

# PPO Quick Guide



**Culinary Health Fund**  
**Effective 1/1/2015**  
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## Important Telephone Numbers

<b>Culinary Health Fund</b> <a href="http://www.culinaryhealthfund.org">www.culinaryhealthfund.org</a>	
Customer Service Office .....	702-733-9938
Mon-Fri 8am to 6pm	
Healthcare Services (Provider Line)	702-892-7313, #2
Culinary Pharmacy .....	702-650-4417
Provider Reconsiderations .....	702-691-5625
Advocacy .....	702-691-5665

### Nevada Health Solutions (NHS)

<https://providers.nevadahealthsolutions.org:8443/AcuExchange/Login.jsp>  
 Mon-Fri, 8:00am to 5:00pm.....855-392-0778  
 702-216-1653  
 (FAX) 702-691-5614

### Harmony Healthcare

[www.harmonyhc.com](http://www.harmonyhc.com)

Behavioral Health Benefits, including:

- Addiction Treatment
- Marriage & Family Counseling
- Grief and Loss Counseling
- Crisis Intervention

24 hours a day/7 days a week ..... 702-251-8000  
 Rapid Response ..... 702-788-9875

### Catamaran Rx Prescription Services

[www.catamaranrx.com](http://www.catamaranrx.com)

Prescription Benefits and Drug Prior Authorization  
 24 hours a day/ 7 days a week ..... 866-611-5960  
 Catamaran Home Delivery..... 866-834-0449

### Desert Radiologists

[www.desertrad.com](http://www.desertrad.com) ..... 702-759-8700

### Clinical Pathology Laboratories (CPL)

[www.cpllabs.com](http://www.cpllabs.com) ..... 702-795-4900

### Cooperative Association of Chiropractic Physicians (CACCP)

Mon-Fri, 8:30am to 5pm ..... 702-365-5981

### Nevada Dental Benefits

Mon-Fri, 8am to 5:30pm ..... 702-478-2014

### PaySpan, Inc

[www.payspan.com](http://www.payspan.com) ..... 877-331-7154

### DME Providers:

Apria Healthcare ..... 702-736-4466  
 Bennett Medical ..... 702-382-4940  
 Gabel Distributors..... 702-489-2288  
 Preferred Homecare ..... 702-951-6900  
 THC of Nevada..... 702-796-1016

### Prosthetic & Orthotic Appliance Providers:

Precision Orthotics & Prosthetics ..... 702-243-7671  
 Prosthetic Centers of Excellence ..... 702-384-1410

### Vision Eligibility Express Line

24hours a day/7 days a week..... 702-216-1298

## PREVENTIVE SERVICES (DO NOT REQUIRE A COPAY)

- Immunizations for Adults and Children
- Well Baby/Child Exams
- Wellness/Physical Exams
- Colonoscopy/Sigmoidoscopy (Ages 50-74)
- Mammogram
- Dexascan
- Nutritional Counseling
- Smoking Cessation

SERVICE DESCRIPTION	COPAY
Office Visit - PCP (FP, IM, PEDS, OB/GYN)	\$15 per visit
Office Visit - Ophthalmologist or Optometrist	\$20 per visit
Office Visit - Specialist	\$30 per visit
Urgent Care Visit	\$40 per visit
Chiropractor	\$25 per visit
Injection	No Copay
Hearing and Speech Testing	No Copay
Allergy Testing/ Immunotherapy	No Copay
IV Treatment	No Copay
Pulmonary Treatment	No Copay
X-ray (in select physician offices)	\$30 per visit
MRI/CAT Scan (in select physician offices)	\$125 per visit
PET Scan (in select physician offices)	\$225 per visit
Lab (physician office or CPL)	No Copay
All other Physician Office procedures	No Copay
Culinary Pharmacy	No Copay
Tier 1 - Generic Drugs	\$10
Tier 2 - Formulary Drugs	\$30
Tier 3 - Non-Formulary Drugs	\$50
X-Ray at Desert Radiologists	\$20 per visit
MRI/CAT Scan at Desert Radiologists	\$125 per visit
PET Scan at Desert Radiologists	\$175 per visit
Ambulatory Surgery Center ASC at Hospital	\$150 per visit \$250 per visit

