Provider Address			
Contact Name		Phone #	Fax #

Description of your request (If you have questions, please call Provider Services at 800-963-1001):

DO NOT use this form for the following (use the Claim Form Finder for next steps)				
<input type="checkbox"/> Corrected Claim Void	<input type="checkbox"/> Adjustment Request	<input type="checkbox"/> COB denials	<input type="checkbox"/> Duplicate Claim Denials	<input type="checkbox"/> Rejected Claims
<input type="checkbox"/> Corrected Claim Replacement	<input type="checkbox"/> Reconsideration Request	<input type="checkbox"/> Claim Edit Denials	<input type="checkbox"/> Incorrect Payment as per contract	<input type="checkbox"/> Over or underpaid claims
DO use this form for the following Provider Claim Disputes:				
<input type="checkbox"/> Claims Department Reconsideration Request was denied, claim dispute via GAU is next step <input type="checkbox"/> Provider disagreement with the Claims Department's decision following processing of an Adjustment Request for a Timely Filing Denial <input type="checkbox"/> Claim denied for No Authorization because the provider's office did not follow the retro-authorization requirements outlined in the Provider Manual				
DO use this form for Provider-initiated Appeal, for reasons such as (this is not an all-inclusive list):				
<input type="checkbox"/> Denial received from Neighborhood's Utilization Management (UM) or Pharmacy department <input type="checkbox"/> Benefit appeal on behalf of a member when the provider is asking for coverage of a non-covered medication or service due to medical necessity <input type="checkbox"/> When a provider believes they received incomplete/inaccurate information from the Neighborhood call center or our delegated entities <u>before</u> rendering a service resulting in a claim denial <input type="checkbox"/> When a claim denies due to preauthorization previously denied by Neighborhood's Utilization Management department				
<u>Details of what you would like GAU to review:</u>	Provider Claim Dispute	Provider-initiated Appeal		

Fax or Mail completed form and attachments to:

Neighborhood Health Plan of Rhode Island
Attn: Grievances and Appeals Unit (GAU)
910 Douglas Pike
Smithfield, RI 02917

Fax: 401-709-7005 or **Email:** GAUMailbox@nhpri.org