

Bariatric Surgery Center

Insurance Coverage Worksheet

Are you interested in weight-loss surgery? Find out if it's covered by your insurance using this worksheet. Please call your insurance and ask the following questions. The phone number to contact your insurance is usually on the back of your insurance card.

- 1. Does my policy cover weight-loss surgery? Yes____ No____ If no, ask about our self-pay options
 - "What procedures are covered?" (mark all that apply) The primary diagnosis will be Morbid Obesity E66.01
 - _____43644 Gastric Bypass _____43846 Open Gastric Bypass
 - _____43775 Sleeve Gastrectomy _____43772 Lap Band Removal
 - _____Are nutrition visits covered? Codes 97802 / 97803 / 97804

2. What do I need to have to qualify for surgery?

- "Do I need a referral from my Primary Care Provider?"______
 - If yes, please contact your provider for referral
- "What does my BMI need to be to qualify for surgery?"
- "Do I need any pre-existing conditions such as, high blood pressure, diabetes, sleep apnea etc.?"
- "Do I need to complete a supervised diet? (if yes, how many months and where)"
- "Do I need to complete any case management with the insurance company?"
- "Do I need documentation of past attempts at weight-loss?" Yes_____ No_____
- 3. What are my out of pocket expenses? _____
- 4. Name of Customer Representative: _____
- 5. Call Reference Number: _____
- 6. Date of Phone Call: _____

Once you verify that your insurance plan will cover bariatric surgery, bring this form (and other packet material) to the Bariatric Surgery Center.

Please don't hesitate to give our office a call if you have any questions at 503-814-5286