

## ABRYSVO

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### Products Affected

- ABRYSVO

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	Non-pregnant individuals: 60 years of age or older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	3 months
Other Criteria	The patient has not already received an RSV vaccine. For Pregnant Individuals: patient is between 32 through 36 weeks gestational age
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ACITRETIN

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## Products Affected

- *acitretin oral capsule 10 mg, 17.5 mg, 25 mg*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	12 months
Other Criteria	For initial therapy in the treatment of psoriasis: trial and failure, contraindication, or intolerance to methotrexate or cyclosporine is required. For continuation of therapy, approve if patient has already been started on Acitretin.
Indications	All Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ACTIMMUNE

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## Products Affected

- ACTIMMUNE

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	12 months
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ADEMPAS

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## Products Affected

- ADEMPAS

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Concurrent Use with Phosphodiesterase Inhibitors Used for Pulmonary Hypertension or Other Soluble Guanylate Cyclase Stimulators.
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	PAH and CTEPH- must be prescribed by or in consultation with a cardiologist or a pulmonologist.
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	For PAH - must have PAH (WHO Group 1) and had a right heart catheterization to confirm the diagnosis of PAH (WHO Group 1).
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# AJOVY

## Products Affected

- AJOVY AUTOINJECTOR
- AJOVY SYRINGE

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Combination therapy with Aimovig, Vyepti or Emgality
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, number of migraine headaches per month, prior therapies tried
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Approve if the patient meets the following criteria (A and B): A) Patient has greater than or equal to 4 migraine headache days per month (prior to initiating a migraine-preventative medication), AND B) Patient has tried at least one standard prophylactic pharmacologic therapy (e.g., anticonvulsant, beta-blocker) and has had inadequate response or the patient has a contraindication to other prophylactic pharmacologic therapies according to the prescribing physician. A patient who has already tried an oral or injectable calcitonin gene-related peptide (CGRP) inhibitor indicated for the prevention of migraine or Botox (onabotulinumtoxinA injection) for the prevention of migraine is not required to try two standard prophylactic pharmacologic therapies.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# AKEEGA

## Products Affected

- AKEEGA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Prostate cancer- Approve if the patient meets the following (A, B, C, and D): A)Patient has metastatic castration-resistant prostate cancer, AND B)Patient has a BReast CAncer (BRCA) mutation, AND C)The medication is used in combination with prednisone, AND D)Patient meets one of the following (i or ii): i. The medication is used concurrently with a gonadotropin-releasing hormone (GnRH) analog, Note: Examples are leuprolide acetate, Lupron Depot (leuprolide acetate intramuscular injection), Trelstar (triptorelin pamoate intramuscular injection), Zoladex (goserelin acetate subcutaneous implant), Vantas (histrelin acetate subcutaneous implant), Firmagon (degarelix acetate subcutaneous injection), and Orgovyx (relugolix tablets).OR ii. Patient has had a bilateral orchiectomy.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ALDURAZYME

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## Products Affected

- ALDURAZYME

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, genetic and lab test results
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a geneticist, endocrinologist, a metabolic disorder sub-specialist, or a physician who specializes in the treatment of lysosomal storage disorders
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Approve if the patient has a laboratory test demonstrating deficient alpha-L-iduronidase activity in leukocytes, fibroblasts, plasma, or serum OR has a molecular genetic test demonstrating alpha-L-iduronidase gene mutation
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ALECENSA

## Products Affected

- ALECENSA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Non-small cell lung cancer-approve if the patient has advanced or metastatic disease and anaplastic lymphoma kinase (ALK)-positive disease as detected by an approved test. Anaplastic large cell lymphoma-approve if the patient has anaplastic lymphoma kinase (ALK)-positive disease and (i or ii): (i) the medication is used for palliative-intent therapy, or (ii) pt has relapsed or refractory disease. Erdheim-Chester disease-approve if the patient has anaplastic lymphoma kinase (ALK) rearrangement/fusion-positive disease. Inflammatory Myofibroblastic Tumor- pt has anaplastic lymphoma kinase (ALK)-positive disease AND (i or ii): (i) pt has advanced, recurrent or metastatic disease, or (ii) tumor is inoperable. Large B-Cell Lymphoma- pt has ALK-positive disease AND pt has relapsed or refractory disease.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Anaplastic large cell lymphoma, Erdheim Chester disease, Inflammatory Myofibroblastic Tumor, Large B-Cell Lymphoma
Part B Prerequisite	No



