

PRIOR AUTHORIZATION ASC: BLEPHAROPLASTY

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Request Type

Expedited Reason

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Requested CPTs (maximum of 4)

Primary Diagnosis Code

Date of Service

UTN

*Only required for Resubmissions & Expedited Resubmissions.
Enter the UTN of most recent submission.*

ASC INFORMATION

ASC Name

PTAN

NPI

Region

Fax Number

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BENEFICIARY INFORMATION (only one beneficiary per form)

Beneficiary Name

Medicare ID

PERFORMING SURGEON INFORMATION

Surgeon Name

NPI

Fax Number

Address

REQUESTOR INFORMATION

Requestor Name

Email

Date

Phone Number

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Please answer and follow the instructions for each question below.

QUESTIONS

Q1. Does the beneficiary have any of the following functional indications? Yes or No

- Dermatochalasis
- Chronic dermatitis due to blepharochalasis from severe allergies or thyroid disease
- Interference with vision or visual field that impacts an activity of daily living (such as difficulty reading or driving), looking through the eyelashes, seeing the upper eyelid skin, or brow fatigue
- Significant/extreme difficulty fitting spectacles due to excessive eyelid tissue
- Debilitating eyelid irritation
- Difficulty fitting or wearing a prosthesis when associated with an anophthalmic, microphthalmic, or enophthalmic socket.
- Primary essential idiopathic blepharospasm that is debilitating for which all other treatments have failed or are contraindicated.

Note: If answer is No, the procedure may not be considered medically necessary.

Comments:

Q2. Are photographs and a physical examination present in the documentation submitted? Yes or No

Note: If answer is No, the procedure may not be considered medically necessary.

Comments:

Q3. Does the medical record indicate the patient's desire for surgical correction? Yes or No

Note: If answer is No, documentation may be insufficient to support medical necessity of the procedure.

Comments:

Note: Attach supporting documentation for condition and associated symptoms, rationale for treatment procedure, etc. and/or comment.

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DOCUMENTATION

**Condition and Associated Symptoms/
Rationale for Treatment Procedure**