

The following is general information regarding Pet Scans, please check with the facility for specific instructions.

Many insurance companies require an authorization number prior to your scan. Our office will obtain one for you. However, if you have Horizon, Aetna, Oxford of Healthnet, you will be required to call Care Core to obtain the authorization number. Our office will instruct you when to call.

Horizon – 866-969-1234

Aetna – 800-792-8793

Oxford & Healthnet – you can call either of the above numbers.

If you do not call Care Core, your claim may be denied.

- Most facilities require that you fast 4-6 hours prior to your Pet Scan, however, these rules do vary.
- Many facilities also require that you drink 24 ounces of water before this scan. Again, check with our office or the facility.
- Authorization is needed from all insurance companies for a Pet Scan, except for traditional Medicare.