

Standard Request Form for Prior Authorization of Prescription Drug Benefits Advisory Committee

Purpose: To advise the Commissioner on the technical, operational, and practical aspects of developing the single, standard prior authorization form required under Section 1369.254 for requesting prior authorization of prescription drug benefits.

Name	Member Type	Board Position	Employer
Kimberly Martin	Consumer		Epilepsy Foundation of Central & South Texas
Justin Weiss	Health Benefit Plan Issuer		Superior Health Plan
VACANCY	Health Benefit Plan Networks of Providers		
VACANCY	Health Care Provider		
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Renee Baggett	Pharmacist		CHRISTUS Health
Chantelle Wolner	Pharmacy Benefit Manager		Prime Therapeutics
Vacancy	Specialty Drug Distributor		
Mark Newberry	Specialty Pharmacy		Tarrytown Specialty Pharmacy
Andy Vasquez	HHSC Designee		Texas Health and Human Services Commission
Debra Diaz Lara	Commissioner Designee		Texas Department of Insurance

In accord with Section 1369.255 of the Texas Insurance Code, the advisory committee shall be composed of an equal number of members from the following groups of stakeholders:

1. physicians;
2. other prescribing health care providers;
3. consumers experienced with prior authorizations;
4. hospitals;
5. pharmacists;
6. specialty pharmacies;
7. pharmacy benefit managers;
8. specialty drug distributors;
9. health benefit plan issuers for the Texas Health Insurance Pool established under Chapter 1506;
10. health benefit plan issuers; and
11. health benefit plan networks of provider.