

Request for Redetermination of Medicare Prescription Drug Denial

Kaiser Foundation Health Plan denied your request for coverage of (or payment for) a prescription drug. You have the right to ask us for a redetermination (appeal) of our decision. **Use this form to appeal this decision.**

- You may ask for an appeal within 65 days of the date of our Notice of Denial of Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage.
- You can also file an appeal through our website at **kp.org/seniorrx**.
- Expedited appeal requests can be made by phone at **1-877-221-8221**.

Your prescriber can ask us for an appeal on your behalf. If you want another person (like a family member or friend) to file an appeal for you, that person must be your representative. Call us at **1-877-221-8221** to learn how to name a representative.

Plan enrollee information

Enrollee name: _____
Member ID Number: _____ Date of birth (MM/DD/YYYY): _____
Mailing address: _____
City, State, ZIP code: _____
Phone: _____

Prescription & prescriber information

Name of drug you asked for: _____
Strength/quantity/dose: _____
Prescriber name: _____
Office address: _____
City, State, ZIP code: _____
Office phone: _____ Office fax: _____
Office contact person: _____

Did you already purchase this drug? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If YES:

Date purchased: _____ Amount paid: _____ (attach copy of receipt)
Pharmacy name: _____
Pharmacy phone number: _____

Do you need an expedited (fast) decision?

☐ **Check this box if you believe you need a decision within 72 hours.** If you have a supporting statement from your prescriber, attach it to this request.

- If you or your prescriber believe that waiting 7 days for a standard decision could seriously harm your life, health, or ability to regain maximum function, you can ask for an expedited (fast) decision.
- If your prescriber indicates that waiting 7 days could seriously harm your health, we'll automatically give you a decision within 72 hours. You can't ask for an expedited appeal if you're asking us to pay you back for a drug you already got.
- If you don't get your prescriber's support for an expedited appeal, we'll decide if your case requires a fast decision.

Explain why you think this drug should be covered

- Attach any additional information you think may help your case, like statement from your prescriber or medical records.
- Include a copy of the Notice of Denial of Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage
- Your prescriber will need to explain why you can't meet our plan's coverage rules and/or why the drugs required by the plan aren't medically appropriate for you.
- Other information we should consider: _____

Representative information

Complete this section **ONLY** if the person making this request is not the enrollee or the enrollee's prescriber. You must attach documentation showing your authority to represent the enrollee (like a completed Form CMS-1696 or a written equivalent) if it wasn't submitted at the coverage determination level. For more information on appointing a representative, Call us at **1-877-221-8221**.

Representative name: _____

Relationship to enrollee: _____

Street address: _____

City, State, ZIP code: _____

Phone: _____

Sign & submit this form

Signature of person requesting the appeal (the enrollee, prescriber or representative):

Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Fax or mail your completed form and any supporting information to:

Address:
Kaiser Permanente
Member Relations
500 NE Multnomah St., Suite 100
Portland OR 97232-2099

Fax Number:
1-855-347-7239

Nondiscrimination notice

Kaiser Foundation Health Plan of the Northwest (Kaiser Health Plan) complies with applicable federal and state civil rights laws and does not discriminate, exclude people or treat them differently on the basis of race, color, national origin (including limited English proficiency), age, disability, or sex (including sex characteristics, intersex traits; pregnancy or related conditions; sexual orientation; gender identity, and sex stereotypes).

Kaiser Health Plan:

- Provides people with disabilities reasonable modifications and free appropriate auxiliary aids and services to communicate effectively with us, such as:
 - Qualified sign language interpreters
 - Written information in other formats, such as large print, audio, braille, and accessible electronic formats
- Provides no cost language services to people whose primary language is not English, such as:
 - Qualified interpreters
 - Information written in other languages

If you need these services, call Member Services at **1-800-813-2000** (TTY: **711**).

If you believe that Kaiser Health Plan has failed to provide these services or discriminated in another way on the basis of race, color, national origin, age, disability, sex, gender identity, or sexual orientation, you can file a grievance with our Civil Rights Coordinator, by mail, phone, or fax. If you need help filing a grievance, our Civil Rights Coordinator is available to help you. You may contact our Civil Rights Coordinator at:

Member Relations Department
Attention: Kaiser Civil Rights Coordinator
500 NE Multnomah St., Suite 100
Portland, OR 97232-2099
Fax: **1-855-347-7239**

You can also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights electronically through the Office for Civil Rights Complaint portal, available at **<https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf>**, or by mail or phone at:

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
200 Independence Avenue SW
Room 509F, HHH Building
Washington, DC 20201
Phone: **1-800-368-1019**
TDD: **1-800-537-7697**

Complaint forms are available at **www.hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html**.

For Washington Members:

You can also file a complaint with the Washington State Office of the Insurance Commissioner, electronically through the Office of the Insurance Commissioner Complaint portal, available at

<https://www.insurance.wa.gov/file-complaint-or-check-your-complaint-status>, or by phone at **1-800-562-6900**, or **360-586-0241** (TDD). Complaint forms are available at **<https://fortress.wa.gov/oic/online services/cc/pub/complaintinformation.aspx>**.

Help in Your Language

ATTENTION: If you speak English, language assistance services including appropriate auxiliary aids and services, free of charge, are available to you. Call **1-800-813-2000** (TTY: **711**).

አማርኛ (Amharic) ትኩረት: አማርኛ የሚናገሩ ከሆነ ተገቢ የሆኑ ረዳት መርጃዎችን እና አገልግሎቶችን ጨምሮ የቋንቋ እርዳታ አገልግሎቶች በነጻ ይገኛሉ። በ **1-800-813-2000** ይደውሉ (TTY: **711**)።

العربية (Arabic) تنبيه: إذا كنت تتحدث العربية، تتوفر لك خدمات المساعدة اللغوية بما في ذلك من وسائل المساعدة والخدمات المناسبة المجان. اتصل بالرقم **1-800-813-2000** (TTY: **711**).

