

## Electronic Prior Authorization for the Pharmacy Benefit

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Electronic Prior Authorization (ePA) is a fully electronic solution that eliminates the need for hand-written, faxed prior authorizations (PA). With ePA, patient access to therapy is accelerated as PA, step therapy, and quantity limit exceptions are processed with near real-time decision making.

Accessing ePA is simple and can be done through a web-based portal, such as <u>Covermymeds</u>, or it can be integrated directly into your electronic health record platform.

ePA streamlines the PA process, reducing administrative burden by minimizing back-and-forth communication between provider offices and Neighborhood Health Plan of Rhode Island. With ePA, providers can swiftly answer a drug-specific PA question set and, if necessary, attach relevant documents, lab results, and/or provider notes.

Visit the <u>Covermymeds webpage</u> to get started with ePA and experience the convenience of streamlined prior authorizations.