

## Transcript: Pamela

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### Full Transcript

You're calling Benefits in a Car. This is Pamela speaking. How may I help you? Um, hello. My name is Red, R-E-D, last initial S, as in... Calling on behalf of a doctor's office to verify pre-certification requirements, and please be advised that this call is recorded for quality assurance purposes. And just to clarify, your name is Pamela? Yes, sir. Mm-hmm. You say you're calling from? I'm calling on the, behalf of a doctor's office. Okay. And how may I help you? Uh, yeah, I would like to check if, if prior authorization is required for a CPT code for our member. It was, uh, do you have the last four digits of the member's social so I can pull up their file? Uh, yeah. 7821. 70- 7821. First and last name? Samantha Sandor. Sandler? Sandor. S-A-N-D-O-R. Thank you. Okay. And can you verify his date of birth to make sure we are in the correct file? Uh, yeah. October 16, 2000. Okay. So, um, her benefits or the, the medical plan that they have, they already have a set amount that they're gonna pay for whatever the procedure might be. Now, I could transfer you to the actual carrier, um, and they will be able to give you a breakdown of, of the benefits, but, uh, th- she is not active at this time. Oh, this member is not active? Her benefits this week are not active. I'm sorry? Okay, so the benefits- What do you mean by that? ... she has throu- well, okay, these are not major insurance, so this, this pretty much is like a weekly- Mm-hmm. ... basic insurance. Um, every week- Mm-hmm. ... we receive a payment from their employer so, to keep their benefits active, but we have not received any payment- Mm-hmm. ... this week. Um, you could let her, you could let her- Oh, I see. ... give us a call and make the direct payment so she'd be able to, um, use the benefits she needs to. Mm-hmm. Um, I'm gonna give you a number. Uh, yeah. Yeah, um... I'm gonna give... Go ahead. Pamela, just to clarify, yeah, um, this member has a weekly basis for this plan, and also for this week, we do not have, um, any, uh- Oh, She's not active. ... health records for the benefits for this week. Yeah, yeah, so as of this time, this, um, patient or this member is not active for this week, so we could not check CPT codes and- No. ... you would, uh, not happen to know if this code you're requiring an authorization because member is not active for this week. No. Correct? No. She is not active, that's one thing. Now- Yeah. ... authorization, um, because of the type of benefits she has, she, she might not need an authorization, but I'm not the one to give you that answer. I could provide you with the telephone number of the actual carrier, and you could ask them- Okay. ... like to, for a breakdown example. Yeah, what's the phone number? Okay. The phone number is 256-8606. Also- Confirming this is the number for the actual carrier, 256-8606. Yes, sir. Okay. So you could have, you could have- Mm-hmm. ... the member give us a call, and she could make the direct payment, and she'll be able to use the benefit. They will go back being active. Mm-hmm. All right. You could let her know- Oh, yeah. Thank you. ... that her benefits are not good, and to give us a call. Yeah. So Pamela, just to really confirm, um, that we're on the same page, member is not active for this week, so there's no coverage to be, uh, done? Not

for this week, but if she gives us a call and make the direct payment- Yeah. ... she will be able to use the benefits, but as, right now, she's not active. Yeah. So, um, let's say call her friend then, because if this number is not active on your end, then any, um, prior authorization or medical services will not be covered, right? No, but if she calls and make the direct payment, she will- Yeah, I understand that. ... be able to use the benefits. Yeah, I understand that. But as I said, I mean- Yeah. For this week, we're not. ... she could get the service. So she's not active for this week. No. Not- Yeah. ... for sure. Yeah. I understand that she needs to call if you, she wants to be active. So- Yeah. ... she's not active for this week, so there's no coverage to be done. So can I get the caller reference? Right. Can you, can you give me your phone, your name once again? Red, R-E-D, like the color. S is the first initial to my last name. And the name of the c- uh, the medical that you're calling from? What medical? Can you tell me the, the name of the facility you're calling from? I'm calling on behalf of a doctor's office. Name is Arjumand Hashmi. Give me one second to finish my notes, and I'll provide you with the code, the reference. All right. I'm gonna be giving you letters and numbers. Let me know when you're ready. Sure. So it will be M as in Mary, A as in apple, U as in unicorn, dash, number four, letter J, Q, number six, letter T-Y, number eight, letter C, numbers one and eight. MAU-4JQ6TY8C18. Yes, sir. Thanks. Have a great day, Pamela. Have, have a great weekend. Okay. Thank you. Have a great rest of the day.