## Services Requiring Prior Authorization

IN OFFICE (PLACE OF SERVICE 11)	
Custom Compression Stockings	Authorization required <b>LIMITED TO FUND CONTRACTED PROVIDERS</b>
Durable Medical Equipment (DME)	Durable Medical Equipment items that are over \$500 require authorization (whether it is a rental or purchase, to include oxygen equipment over \$500, i.e. oxygen concentrators) <b>LIMITED TO FUND CONTRACTED PROVIDERS</b>
Hematology/Oncology Services	All Hematology/Oncology services <b>NOT</b> provided by Comprehensive Cancer Centers of Nevada requires authorization
Hyperbaric Treatment	Authorization required
Laboratory Services	Clinical Pathology Laboratories (CPL) is the Culinary Health Fund's exclusive Laboratory services provider and must be used for all outpatient laboratory services
Laboratory - All Genetic Testing	Authorization required
Office Administered Drugs	<b>Drugs indicated below require authorization:</b> Avastin - Limited to Ophthalmology Botox - Limited to Neurology and Ophthalmology Biologics- Limited to Gastroenterology and Rheumatology Implantable Hormone Replacement Therapy - Limited to Urology
Orthotic & Prosthetic Appliances	Authorization required <b>LIMITED TO FUND CONTRACTED PROVIDERS</b>
Radiology Services	Desert Radiologists is the Culinary Health Fund's exclusive Radiology services provider. Services performed at Desert Radiologists DO NOT require authorization, with the EXCEPTION of PET Scans
	For Radiology services NOT performed at Desert Radiologists, authorization is required for CT/CTA, Discography, Obstetrical Ultrasounds and Fetal Biophysical profiles, MRI/MRA and PET Scans
Sleep Studies	All requests for sleep studies require authorization and must be ordered by a Neurologist, Pulmonologist or ENT
TMJ Procedures	Authorization required
Varicose Veins	Authorization required - Limited to select specialties
HOME HEALTH AND HOME INFUSION SERVICES (PLACE OF SERVICE 12)	
Authorization required	
INPATIENT (PLACE OF SERVICE 21, 31, 61)	
All inpatient admissions require authorization - Including elective admissions and those resulting from ER or observation stay	
OBSERVATION (PLACE OF SERVICE 22)	
All observation admissions require authorization	
OUTPATIENT HOSPITAL (PLACE OF SERVICE 22)	
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Surgery & Invasive Diagnostic Procedures	Authorization required for all outpatient surgery or invasive procedures performed in a surgery area
AMBULATORY SURGERY CENTER (PLACE OF SERVICE 24)	
Authorization required for all outpatient surgery or procedures	
INDEPENDENT LABORATORY (PLACE OF SERVICE 81)	
Clinical Pathology Laboratories (CPL) is the Culinary Health Fund's exclusive laboratory services provider and must be used for all outpatient laboratory services	
All Genetic Testing	Authorization required
BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES (PLACE OF SERVICE 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57)	
Inpatient & Outpatient Behavioral Health Services	All Behavioral Health services require authorization through Harmony Healthcare (702) 251-8000
TRANSPLANT SERVICES	
Authorization is required for all transplant services including consultations	
For Prior Authorization please contact NEVADA HEALTH SOLUTIONS: (702) 216-1653 / toll free (855) 392-0778 / fax (702) 691-5614 Via web portal at <a href="https://providers.nevadahalthsolutions.org:8443/AcuExchange/Login.jsp">https://providers.nevadahalthsolutions.org:8443/AcuExchange/Login.jsp</a>	

For more Benefit Information and Updates, visit the website at [www.culinaryhealthfund.org](http://www.culinaryhealthfund.org)

This is only a guide to Culinary PPO participant benefits and does not provide you with all of the benefits available through the Culinary Health Fund. For further information about other available programs and benefits, please call Culinary Health Fund Customer Service Office at 702-733-9938.