

## 2020-2021 Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) Season and Synagis® Criteria

Dear Providers,

Enclosed please find the Coordinated Care of Washington, Inc. Synagis® Authorization Guidelines for the 2020-2021 RSV season. These guidelines were developed based on recommendations of the American Academy of Pediatrics and recently reviewed under the guidance and consultation with key opinion leaders.

Coordinated Care will use Envolve Pharmacy Solutions, our Pharmacy Benefit Manager (PBM) to process requests for Synagis®. Please visit our website at <https://www.coordinatedcarehealth.com/providers/pharmacy/rsv-synagis-season.html> to obtain the prior authorization form and fax to Envolve Pharmacy Solutions at fax 1-866-399-0929. When submitting the request, please include the NICU discharge summary to expedite the review process.

For buy and bill, please submit requests to Coordinated Care's Prior Authorization Department. Please visit our website at <https://www.coordinatedcarehealth.com/providers/pharmacy/rsv-synagis-season.html> to obtain the buy and bill form.

Synagis® is available through a limited distribution network as established by the manufacturer. Coordinated Care will use our preferred specialty pharmacy, AcariaHealth, for the 2020-2021 RSV season.

The specialty pharmacy will be responsible for the delivery of the injectable product and the overall coordination of the drug distribution process. All injectable products will be billed directly to Coordinated Care by the specialty pharmacy provider and shipped to your office. Administration charges for the injection should be billed directly to Coordinated Care on a (HCFA) CMS 1500 claim form using CPT code 96372 (Administration) and CPT code 90378 (Medicine). You can also bill for an appropriate office visit for each administration of the drug.

Billing and payment for pre-approved Synagis® administration, outside of the specialty pharmacy provider, requires submission of a claim form using the designated CPT 90378 for Synagis®, with a required NDC and entry of billing units incremental to each 50 mg dose administered (i.e. 100mg = 2 billing units).

For questions, contact the Coordinated Care Pharmacy Department at 1-877-644-4613 Ext. 69622.

Thank you for your cooperation,

Coordinated Care