## Conversation Format

Speaker speaker\_0: You're calling Benefits in a Car. This is Pamela speaking. How may I help you?

Speaker speaker\_1: Um, hello. My name is Red, R-E-D, last initial S, as in... Calling on behalf of a doctor's office to verify pre-certification requirements, and please be advised that this call is recorded for quality assurance purposes. And just to clarify, your name is Pamela?

Speaker speaker\_0: Yes, sir.

Speaker speaker\_1: Mm-hmm.

Speaker speaker\_0: You say you're calling from?

Speaker speaker\_1: I'm calling on the, behalf of a doctor's office.

Speaker speaker\_0: Okay. And how may I help you?

Speaker speaker\_1: Uh, yeah, I would like to check if, if prior authorization is required for a CPT code for our member.

Speaker speaker\_0: It was, uh, do you have the last four digits of the member's social so I can pull up their file?

Speaker speaker\_1: Uh, yeah. 7821.

Speaker speaker\_0: 70-

Speaker speaker\_1: 7821.

Speaker speaker\_0: First and last name?

Speaker speaker\_1: Samantha Sandor.

Speaker speaker\_0: Sandler?

Speaker speaker\_1: Sandor. S-A-N-D-O-R.

Speaker speaker\_0: Thank you. Okay. And can you verify his date of birth to make sure we are in the correct file?

Speaker speaker\_1: Uh, yeah. October 16, 2000.

Speaker speaker\_0: Okay. So, um, her benefits or the, the medical plan that they have, they already have a set amount that they're gonna pay for whatever the procedure might be. Now, I could transfer you to the actual carrier, um, and they will be able to give you a breakdown of, of the benefits, but, uh, th- she is not active at this time.

Speaker speaker\_1: Oh, this member is not active?

Speaker speaker\_0: Her benefits this week are not active.

Speaker speaker\_1: I'm sorry?

Speaker speaker\_0: Okay, so the benefits-

Speaker speaker\_1: What do you mean by that?

Speaker speaker\_0: ... she has throu- well, okay, these are not major insurance, so this, this pretty much is like a weekly-

Speaker speaker\_1: Mm-hmm.

Speaker speaker\_0: ... basic insurance. Um, every week-

Speaker speaker\_1: Mm-hmm.

Speaker speaker\_0: ... we receive a payment from their employer so, to keep their benefits active, but we have not received any payment-

Speaker speaker\_1: Mm-hmm.

Speaker speaker\_0: ... this week. Um, you could let her, you could let her-

Speaker speaker\_1: Oh, I see.

Speaker speaker\_0: ... give us a call and make the direct payment so she'd be able to, um, use the benefits she needs to.

Speaker speaker\_1: Mm-hmm.

Speaker speaker\_0: Um, I'm gonna give you a number.

Speaker speaker\_1: Uh, yeah. Yeah, um...

Speaker speaker\_0: I'm gonna give... Go ahead.

Speaker speaker\_1: Pamela, just to clarify, yeah, um, this member has a weekly basis for this plan, and also for this week, we do not have, um, any, uh-

Speaker speaker\_0: Oh,

Speaker speaker\_2: She's not active.

Speaker speaker\_1: ... health records for the benefits for this week. Yeah, yeah, so as of this time, this, um, patient or this member is not active for this week, so we could not check CPT codes and-

Speaker speaker\_0: No.

