



SWOIPA
Southwest Oregon IPA

After a thorough internal claims review, it has been determined that effective March 1, 2025, SWOIPA will now require prior authorization for

CPT code 82306

(vitamin D Testing)

for members covered by Advanced Health.

Vitamin D testing has been classified as low-value care. Low-value care refers to tests, treatments, and procedures that, based on clinical evidence and research, have been shown to offer minimal benefit except in specific, well-defined clinical scenarios. This type of care is often referred to as overuse, waste, or unnecessary care. The utilization of low-value care can result in poor patient outcomes, including physical, emotional, and financial burdens, as well as increased healthcare costs, including cascading expenses and inefficient use of time and resources by providers and staff.

All claims submitted for CPT code 82306 must include the approved prior authorization number on the claim for dates of service 3/01/25 forward. Claims that do not include the authorization number will be systematically denied.

**Please feel free to contact our office at: (541) 269-7400
with any questions or concerns.**

**Please remember to refer to the Authorization Grid on the
Advanced Health website for the most up to date authorization requirement.**