



10181 Scripps Gateway Court San Diego, CA 92131  
(888) 807-6806 (TTY: 711) [www.mp.medimpact.com](http://www.mp.medimpact.com)

**Request for Redetermination of Medicare Prescription Drug Denial**

Because we, <VillageCareMAX Medicare Health Advantage or VillageCareMAX Medicare Total Advantage> (HMO D-SNP), denied your request for coverage of (or payment for) a prescription drug, you have the right to ask us for a redetermination (appeal) of our decision. You have 60 days from the date of our Notice of Denial of Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage to ask us for a redetermination. This form may be sent to us by mail or fax:

Address: MedImpact Healthcare Systems, Inc. Fax: 1-858-790-6060  
Attn: Appeals/Grievance Department  
10181 Scripps Gateway Ct  
San Diego, CA 92131

You may also ask us for an appeal through our website at [www.mp.medimpact.com](http://www.mp.medimpact.com). Expedited appeal requests can be made by phone at 1-888-807-6806 (TTY: 711).

**Who May Make a Request:** Your prescriber may ask us for an appeal on your behalf. If you want another individual (such as a family member or friend) to request an appeal for you, that individual must be your representative. Contact us to learn how to name a representative.

Enrollee's Information

Enrollee's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Enrollee's Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Enrollee's Plan ID Number \_\_\_\_\_

**Complete the following section ONLY if the person making this request is not the enrollee:**

**Requestor's Name** \_\_\_\_\_

Requestor's Relationship to Enrollee \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

**Representation documentation for appeal requests made by someone other than enrollee or the enrollee's prescriber:**

**Attach documentation showing the authority to represent the enrollee (a completed Authorization of Representation Form CMS-1696 or a written equivalent) if it was not submitted at the coverage determination level. For more information on appointing a representative, contact your plan or 1-800-Medicare.**

**Prescription drug you are requesting:**

Name of drug: \_\_\_\_\_ Strength/quantity/dose: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you purchased the drug pending appeal?       Yes       No

If "Yes":

Date purchased: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount paid: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (attach copy of receipt)

Name and telephone number of pharmacy: \_\_\_\_\_

**Prescriber's Information**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Office Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Office Contact Person \_\_\_\_\_

**Important Note: Expedited Decisions**

If you or your prescriber believe that waiting 7 days for a standard decision could seriously harm your life, health, or ability to regain maximum function, you can ask for an expedited (fast) decision. If your prescriber indicates that waiting 7 days could seriously harm your health, we will automatically give you a decision within 72 hours. If you do not obtain your prescriber's support for an expedited appeal, we will decide if your case requires a fast decision. You cannot request an expedited appeal if you are asking us to pay you back for a drug you already received.

**CHECK THIS BOX IF YOU BELIEVE YOU NEED A DECISION WITHIN 72 HOURS**  
**If you have a supporting statement from your prescriber, attach it to this request.**

**Please explain your reasons for appealing.** Attach additional pages, if necessary. Attach any additional information you believe may help your case, such as a statement from your

prescriber and relevant medical records. You may want to refer to the explanation we provided in the Notice of Denial of Medicare Prescription Drug Coverage.

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<p><b>Signature of person requesting the appeal (the enrollee, or the enrollee’s prescriber or representative):</b></p> <p>_____ <b>Date:</b> _____</p>
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VillageCareMAX is an HMO plan with Medicare and New York State Medicaid contracts. Enrollment in VillageCareMAX depends on contract renewal.

*[Insert if Plan is VillageCareMAX Medicare Total Advantage Plan]*

The State of New York has created an Ombudsman Program called the Independent Consumer Advocacy Network (ICAN) to provide members free, confidential assistance on any services offered by VillageCareMAX Medicare Total Advantage. You can also get information on member rights, grievances (complaints) and appeals. ICAN may be reached toll-free at 1-844-614-8800 or online at [www.icannys.org](http://www.icannys.org) (TTY users call 711, then follow the prompts to dial 844-614-8800.)

## NOTICE OF NON-DISCRIMINATION

**VillageCareMAX** complies with Federal civil rights laws. **VillageCareMAX** does not exclude people or treat them differently because of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex.

**VillageCareMAX** provides the following:

- Free aids and services to people with disabilities to communicate effectively with us, such as:
  - Qualified sign language interpreters
  - Written information in other formats (large print, audio, accessible electronic formats, other formats)
- Free language services to people whose first language is not English, such as:
  - Qualified interpreters
  - Information written in other languages

If you need these services, contact **VillageCareMAX** Member Services Department at 1-800- 469-6292. For TTY/TDD services, call 711.

If you believe that **VillageCareMAX** has not given these services or treated you differently because of race, color, national origin, age, disability, or sex, you can file a grievance with **VillageCareMAX** by:

Mail: 112 Charles Street, New York, NY 10014  
Phone: 1-800-469-6292, TTY 711  
Fax: 347-226-5181  
In person: 112 Charles Street, New York, NY 10014  
Email: [complaints@villagecare.org](mailto:complaints@villagecare.org)

You can also file a civil rights complaint with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office for Civil Rights, electronically through the Office for Civil Rights by:

Web: Office of Civil Rights Complaint Portal at  
<https://ocrportal.hhs.gov/ocr/portal/lobby.jsf>  
Mail: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services  
200 Independence Avenue, SW, Room 509F, HHH Building Washington, D.C.  
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Complaint forms are available at <http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html>.  
Phone: 1-800-368-1019, 800-537-7697 (TDD)