Speaker speaker\_1: ... you would, uh, not happen to know if this code you're requiring an authorization because member is not active for this week.

Speaker speaker\_0: No.

Speaker speaker\_1: Correct?

Speaker speaker\_0: No. She is not active, that's one thing. Now-

Speaker speaker\_1: Yeah.

Speaker speaker\_0: ... authorization, um, because of the type of benefits she has, she, she might not need an authorization, but I'm not the one to give you that answer. I could provide you with the telephone number of the actual carrier, and you could ask them-

Speaker speaker\_1: Okay.

Speaker speaker\_0: ... like to, for a breakdown example.

Speaker speaker\_1: Yeah, what's the phone number?

Speaker speaker\_0: Okay. The phone number is 256-8606. Also-

Speaker speaker\_1: Confirming this is the number for the actual carrier, 256-8606.

Speaker speaker\_0: Yes, sir. Okay. So you could have, you could have-

Speaker speaker\_1: Mm-hmm.

Speaker speaker\_0: ... the member give us a call, and she could make the direct payment, and she'll be able to use the benefit. They will go back being active.

Speaker speaker\_1: Mm-hmm.

Speaker speaker\_0: All right. You could let her know-

Speaker speaker\_1: Oh, yeah. Thank you.

Speaker speaker\_0: ... that her benefits are not good, and to give us a call.

Speaker speaker\_1: Yeah. So Pamela, just to really confirm, um, that we're on the same page, member is not active for this week, so there's no coverage to be, uh, done?

Speaker speaker\_0: Not for this week, but if she gives us a call and make the direct payment-

Speaker speaker\_1: Yeah.

Speaker speaker\_0: ... she will be able to use the benefits, but as, right now, she's not active.

Speaker speaker\_1: Yeah. So, um, let's say call her friend then, because if this number is not active on your end, then any, um, prior authorization or medical services will not be covered, right?

Speaker speaker\_0: No, but if she calls and make the direct payment, she will-

Speaker speaker\_1: Yeah, I understand that.

Speaker speaker\_0: ... be able to use the benefits.

Speaker speaker\_1: Yeah, I understand that.

Speaker speaker\_0: But as I said, I mean-

Speaker speaker\_1: Yeah. For this week, we're not.

Speaker speaker\_0: ... she could get the service.

Speaker speaker\_1: So she's not active for this week.

Speaker speaker\_0: No. Not-

Speaker speaker\_1: Yeah.

Speaker speaker\_0: ... for sure.

Speaker speaker\_1: Yeah. I understand that she needs to call if you, she wants to be active. So-

Speaker speaker\_0: Yeah.

Speaker speaker\_1: ... she's not active for this week, so there's no coverage to be done. So can I get the caller reference?

Speaker speaker\_0: Right. Can you, can you give me your phone, your name once again?

Speaker speaker\_1: Red, R-E-D, like the color. S is the first initial to my last name.

Speaker speaker\_0: And the name of the c- uh, the medical that you're calling from?

Speaker speaker\_1: What medical?

Speaker speaker\_0: Can you tell me the, the name of the facility you're calling from?

Speaker speaker\_1: I'm calling on behalf of a doctor's office. Name is Arjumand Hashmi.

Speaker speaker\_0: Give me one second to finish my notes, and I'll provide you with the code, the reference. All right. I'm gonna be giving you letters and numbers. Let me know when you're ready.

Speaker speaker\_1: Sure.

Speaker speaker\_0: So it will be M as in Mary, A as in apple, U as in unicorn, dash, number four, letter J, Q, number six, letter T-Y, number eight, letter C, numbers one and eight.

Speaker speaker\_1: MAU-4JQ6TY8C18.

Speaker speaker\_0: Yes, sir.

Speaker speaker\_1: Thanks. Have a great day, Pamela. Have, have a great weekend.

Speaker speaker\_0: Okay. Thank you. Have a great rest of the day.