

## **Provider Service Authorization Dispute Request**

This form should be used to dispute a service authorization denial or a reduction, suspension or termination of a previously authorized service. This form is NOT to be used for claim/billing issues or disputes.

For claim/billing issues or disputes, please complete the claims dispute form found on www.caloptima.org

\*Please note: Timely filing for a service authorization dispute is 60 days from the date of the authorization denial or 365 days from claim notification for Medi-Cal and 120 days for Medicare.

PROVIDER INFORMATION				
PROVIDER NAME	NATIONAL PROVIDER IDENTIFIER (NPI)			
STREET ADDRESS				
CITY		STATE	ZIP	
CONTACT PERSON FOR DISPUTE FOLLOW-UP	PHONE		-	
MEMBER INFORMATION (A separate form must be completed for each member)				
MEMBER NAME				
DATE OF BIRTH	MEMBER ID (CIN)			
AUTHORIZATION NUMBER	SERVICE DATE FROM: TO:			
REASON FOR DISPUTE (A detailed explanation must be provided)				
INCORRECT CRITERIA/MEDICAL POLICY UTILIZED				
GOOD CAUSE FOR FAILURE TO OBTAIN AUTHORIZATION (PLEASE SPECIFY)				
□ INCORRECT INFORMATION PROVIDED BY THE MANAGED CARE ORGANIZATION (MCO)				
□ OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)				

TO SUBMIT BY MAIL: CalOptima Health Provider Clinical Disputes/GARS 505 City Parkway West Orange, CA 92868	TO SUBMIT BY FAX: <b>714-954-2321</b>
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Reminder: Attach additional supporting information for your dispute. If clinical information is not submitted with the dispute form, your request will not be accepted. The processing time for provider service dispute resolution requests is 30 calendar days from receipt of the request.