

SSBCI Attestation Form

Highmark Wholecare requires an attestation form from a treating provider to administer specific and valuable benefits to this member.

PROVIDER INSTRUCTIONS:

- Complete the information on page 1 and make your selections on page 2 by completely filling in the boxes. (Select all diagnosed conditions.)
 - If completing an electronic form, click on the box in front of your selections.
 - If completing a printed form, fully fill in the boxes in front of your selections. (■ correct ☑ 🗵 incorrect)
- Fax the completed pages 1 and 2 within three to five business days to 844-246-1353.
- Refer to the Condition Qualification List on page 3 for additional clarifying information.

Provider NPI:
Provider Name:
Provider Address:
Provider Signature:
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Member ID:
Member Full Name (Last, First, MI):
Member Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY):
Member Home Address:

FILL ALL STATEMENTS & CONDITIONS THAT APPLY TO THE MEMBER: Yes, this member has been diagnosed with a qualifying chronic condition from Highmark Wholecare's approved list to receive SSBCI benefits. If yes, please fill all conditions that apply: 1. Therapy services required for individuals to maintain or retain functioning 2. Overweight, Obesity, and/or Metabolic Syndrome 3. Immunodeficiency and Immunosuppressive Disorders 4. Conditions with Functional Challenges 5. Chronic Gastrointestinal Disease 6. Cardiovascular Disorders 7. Chronic conditions that impair vision, hearing (deafness), taste, touch, and smell 8. Conditions associated with cognitive impairment 9. Severe Hematologic Disorders 10. Neurologic Disorders 11. HIV/AIDS 12. Diabetes 13. Post-Organ Transplant 14. Dementia 15. Autoimmune Disorders 16. Chronic Alcohol and other drug dependencies 17. End-Stage Liver Disease 18. End-Stage Renal Disease 19. Chronic and disabling Mental Health conditions 20. Chronic Lung Disorders 21. Stroke 22. Chronic Heart Failure 23. Cancer, excluding pre-cancer conditions or in-situ status 24. Chronic Kidney Disease

Yes, the member's health situation puts the patient at high risk of adverse health outcomes/risk of hospitalization.

No, this member <u>does not</u> have a qualifying chronic disease and/or <u>does not</u> have a high risk of adverse health outcomes/risk of hospitalization and does not qualify for Highmark Wholecare's SSBCI benefits.

Highmark Wholecare D-SNP 2026 SSBCI Condition Qualification List

- 1. Conditions that require continued therapy services for individuals to maintain or retain functioning
- 2. Overweight, Obesity, and/or Metabolic Syndrome
- **3.** Immunodeficiency and Immunosuppressive Disorders
- 4. Conditions with Functional Challenges
- 5. Chronic Gastrointestinal Disease
- 6. Cardiovascular Disorders limited to: Cardiac Arrhythmias, Coronary Artery Disease, Elevated Lipid Profile, Peripheral Vascular Disease, Hypertension, and Chronic Venous Thromboembolic Disorder
- 7. Chronic conditions that impair vision, hearing (deafness), taste, touch, and smell
- 8. Conditions associated with cognitive impairment
- 9. Severe Hematologic Disorders limited to:
 Aplastic Anemia, Hemophilia, Immune
 Thrombocytopenic Purpura, Myelodysplastic
 Syndrome, Sickle-Cell Disease (excluding
 Sickle-Cell Trait), and Chronic Venous
 Thromboembolic Disorder
- 10. Neurologic Disorders limited to: Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS), Epilepsy, Extensive Paralysis (i.e., Hemiplegia, Quadriplegia, Paraplegia, Monoplegia), Huntington's Disease, Multiple Sclerosis, Parkinson's Disease, Polyneuropathy, Spinal Stenosis, and Stroke-related Neurologic Deficit

- 11. HIV/AIDS
- 12. Diabetes Mellitus
- 13. Post-Organ Transplantation
- 14. Dementia
- 15. Autoimmune Disorders limited to:
 Polyarteritis Nodosa, Polymyalgia Rheumatica,
 Polymyositis, Rheumatoid Arthritis, and
 Systemic Lupus Erythematosus
- 16. Chronic Alcohol and other drug dependence
- 17. End-Stage Liver Disease
- 18. End-Stage Renal Disease
- 19. Chronic and disabling Mental Health conditions limited to: Bipolar Disorders, Major Depressive Disorders, Paranoid Disorder, Schizophrenia, and Schizoaffective Disorder
- 20. Chronic Lung Disorders limited to: Asthma, Chronic Bronchitis, Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease, Emphysema, Pulmonary Fibrosis, and Pulmonary Hypertension
- 21. Stroke
- 22. Chronic Heart Failure
- **23.** Cancer, excluding pre-cancer conditions or in-situ status
- 24. Chronic Kidney Disease



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