# ALOSETRON

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## Products Affected

- *alosetron*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Alosetron will not be approved for use in men, as safety and efficacy in men has not been established.
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	12 months
Other Criteria	Alosetron is considered medically necessary for the treatment of severe IBS-D. At least one of the following must be present for diarrhea to be considered severe: frequent and severe abdominal pain or discomfort, frequent bowel urgency or fecal incontinence, and disability or restriction of daily activities due to IBS.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ALPHA 1 PROTEINASE INHIBITORS

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## Products Affected

- GLASSIA
- PROLASTIN-C INTRAVENOUS SOLUTION
- ZEMAIRA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Alpha1-Antitrypsin Deficiency with Emphysema (or Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease)-approve if the patient has a baseline (pretreatment) AAT serum concentration of less than 80 mg/dL or 11 micromol/L. For all covered diagnoses, patients are required to try Prolastin C or Glassia prior to approval of Zemaira.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ALUNBRIG

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## Products Affected

- ALUNBRIG

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	ALK status
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Erdheim-Chester disease-approve if the patient has anaplastic lymphoma kinase (ALK) rearrangement/fusion-positive disease. Inflammatory myofibroblastic tumor (IMT)-approve if the patient has ALK positive disease and has advanced, recurrent or metastatic disease or the tumor is inoperable. NSCLC, must be ALK-positive, as detected by an approved test, have advanced or metastatic disease and patients new to therapy must have a trial of Alecensa prior to approval of Alunbrig.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Erdheim-Chester disease, Inflammatory myofibroblastic tumor (IMT)
Part B Prerequisite	No

# AMBRISENTAN

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## Products Affected

- *ambrisentan*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Pulmonary arterial hypertension (PAH) WHO Group 1-results of right heart cath
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	For treatment of pulmonary arterial hypertension, ambrisentan must be prescribed by or in consultation with a cardiologist or a pulmonologist.
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	Pulmonary arterial hypertension (PAH) WHO Group 1, are required to have had a right-heart catheterization to confirm diagnosis of PAH to ensure appropriate medical assessment.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ANTIBIOTICS (INJECTABLE)

## Products Affected

- *amikacin injection solution 1,000 mg/4 ml, 500 mg/2 ml*
- *ampicillin sodium*
- *ampicillin-sulbactam*
- *azithromycin intravenous*
- *aztreonam*
- *BICILLIN L-A*
- *cefepime intravenous*
- *cefoxitin*
- *CEFOXITIN IN DEXTROSE, ISO-OSM*
- *ceftazidime*
- *cefuroxime sodium injection recon soln 750 mg*
- *cefuroxime sodium intravenous*
- *ciprofloxacin in 5 % dextrose*
- *CLINDAMYCIN IN 0.9 % SOD CHLOR*
- *clindamycin in 5 % dextrose*
- *clindamycin phosphate injection*
- *colistin (colistimethate na)*
- *doxy-100*
- *doxycycline hyclate intravenous*
- *erythrocine intravenous recon soln 500 mg*
- *EXTENCILLINE*
- *gentamicin in nacl (iso-osm) intravenous piggyback 100 mg/100 ml, 100 mg/50 ml, 120 mg/100 ml, 60 mg/50 ml, 80 mg/100 ml, 80 mg/50 ml*
- *gentamicin injection solution 40 mg/ml*
- *gentamicin sulfate (ped) (pf)*
- *levofloxacin in d5w*
- *lincomycin*
- *linezolid in dextrose 5%*
- *LINEZOLID-0.9% SODIUM CHLORIDE*
- *METRO I.V.*
- *metronidazole in nacl (iso-os)*
- *MOXIFLOXACIN-SOD.ACE,SUL-WATER*
- *moxifloxacin-sod.chloride(iso)*
- *NAFCILLIN IN DEXTROSE ISO-OSM*
- *nafcillin injection*
- *NUZYRA INTRAVENOUS*
- *oxacillin*
- *penicillin g potassium*
- *pfizerpen-g*
- *SIVEXTRO INTRAVENOUS*
- *streptomycin*
- *sulfamethoxazole-trimethoprim intravenous*
- *tazicef*
- *TEFLARO*
- *tigecycline*
- *tobramycin sulfate*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	3 months
<b>Other Criteria</b>	N/A
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

