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MEMORANDUM

To: Advanced Health Provider Network
From: Advanced Health – Provider Relations
Date: January 5, 2025
Subject: Submission of STAT PA requests

Dear Providers,

This memorandum is a reminder that Advanced Health only accepts STAT prior authorization requests that meet the criteria outlined in OAR 410-141-3835.

Please note that scheduling needs alone do not qualify a request as STAT under this OAR. Please refrain from scheduling services until authorization has been obtained.

OAR 410-141-3835 – MCE Service Authorization.

- **Expedited Criteria:** An expedited decision can be requested if waiting for the standard timeframe (14 days) could seriously jeopardize the member's life, health, or ability to function.
- **Expedited Timeframe:** Coordinated Care Organizations (CCOs), which manage most OHP benefits, must make an expedited prior authorization decision and provide notice as expeditiously as the member's health condition requires, and no later than **72 hours** after receiving the request.

To review complete OAR, please use this link:

<https://secure.sos.state.or.us/oard/viewSingleRule.action?ruleVrsnRsn=324009>

Please contact Customer Service with any questions or concerns.