



BIGSTONE HEALTH COMMISSION
Bigstone Health Benefits Medical Supplies and Equipment
Respiratory Prior Approval Form

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PROTECTED WHEN COMPLETED

Section 1: Client Information

Client Name:		Date of Birth:
Client Address:		
Telephone #:	PHN #:	Client ID #:

Section 2: Prescriber Information

Prescriber Name:	License #:
Telephone #:	Fax #:

Section 3: Client Health Information (MUST BE COMPLETED)

Diagnosis:	Reason for request:
Explanation of benefit requirement and specific details of item to be provided:	
Is the benefit requested due to the result of an injury: YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/> If yes, please complete the following:	
Where did the injury occur: Home: <input type="checkbox"/> Work: <input type="checkbox"/> MVA: <input type="checkbox"/> Other: <input type="checkbox"/> When did the injury occur?	
Are any of these expenses covered under any other public or private health care plan: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	

Section 4: Equipment or Supplies requested

Description of benefit	Benefit Code	Qty	Cost Per Unit

Section 5: Provider Information

Provider Name:	Provider Number:
Telephone #:	Fax #:
I hereby certify that the information is true and complete:	Date:
Provider Signature:	

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Submit with the following:

- Signed prescription that includes pressures for breathing apparatus
- Level I, level III or IV (oximetry) baseline and treatment sleep studies with summary tracings and physician impression
- Evidence of baseline hypercapnia (e.g, ABG, capillary blood gas or transcutaneous CO2 reading), and nocturnal hypoventilation (oximetry accepted); and evidence of improvement with therapy (BPAP-ST only)
- Additional information such as:
 - Height: _____ centimeters
 - Weight: _____ kilograms
 - Sleepiness scale (ESS): _____
 - Risk factors _____