## ANTIFUNGALS (IV)

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### Products Affected

- *caspofungin*
- *fluconazole in nacl (iso-osm)*
- *voriconazole intravenous*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	3 months
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ANTIFUNGALS, POLYENE

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## Products Affected

- ABELCET
- *amphotericin b*
- *amphotericin b liposome*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	6 months
Other Criteria	B vs D coverage determination
Indications	All Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No



# ANTINEOPLASTICS, MONOCLONAL ANTIBODIES

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## Products Affected

- ABRAXANE
- ADCETRIS
- *adstiladrin*
- ALIQOPA
- BAVENCIO
- BESPONSA
- BLENREP
- BORTEZOMIB INJECTION
- COLUMVI
- CYRAMZA
- DANYELZA
- DARZALEX
- DARZALEX FASPRO
- ELREXFIO
- ELZONRIS
- EMLICITI
- ENHERTU
- EPKINLY
- EVOMELA
- FYARRO
- GAZYVA
- HALAVEN
- IMFINZI
- IMJUDO
- JEMPERLI
- KADCYLA
- KANJINTI
- KEYTRUDA
- KIMMTRAK
- LIBTAYO
- LUNSUMIO
- MARGENZA
- MONJUVI
- MVASI
- MYLOTARG
- OGIVRI
- ONIVYDE
- OPDIVO
- OPDUALAG
- PACLITAXEL PROTEIN-BOUND
- PADCEV
- *pemetrexed disodium intravenous recon soln*
- PERJETA
- PHESGO
- POLIVY
- POTELIGEO
- RUXIENCE
- RYBREVAANT
- SARCLISA
- TALVEY
- TECENTRIQ
- TECVAYLI
- *thiotepa*
- TIVDAK
- TRAZIMERA
- TRODELVY
- TRUXIMA
- UNITUXIN
- VECTIBIX
- YERVOY
- YONDELIS
- ZEPZELCA
- ZIRABEV
- ZYNLONTA
- ZYNYZ

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	N/A
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	N/A
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	N/A
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	12 months
<b>Other Criteria</b>	B vs D coverage determination
<b>Indications</b>	All Medically-accepted Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# ARCALYST

## Products Affected

- ARCALYST

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Concurrent biologic therapy
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	Initial tx CAPS/Pericarditis-Greater than or equal to 12 years of age.
Prescriber Restrictions	Initial tx CAPS-prescribed by, or in consultation with, a rheumatologist, geneticist, allergist/immunologist, or dermatologist. DIRA initial-rheum, geneticist, dermatologist, or a physician specializing in the treatment of autoinflammatory disorders. Pericarditis-cardiologist or rheum
Coverage Duration	CAPS-3 mos initial, 1 yr cont. DIRA-6 mos initial, 1 yr cont. Pericard-3 mos initial, 1 yr cont
Other Criteria	CAPS renewal - approve if the patient has had a response as determined by the prescriber. DIRA initial-approve if the patient weighs at least 10 kg, genetic test confirms a mutation in the IL1RN gene and the patient has demonstrated a clinical benefit with anakinra subcutaneous injection. DIRA cont-approve if the patient has responded to therapy. Pericarditis initial-approve if the patient has recurrent pericarditis AND for the current episode, the patient is receiving standard treatment or standard treatment is contraindicated. Continuation-approve if the patient has had a clinical response.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# AREXVY

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## Products Affected

- AREXVY (PF)

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	60 years of age or older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	3 months
Other Criteria	The patient has not already received an RSV vaccine
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ARIKAYCE

