



The Prior Authorization (PA) Process for InPen™

The InPen smart insulin pen is the first FDA-cleared insulin delivery system of its kind.

The InPen is a reusable smart insulin pen that uses Bluetooth® technology to send dose information to a mobile app. Offering dose calculations and tracking, InPen helps take some of the mental math out of diabetes management.



If a PA is required for the InPen, the pharmacy will notify your office if the prescription is denied.

1

Complete the Request

Criteria varies by payer and plan type.

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Submit via Health Plan

Fax, online portal (ePA), or phone.

3

Retain the Health Plan Decision†



Ready to prescribe?

Use the QR code to request information from MiniMed.

†If/when approved, the patient is notified and the pharmacy can fill it; If denied, the plan sends a denial notice with reason and appeal option. Appeal (if denied), you may appeal with more information or request a peer-to-peer review with the health plan.

Important Safety Information

InPen system

The InPen system, consisting of a mobile app and home-use reusable pen injector, requires a prescription. It is for single-patient use by people with diabetes under the supervision of an adult caregiver, or by a patient age 7 and older for the self-injection of a desired dose of insulin.

The pen injector is compatible with Lilly Humalog® U-100 3.0 mL cartridges, Novo Nordisk Novolog® U-100 3.0 mL cartridges, and Novo Nordisk Fiasp® U-100 3.0 mL cartridges and single-use detachable and disposable pen needles (not included). The pen injector allows the user to dial the desired dose from 0.5 to 30 units in one-half (1/2) unit increments.

The InPen system dose calculator, a component of the InPen system app, is indicated for the management of diabetes by people with diabetes under the supervision of an adult caregiver, or

by a patient age 7 and older for calculating an insulin dose or carbohydrate intake based on user entered data.

For an insulin dose based on amount of carbohydrates, a healthcare professional must provide patient-specific target blood glucose, insulin-to-carbohydrate ratio, and insulin sensitivity parameters to be programmed into the software prior to use.

For an insulin dose based on fixed/variable meal sizes, a healthcare professional must provide patient-specific fixed doses/meal sizes to be programmed into the software prior to use.

For additional product and important safety considerations, see **User Guide** and <https://www.minimed.com/en-us/important-safety-information/#smart-pen-system>.

PA Checklist

The table below includes information often requested by health plans, but it is not an exhaustive list. Confirm your patients' plan requirements before submitting the PA.

PATIENT INFORMATION

- Name
- Address
- Date of birth
- Social Security number (if required)

HCP INFORMATION

- Name
- Specialty
- Tax ID number
- Office address
- Phone/fax number
- NPI number

INSURANCE INFORMATION

- Phone number
- Name of policy holder
- Plan ID number
- Group number
- Address
- Copy of insurance card
- Completed, plan-specific PA form

MEDICAL DOCUMENTATION

ICD-10-CM DIAGNOSIS CODES

- E.10-E.11–Diabetes Mellitus

PATIENT HISTORY

- Proof of 1 or more of the following events in the last 12 months: hypoglycemia, severe glycemic excursions, fasting blood sugars repeatedly >200 mg/dL
- History of poorly controlled diabetes

PREVIOUS/CURRENT TREATMENTS

- Current insulin regimen, including dosages and start therapy dates (injections needed $\geq 3x$ per day)
- Documentation of the history of failure, contraindication, or intolerance to other treatments

COPY OF CHART NOTES

- Last 6 months of clinical notes and lab work, last 1-3 months of legible home monitoring logs or CGM results, and a medical rationale for InPen



Have questions?

Scan the QR code for additional reimbursement support or call 1-800-646-4633, Monday-Friday, 9:00 AM-6:00 PM CT.



Financial support

Use the QR code to learn about available financial support programs for InPen.

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