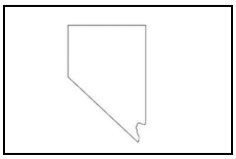
Hepatitis C: State of Medicaid Access Report Card

Nevada



Grade	Recommendations to Improve Patient Access
B	• Remove prior authorization for HCV treatment. • Ensure transparency and parity across FFS and MCOs regarding HCV coverage criteria.

State Overview

As of July 2026, 712, 395 individuals were enrolled in Medicaid and CHIP in Nevada.[1] Nevada Medicaid contracts with five managed care organizations (MCOs): Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield, CareSource Healthcare, Health Plan of Nevada, Molina Healthcare of Nevada, and SilverSummit Healthplan.[2] Nevada Medicaid transitioned to a Single Preferred Drug List (sPDL) in January 2026, with a transition period through June 30, 2026.[3] In a federal analysis of 2023-2024 Medicaid claims data, only 19% of Nevada adult Medicaid beneficiaries newly identified with HCV received timely HCV treatment.[4]

The Nevada Medicaid Preferred Drug List designates Mavyret and sofosbuvir/velpatasvir as preferred HCV treatment regimens.[5]

Deductions		Policy
Prior Authorization	-8	Prior authorization is required for all HCV treatment regimens.[6]
Fibrosis Restrictions		Nevada Medicaid does not impose fibrosis restrictions.[7]
Substance Use Restrictions		Nevada Medicaid does not impose substance use restrictions.[8]
Prescriber Restrictions		Nevada Medicaid does not impose prescriber restrictions.[9]
Retreatment Restrictions		Nevada Medicaid does not impose retreatment restrictions.[10]
Access in Managed Care	-8	All MCOs (Health Plan of Nevada[11], SilverSummit,[12] Molina Healthcare of Nevada,[13]Anthem,[14] and CareSource[15] publish a preferred drug list and/or clinical criteria, but do not publicly publish a prior authorization form.
Additional Restrictions		Nevada Medicaid does not appear to impose additional restrictions.[16]
Total Deductions -16	**Total Score [100-Deductions]** 84	**Grade** B

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