中文 (Chinese) 注意事項: 如果您說中文，您可獲得免費語言協助服務，包括適當的輔助器材和服務。致電**1-800-813-2000** (TTY: **711**)。

فارسی (Farsi) توجه: اگر به زبان فارسی صحبت می‌کنید، «تسهیلات زبانی»، از جمله کمک‌ها و خدمات پشتیبانی مناسب، به صورت رایگان در دسترس‌تان است با **1-800-813-2000** (TTY: **711**) تماس بگیرید.

Français (French) ATTENTION : si vous parlez français, des services d'assistance linguistique comprenant des aides et services auxiliaires appropriés, gratuits, sont à votre disposition. Appelez le **1-800-813-2000** (TTY: **711**).

Deutsch (German) ACHTUNG: Wenn Sie Deutsch sprechen, steht Ihnen die Sprachassistentz mit entsprechenden Hilfsmitteln und Dienstleistungen kostenfrei zur Verfügung. Rufen Sie **1-800-813-2000** an (TTY: **711**).

日本語 (Japanese) 注意: 日本語を話す場合、適切な補助機器やサービスを含む言語支援サービスが無料で提供されます。 **1-800-813-2000**までお電話ください (TTY: **711**)。

ខ្មែរ (Khmer) យកចិត្តទុកដាក់: បើអ្នកនិយាយខ្មែរ សេវាជំនួយភាសា រួមទាំងជំនួយនិងសេវាសម្រួលដោយឥតគិតថ្លៃ មានចំពោះអ្នក។ ហៅ **1-800-813-2000** (TTY: **711**)។

한국어 (Korean) 주의: 한국어를 구사하실 경우, 필요한 보조 기기 및 서비스가 포함된 언어 지원 서비스가 무료로 제공됩니다. **1-800-813-2000**로 전화해 주세요 (TTY: **711**).

ລາວ (Laotian) ເອົາໃຈໃສ່: ຖ້າທ່ານເວົ້າພາສາລາວ, ການບໍລິການຊ່ວຍເຫຼືອດ້ານພາສາ ລວມທັງອຸປະກອນ ແລະ ການບໍລິການຊ່ວຍເຫຼືອທີ່ເໝາະສົມ ຈະມີໃຫ້ທ່ານໂດຍບໍ່ເສຍຄ່າ. ໂທ **1-800-813-2000** (TTY: **711**).

Afaan Oromoo (Oromo) XIYYEEFFANNOO: Yoo Afaan Oromo dubbattu ta'e, Tajaajila gargaarsa afaanii, gargaarsota dabalataa fi tajaajiloota barbaachisoo kaffaltii irraa bilisa ta'an, isiniif ni jira. **1-800-813-2000** irratti bilbilaa (TTY:- **711**)

ਪੰਜਾਬੀ (Punjabi) ਧਿਆਨ ਦਿਓ: ਜੇ ਤੁਸੀਂ ਪੰਜਾਬੀ ਬੋਲਦੇ ਹੋ, ਤਾਂ ਤੁਹਾਡੇ ਲਈ ਮੁਫਤ ਉਪਲਬਧ ਭਾਸ਼ਾ ਸਹਾਇਤਾ ਸੇਵਾਵਾਂ, ਜਿਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਵਿੱਚ ਯੋਗ ਸਹਾਇਕ ਸਹਾਇਤਾਵਾਂ ਅਤੇ ਸੇਵਾਵਾਂ ਸ਼ਾਮਲ ਹਨ। ਕਾਲ ਕਰੋ **1-800-813-2000** (TTY:- **711**)।

Română (Romanian) ATENȚIE: Dacă vorbiți română, vă sunt disponibile gratuit servicii de asistență lingvistică, inclusiv ajutoare și servicii auxiliare adecvate. Sunați la **1-800-813-2000** (TTY: **711**).

Русский (Russian) ВНИМАНИЕ! Если вы говорите по-русски, вам доступны бесплатные услуги языковой поддержки, включая соответствующие вспомогательные средства и услуги. Позвоните по номеру **1-800-813-2000** (TTY: **711**).

Español (Spanish) ATENCIÓN: Si habla español, tiene a su disposición servicios de asistencia lingüística que incluyen ayudas y servicios auxiliares adecuados y gratuitos. Llame al **1-800-813-2000** (TTY: **711**).

Tagalog (Tagalog) PAALALA: Kung nagsasalita ka ng Tagalog, available sa iyo ang serbisyo ng tulong sa wika kabilang ang mga naaangkop na karagdagang tulong at serbisyo, nang walang bayad. Tumawag sa **1-800-813-2000** (TTY: **711**).

ไทย (Thai) โปรดทราบ: หากท่านพูดภาษาไทย ท่านสามารถขอรับบริการช่วยเหลือด้านภาษา รวมทั้งเครื่องช่วยเหลือและบริการเสริมที่เหมาะสมได้ฟรี โทร **1-800-813-2000** (TTY: **711**).

Українська (Ukrainian) УВАГА! Якщо ви володієте українською мовою, вам доступні безкоштовні послуги з мовної допомоги, включно із відповідною додатковою допомогою та послугами. Зателефонуйте за номером **1-800-813-2000** (TTY: **711**).

Tiếng Việt (Vietnamese) CHÚ Ý: Nếu bạn nói tiếng Việt, bạn có thể sử dụng các dịch vụ hỗ trợ ngôn ngữ miễn phí, bao gồm các dịch vụ và phương tiện hỗ trợ phù hợp. Xin gọi **1-800-813-2000** (TTY: **711**).