

# Provider Update

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## Wheelchair component or accessory, not otherwise specified to require prior authorization

Effective December 1, 2017, Amerigroup Iowa, Inc. requires prior authorization (PA) for wheelchair components or accessories, not otherwise specified (NOS) — K0108. Federal and state law as well as state contract language including definitions and specific contract provisions/exclusions take precedence over these PA rules and must be considered first when determining coverage. **Noncompliance with new requirements may result in denied claims.**

PA requirements will be added to the following code:

- K0108 — wheelchair component or accessory, NOS

To request PA, you may use one of the following methods:

- Phone: 1-800-454-3730
- Fax: 1-800-964-3627
- Web: Interactive Care Reviewer tool via <https://www.availity.com>

For detailed PA requirements, please refer to the provider website (<https://providers.amerigroup.com/ia> > Quick Tools > Precertification Lookup Tool) or call Provider Services.

The information in this update may be an update or change to your provider manual. Find the most current manual at:  
<https://providers.amerigroup.com/ia>

