## **Illinois Prior Authorization Statistics for UnitedHealthcare Commercial Plans**

## 2024 calendar year data per 215 ILCS 200/20 of the IL Prior Authorization Reform Act\*

| Medical                                      | Total       | Percent  |                                  | Total |
|--|-------------|----------|----------------------------------|-------|
| Prior Authorization Requests Received        | 136,111     |          | Medical Appeal Requests Received | 19    |
| Fully Approved                               | 118,748     | 87.24%   | Overturned                       | 9     |
| Adverse Determinations                       | 13,245      | 9.73%    | Upheld                           | 10    |
| Partial Approvals                            | 4,118       | 3.03%    | Partial Approval                 | 0     |
| Average time between submission and response | 1.11 calend | dar days |                                  |       |

| Behavioral                                   | Total              | Percent |                                     | Total |
|--|--------------------|---------|-------------------------------------|-------|
| Prior Authorization Requests Received        | 5,141              |         | Behavioral Appeal Requests Received | 1     |
| Fully Approved                               | 5,026              | 97.76%  | Overturned                          | 0     |
| Adverse Determinations                       | 84                 | 1.63%   | Upheld                              | 0     |
| Partial Approvals                            | 31                 | 0.60%   | Partial Approval                    | 1     |
| Average time between submission and response | 0.85 calendar days |         |                                     |       |

| Rx   | Total      | Percent  |                             | Total |
|--|------------|----------|-----------------------------|-------|
| Prior Authorization Requests Received        | 42,204     |          | Rx Appeal Requests Received | 410   |
| Fully Approved                               | 24,838     | 58.85%   | Overturned                  | 184   |
| Adverse Determinations                       | 17,211     | 40.78%   | Upheld                      | 226   |
| Partial Approvals                            | 155        | 0.37%    | Partial Approval            | 0     |
| Average time between submission and response | 0.80 calen | dar days |                             |       |

## Top 5 reasons for adverse determinations

| Medical   | Behavioral  | Rx            |
|---|---|---------------|
| Lack of Medical Necessity                                     | Medical Necessity Criteria Not Met                | PA Denial     |
| Treatment is not consistent with published clinical evidence. | Excluded Service                                  | Non-Form      |
| No out-of-network benefits                                    | Insufficient clinical rationale for SCA exception | Qty Limit     |
| Non covered services/benefit exclusions                       | Behavioral clinical policies                      | Lack of Info  |
| Clinical and Site Declined                                    | Supplemental clinical criteria                    | Appeal Uphold |

\*Based on IL sitused policies