## Products Affected

- ARIKAYCE

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, previous medication history (as described in Other Criteria field)
Age Restrictions	MAC-18 years and older (initial therapy)
Prescriber Restrictions	MAC initial-Prescribed by a pulmonologist, infectious disease physician or a physician who specializes in the treatment of MAC lung infections. Cystic fibrosis-prescribed by or in consultation with a pulmonologist or physician who specializes in the treatment of cystic fibrosis
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	MAC Lung disease, initial-approve if the patient has a positive sputum culture for mycobacterium avium complex and the culture was collected within the past 3 months and was collected after the patient has completed a background multidrug regimen, the Mycobacterium avium complex isolate is susceptible to amikacin according to the laboratory report AND Arikayce will be used in conjunction to a background multidrug regimen. Note-a multidrug regimen typically includes a macrolide (azithromycin or clarithromycin), ethambutol and a rifamycin (rifampin or rifabutin). MAC Lung Disease, continuation-approve if Arikayce will be used in conjunction with a background multidrug regimen AND i. Patient meets ONE of the following criteria (a or b):a)patient has not achieved negative sputum cultures for Mycobacterium avium complex OR b) patient has achieved negative sputum cultures for Mycobacterium avium complex for less than 12 months. Cystic fibrosis-patient has pseudomonas aeruginosa in culture of the airway.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Cystic fibrosis pseudomonas aeruginosa infection

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ATYPICAL ANTIPSYCHOTIC

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## Products Affected

- FANAPT
- paliperidone*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Approve if the patient has tried two of the following: olanzapine, quetiapine fumarate, risperidone, ziprasidone. Approve requests for paliperidone ER in Schizoaffective Disorder without the trial of other treatment.
Indications	All Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# AUGTYRO

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## Products Affected

- AUGTYRO

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer-approve if the patient has locally advanced or metastatic disease, patient has ROS1-positive non-small cell lung cancer and the mutation was detected by an approved test.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No



# AUSTEDO

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## Products Affected

- AUSTEDO
- AUSTEDO XR
- AUSTEDO XR TITRATION KT(WK1-4)

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	Chorea-prescribed by or in consult with a neuro. TD-Prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist or a psychiatrist
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Chorea associated with Huntington's Disease-approve if the diagnosis of Huntington's Disease is confirmed by genetic testing.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# AVONEX

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## Products Affected

- AVONEX

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Concurrent use of other disease-modifying agent used for multiple sclerosis
Required Medical Information	Relapsing form of Multiple Sclerosis (MS), to include, clinically-isolated syndrome, relapsing-remitting disease, and active secondary progressive disease.
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or after consultation with a neurologist or an MS specialist.
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year
Other Criteria	Cont tx-approve if the patient has been established on Avonex.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# AYVAKIT

## Products Affected

- AYVAKIT

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	GIST-approve if the tumor is positive for platelet-derived growth factor receptor alpha (PDGFRA) exon 18 mutation or if the patient has tried two of the following: Gleevec (imatinib), Sutent (sunitinib), Sprycel (dasatinib), Stivarga (regorafenib) or Qinlock (ripretinib). Myeloid/Lymphoid Neoplasms with eosinophilia-approve if the tumor is positive for PDGFRA D842V mutation. Systemic mastocytosis-Approve if the patient has a platelet count greater than or equal to 50,000/mcL and patient has either indolent systemic mastocytosis or one of the following subtypes of advanced systemic mastocytosis-aggressive systemic mastocytosis, systemic mastocytosis with an associated hematological neoplasm or mast cell leukemia.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Myeloid/Lymphoid neoplasms with Eosinophilia
Part B Prerequisite	No

# BALVERSA

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## Products Affected

- BALVERSA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, previous therapies, test results
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Urothelial Carcinoma, locally advanced or metastatic-approve if the patient has susceptible fibroblast growth factor receptor 3 or fibroblast growth factor receptor 2 genetic alterations AND the patient has progressed during or following prior platinum-containing chemotherapy, other chemotherapy or checkpoint inhibitor therapy.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# BENLYSTA

