


# OREGON

Oregon Health Authority (OHA) <sup>151, 152, 153</sup>

Assessment & Counseling	Pharmacotherapy	
<p><b>COVERAGE may include:</b></p> <p><b>Preventive Counseling</b> 99401-99404, 99411-99412, G0438, G0439, 99385-99387, 99395-99397</p> <p><b>Behavioral Assessment/Intervention</b> G0447, G0473, 96150-96155</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- OHA coverage for medical obesity treatment includes intensive nutrition/physical activity counseling and behavioral interventions provided by health care professionals</li> <li>- Intensive counseling visits (once every 1-2 weeks) are covered for 6 months, but may continue for longer if there is evidence of continued weight loss.</li> <li>- Maintenance visits are covered only monthly after this intensive counseling period.</li> <li>- OR Medicaid does not cover weight loss programs or food supplements for use in weight loss.</li> </ul> <p><b>Nutritional Consultation &amp; Therapy</b> 97802-97804, S9470</p>	<p><b>NOT COVERED</b></p> <p>OR Medicaid does not cover weight loss drugs except in cases of comorbidity with <b>prior authorization</b>.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- No <b>obesity-specific drugs</b> in formulary; treatment of obesity with medications is an OHP unfunded diagnosis—previous Weight Loss Medications authorization criteria removed.</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Bariatric Surgery</b></p> <p><b>COVERAGE may include:</b></p> <p>Gastric Bypass, Gastric Band, Sleeve Gastrectomy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>Prior authorization</b> is required.</li> <li>- Bariatric surgery for obesity is covered for individuals 18 years and older with a BMI <math>\geq 35</math> with type II diabetes or another significant comorbidity (BMI &gt; 40 without comorbidity).</li> <li>- The individual must have no prior history of bariatric surgery, unless in failure due to complications of the original surgery.</li> <li>- The individual must participate in pre- and post-surgical psychological, medical, surgical, and dietician evaluations.</li> </ul> <p><i><b>NOTE:</b> All approved surgical programs must submit outcomes data to DMAP.</i></p>	<div style="text-align: center;">  </div> <p>Adults with obesity: <b>28%</b> <sup>3</sup> Adults with diabetes: <b>8%</b> <sup>3</sup></p> <p><b>24%</b> of residents covered by Medicaid/CHIP <b>\$8.1 billion</b> in total Medicaid spending (2015)</p> <p><b>86%</b> enrolled in managed care <b>14%</b> enrolled in fee-for-service <sup>4</sup></p> <p><b>Resources &amp; Contacts:</b></p> <p><b>Oregon Health Authority</b> Phone: 800-273-0557</p> <p><b>Oregon Health Plan</b> Phone: 503-945-5772</p> <p><b>Oregon Division of Financial Regulation</b> Phone: 503-378-4140</p>