

Minnesota Annual UR Report (Medical)
2023 Calendar Year
Aetna Life Insurance Company

Approvals:

Number of prior authorization requests for which authorization was issued in 2023	32
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ADVERSE DETERMINATIONS

Number of prior authorization requests for which an adverse determination was issued in 2023	16			
		Total Appealed	Reversed on Appeal	Upheld on Appeal
Health care service:				
Room & Board Ward-General Classification	1			
VERTEBRAL CORPECTOMY ANTERIOR DECOMPRESSION CERVICAL, 1 SEGMENT	1			
VERTEBRAL CORPECTOMY DECOMPRESSIONN CERVICAL, EACH SEGMENT	1			
ARTHRODESIS, ANTERIOR MIN DISCECTOMY INTERBODY CERVICAL, BELOW C2	1			
ARTHRODESIS ANTERIOR INTERBODY, EACH ADDITIONAL INTERSPACE	1			
INSERTION BIOMECHANICAL DEVICE VERTEBRAL CORPECTOMY DEFECT W/ARTHRODESIS	1			
ANTERIOR INSTRUMENTATION 2-3 VERTEBRAL SEGMENTS	1			
ARTHRODESIS POSTERIOR TECHNIQUE 1 INTERSPACE, LUMBAR	1			
POSTERIOR NON-SEGMENTAL INSTRUMENTATION	1			
ARTHRODESIS POSTERIOR TECHNIQUE 1 INTERSPACE, CERVICAL	1			
LAMINECTOMY, FACETECTOMY & FORAMOTOMY 1 SEGMENT, LUMBAR	1			
LAMINECTOMY, FACETECTOMY & FORAMOTOMY, EACH ADDITIONAL	1			
ARTHRODESIS SACROILIAC JOINT PERCUTANEOUS	1			
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COMPUTER-ASSISTED MUSCULOSKELETAL NAVIGATIONAL ORTHOPEDIC CT/MRI	1			
HYSTEROSCOPY, BIOPSY ENDOMETRIUM & POLYPECTOMY W/WO D&C	1	1	1	

PRIOR AUTHORIZATION DENIAL REASONS

Patient did not meet prior authorization criteria	15
Inpatient Denial due to Procedure Denial (Clinical)	1
Not a Covered Service	0
Incomplete information submitted by the provider to the URO	0
Change in treatment program	0
The patient is no longer covered by the plan	0