## Products Affected

- BENLYSTA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Concurrent Use with Other Biologics or Lupkynis
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	Diagnosis, medications that will be used in combination, autoantibody status
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	18 years and older (initial).
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	SLE-Prescribed by or in consultation with a rheumatologist, clinical immunologist, nephrologist, neurologist or dermatologist (initial and continuation). Lupus Nephritis-nephrologist or rheum. (Initial/cont)
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	SLE-Initial-4 months, cont-1 year, Lupus Nephritis-6 mo initial, 1 year cont
<b>Other Criteria</b>	<p>Lupus Nephritis Initial-approve if the patient has a diagnosis of lupus nephritis confirmed on biopsy (For example, World Health Organization class III, IV, or V lupus nephritis), AND the medication is being used concurrently with an immunosuppressive regimen (ex: azathioprine, cyclophosphamide, leflunomide, methotrexate, mycophenolate mofetil and/or a systemic corticosteroid). Cont-approve if the medication is being used concurrently with an immunosuppressive regimen (ex: azathioprine, cyclophosphamide, leflunomide, methotrexate, mycophenolate mofetil and/or a systemic corticosteroid) AND the patient has responded to the requested medication.</p> <p>SLE-Initial-The patient has autoantibody-positive SLE, defined as positive for antinuclear antibodies [ANA] and/or anti-double-stranded DNA antibody [anti-dsDNA] AND Benlysta is being used concurrently with at least one other standard therapy (i.e., antimalarials [e.g., hydroxychloroquine], a systemic corticosteroid [e.g., prednisone], and/or other immunosuppressants [e.g., azathioprine, mycophenolate mofetil, methotrexate]) unless the patient is determined to be intolerant due to a significant toxicity, as determined by the prescribing physician.</p> <p>Continuation-Benlysta is being used concurrently with at least one other standard therapy (i.e., antimalarials [e.g., hydroxychloroquine], a systemic corticosteroid [e.g., prednisone], and/or other immunosuppressants [e.g., azathioprine, mycophenolate mofetil, methotrexate]) unless the patient is</p>

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
	determined to be intolerant due to a significant toxicity, as determined by the prescribing physician AND The patient has responded to Benlysta as determined by the prescriber.
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# BESREMI

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## Products Affected

- BESREMI

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Concomitant use with other interferon products
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a hematologist or an oncologist
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# BETASERON

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## Products Affected

- BETASERON SUBCUTANEOUS KIT

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Concurrent use with other disease-modifying agent used for multiple sclerosis
Required Medical Information	Relapsing form of Multiple Sclerosis (MS), to include, clinically-isolated syndrome, relapsing-remitting disease, and active secondary progressive disease.
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or after consultation with a neurologist or an MS specialist.
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No



# BEXAROTENE (ORAL)

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## Products Affected

- *bexarotene*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist or dermatologist (initial and continuation)
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# BOSULIF

## Products Affected

- BOSULIF

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis. For CML/ALL, the Philadelphia chromosome (Ph) status of the leukemia must be reported. For ALL prior therapies tried.
Age Restrictions	CML- 1 year and older. ALL, myeloid/lymphoid neoplasms w eosinophilia- 18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 3 years.
Other Criteria	For Ph-positive CML-patients new to therapy must have tried Sprycel and had an inadequate response or significant intolerance or have a contraindication or are not a candidate for Sprycel. For Ph-positive ALL, patients new to therapy must have tried Sprycel and had an inadequate response or significant intolerance or have a contraindication or are not a candidate for Sprycel.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Patients with Philadelphia chromosome positive Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia, myeloid/lymphoid neoplasms with eosinophilia
Part B Prerequisite	No

# BOTOX

## Products Affected

- BOTOX

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	cosmetic uses (eg, facial rhytides, frown lines, glabellar wrinkling, horizontal neck rhytides, mid and lower face and neck rejuvenation, platysmal bands, rejuvenation of the peri-orbital region)
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	N/A
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	N/A
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	Migraine headache prevention if prescribed by, or after consultation with, a neurologist or HA specialist.
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	Authorization will be for 12 months
<b>Other Criteria</b>	Blepharospasm Associated with Dystonia, benign essential blepharospasm, seventh (VII) nerve disorder or Strabismus-approve. Cervical Dystonia (spasmodic torticollis)-approve. Hyperhidrosis, primary axillary-approve. Chronic low back pain after trial with at least 2 other pharmacologic therapies (eg, NSAID, antispasmodics, muscle relaxants, opioids, antidepressants) and if being used as part of a multimodal therapeutic pain management program. Essential tremor after a trial with at least 1 other pharmacologic therapy (eg, primidone, propranolol, benzodiazepines, gabapentin, topiramate). Migraine Headache prevention -must have 15 or more migraine headache days per month with headache lasting 4 hours per day or longer (prior to initiation of Botox therapy) AND have tried at least two other prophylactic pharmacologic therapies, each from a different pharmacologic class (e.g., beta-blocker, anticonvulsant, tricyclic antidepressant) and experienced inadequate efficacy or adverse events severe enough to warrant discontinuation of both therapies. If the patient is currently taking Botox for migraine headache prevention, patient must have had a significant clinical benefit. Urinary incontinence associated with a neurological condition (e.g., spinal cord injury, multiple sclerosis) approve after a trial with at least one other pharmacologic therapy (e.g., anticholinergic medication). Overactive Bladder with symptoms of Urge Urinary Incontinence, Urgency and Frequency-approve if the patient has

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
	tried at least one other pharmacologic therapy. Spasticity, limb-approve. Pediatric Neurogenic Detrusor Overactivity (NDO)- approve if pt tried at least one other pharmacologic therapy.
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	Achalasia, Anal Fissure, Chronic facial pain/pain associated with TMJ dysfunction, Chronic low back pain, Hyperhidrosis (Palmar/Plantar, facial), Myofascial pain, Sialorrhea (chronic), Spasticity (other than lower and upper limb (eg, due to cerebral palsy, stroke, brain injury, spinal cord injury, MS, hemifacial spasm)), Essential tremor, Dystonia other than cervical (eg, focal dystonias, tardive dystonia, anismus, laryngeal dystonia/spasmodic dysphonia) Hyperhidrosis -Gustatory (Frey's Syndrome), Ophthalmic disorders (other than blepharospasm or Strabismus (eg, esotropia, exotropia, nystagmus, facial nerve paresis))
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# BRAFTOVI

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## Products Affected

- BRAFTOVI

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, BRAF V600 status
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Melanoma - approve if the patient has unresectable, advanced or metastatic melanoma AND has a BRAF V600 mutation. Colon or Rectal cancer- approve if the patient meets the following (A, B, and C): A) The patient has BRAF V600E mutation-positive disease AND B) The patient has previously received a chemotherapy regimen for colon or rectal cancer AND C) The agent is prescribed as part of a combination regimen for colon or rectal cancer. NSCLC- approve if pt has BRAF V600E mutation-positive metastatic disease AND this medication will be taken in combination with Mektovi (binimetinib tablets).
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# BRUKINSA

## Products Affected

- BRUKINSA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, prior therapies
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Follicular Lymphoma - approve if pt tried at least two other systemic regimens and will use this in combination with Gazyva (obinutuzumab intravenous infusion). Mantle Cell Lymphoma - approve if pt meets (i, ii or iii): (i) the patient has tried at least one systemic regimen or (ii) patient is not a candidate for a systemic regimen (i.e., an elderly patient who is frail) or (iii) medication is being used in combination with rituximab as pre-treatment in order to limit the number of cycles of induction therapy with RHyperCVAD regimen (rituximab, cyclophosphamide, vincristine, doxorubicin, and dexamethasone). Chronic lymphocytic leukemia/small lymphocytic lymphoma-approve. Marginal zone lymphoma-approve if the patient has tried at least one systemic regimen. Waldenstrom macroglobulinemia/lymphoplasmacytic lymphoma-approve. Hairy Cell Leukemia - approve if pt has received therapy for relapsed or refractory disease AND pt has progressive disease.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Hairy Cell Leukemia
Part B Prerequisite	No

# BUPRENORPHINE

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## Products Affected

- *buprenorphine hcl sublingual*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis of opioid use disorder
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Induction therapy: 1 month. Pregnancy/intolerance to naloxone: 12 months
Other Criteria	For opioid dependence: The use of buprenorphine for maintenance therapy should be limited to patients who have experienced an intolerance to naloxone or require buprenorphine during pregnancy.
Indications	All Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# CABOMETYX

## Products Affected

- CABOMETYX

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, histology, RET gene rearrangement status for NSCLC
Age Restrictions	Thyroid carcinoma-12 years and older, other dx (except bone cancer)-18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	3 years
Other Criteria	Renal Cell Carcinoma-Approve if the patient has relapsed or stage IV disease. Bone cancer-approve if the patient has Ewing sarcoma or osteosarcoma and has tried at least one previous systemic regimen. Thyroid carcinoma-approve if the patient has differentiated thyroid carcinoma, patient is refractory to radioactive iodine therapy and the patient has tried a vascular endothelial growth factor receptor (VEGFR)-targeted therapy. Endometrial carcinoma-approve if the patient has tried one systemic regimen. GIST-approve if the patient has tried two of the following- imatinib, Ayvakit, sunitinib, dasatinib, Stivarga or Qinlock. NSCLC- approve if the patient has RET rearrangement positive tumor.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Patients with Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer, Gastrointestinal stromal tumors (GIST), Bone cancer, Endometrial Carcinoma
Part B Prerequisite	No



# CALQUENCE

## Products Affected

- CALQUENCE
- CALQUENCE (ACALABRUTINIB MAL)

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	CLL and SLL-approve. Mantle Cell Lymphoma- approve if the patient has tried at least one systemic regimen or is not a candidate for a systemic regimen (e.g., rituximab, dexamethasone, cytarabine, carboplatin, cisplatin, oxaliplatin, cyclophosphamide, doxorubicin, vincristine, prednisone, methotrexate, bendamustine, bortezomib, or lenalidomide). Marginal Zone Lymphoma-approve if patient has tried at least one systemic regimen (e.g., bendamustine, rituximab, cyclophosphamide, doxorubicin, vincristine, prednisone, lenalidomide, or chlorambucil). Waldenstrom Macroglobulinemia/Lymphoplasmacytic Lymphoma-approve if the patient has tried at least one systemic regimen (e.g., Brukinsa [zanubrutinib capsules], Imbruvica [ibrutinib tablets and capsules], rituximab, bendamustine, cyclophosphamide, dexamethasone, bortezomib, fludarabine, or cladribine)
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Waldenstrom's Macroglobulinemia/Lymphoplasmacytic Lymphoma, Marginal zone lymphoma.
Part B Prerequisite	No

# CAPRELSA

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## Products Affected

- CAPRELSA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	MTC - approve. DTC - approve if refractory to radioactive iodine therapy.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Differentiated (i.e., papillary, follicular, and Hurthle) Thyroid Carcinoma.
Part B Prerequisite	No

# CARGLUMIC ACID

## Products Affected

- *carglumic acid*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a metabolic disease specialist or a specialist who focuses in the treatment of metabolic diseases
Coverage Duration	NAGS-Pt meets criteria no genetic test-3 mo. Pt had genetic test-12 mo, other-approve 7 days
Other Criteria	N-Acetylglutamate synthase deficiency with hyperammonemia-Approve if genetic testing confirmed a mutation leading to N-acetylglutamate synthase deficiency or if the patient has hyperammonemia. Propionic Acidemia or Methylmalonic Acidemia with Hyperammonemia, Acute Treatment-approve if the patient's plasma ammonia level is greater than or equal to 50 micromol/L and the requested medication will be used in conjunction with other ammonia-lowering therapies.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Acute hyperammonemia due to propionic acidemia (PA) or methylmalonic acidemia (MMA) (generic carglumic acid)
Part B Prerequisite	No

# CAYSTON

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## Products Affected

- CAYSTON

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a pulmonologist or a physician who specializes in the treatment of cystic fibrosis.
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Approve if the patient has <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i> in culture of the airway (e.g., sputum culture, oropharyngeal culture, bronchoalveolar lavage culture).
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# CEREZYME

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## Products Affected

- CEREZYME INTRAVENOUS RECON  
SOLN 400 UNIT

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, genetic tests and lab results
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a geneticist, endocrinologist, a metabolic disorder sub-specialist, or a physician who specializes in the treatment of lysosomal storage disorder
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Gaucher Disease, Type 1-approve if there is demonstration of deficient beta-glucocerebrosidase activity in leukocytes or fibroblasts OR molecular genetic testing documenting glucocerebrosidase gene mutation
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# CHEMET

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## Products Affected

- CHEMET

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Blood lead level
Age Restrictions	Approve in patients between the age of 12 months and 18 years
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a professional experienced in the use of chelation therapy (eg, a medical toxicologist or a poison control center specialist)
Coverage Duration	Approve for 2 months
Other Criteria	Approve if Chemet is being used to treat acute lead poisoning (not as prophylaxis) and prior to starting Chemet therapy the patient's blood lead level was greater than 45 mcg/dL.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# CHENODAL

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## Products Affected

- CHENODAL

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year
Other Criteria	For the treatment of gallstones, approve if the patient has tried or is currently using an ursodiol product.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# CHORIONIC GONADOTROPIN

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## Products Affected

- CHORIONIC GONADOTROPIN,  
HUMAN INTRAMUSCULAR

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 12 months
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No



# CLOBAZAM

## Products Affected

- *clobazam*
- SYMPAZAN

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, other medications tried
Age Restrictions	2 years and older (initial therapy)
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist (initial therapy)
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Lennox-Gastaut Syndrome, initial therapy-patient has tried and/or is concomitantly receiving one of the following: lamotrigine, topiramate, rufinamide, felbamate, Fintepla, Epidiolex or valproic acid. Treatment refractory seizures/epilepsy, initial therapy-patient has tried and/or is concomitantly receiving at least two other antiepileptic drugs (e.g., valproic acid, lamotrigine, topiramate, clonazepam, levetiracetam, zonisamide, felbamate). Continuation-prescriber confirms patient is responding to therapy.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Dravet Syndrome and treatment-refractory seizures/epilepsy
Part B Prerequisite	No

# COMETRIQ

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## Products Affected

- COMETRIQ

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis.
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 3 years.
Other Criteria	MTC - approve. Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer with RET Gene Rearrangements - approve. Differentiated (i.e., papillary, follicular, and Hurthle) Thyroid Carcinoma-approve if the patient's carcinoma is refractory to radioactive iodine therapy and patient has tried a Vascular Endothelial Growth Factor Receptor (VEGFR)-targeted therapy.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer with RET Gene Rearrangements, Differentiated (i.e., papillary, follicular, and Hurthle) Thyroid Carcinoma
Part B Prerequisite	No

# COPIKTRA

## Products Affected

- COPIKTRA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, previous therapies
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia/ Small Lymphocytic Lymphoma - approve if the patient has tried one systemic regimen (e.g., Imbruvica (ibrutinib capsules, tablets and oral solution), Venclexta (venetoclax tablets), rituximab, Gazyva (obinutuzumab intravenous infusion), chlorambucil, fludarabine, cyclophosphamide, bendamustine, high-dose methylprednisolone, Campath (alemtuzumab intravenous infusion), Calquence (acalabrutinib capsules), Brukinsa (zanubrutinib capsules), or Arzerra (ofatumumab intravenous infusion). T-cell lymphoma- For peripheral T-cell lymphoma, approve. For breast implant-associated anaplastic large cell lymphoma, or hepatosplenic T-cell lymphoma, approve if the patient has relapsed or refractory disease.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	T-cell Lymphoma
Part B Prerequisite	No

# CORLANOR

## Products Affected

- CORLANOR ORAL TABLET

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	CHF: Previous use of a Beta-blocker, LVEF. IST: Previous use of a Beta-blocker
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	12 months
Other Criteria	Chronic HF, adults- must have LVEF of less than or equal 35 percent (currently or prior to initiation of Corlanor therapy) AND tried or is currently receiving a Beta-blocker for HF (e.g., metoprolol succinate sustained-release, carvedilol, bisoprolol, carvedilol ER) unless the patient has a contraindication to the use of beta blocker therapy (e.g., bronchospastic disease such as COPD and asthma, severe hypotension or bradycardia). Heart failure due to dilated cardiomyopathy, children-approve. IST - tried or is currently receiving a Beta-blocker unless the patient has a contraindication to the use of beta blocker therapy (e.g., bronchospastic disease such as COPD and asthma, severe hypotension or bradycardia).
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	inappropriate sinus tachycardia (IST)
Part B Prerequisite	No

# COTELLIC

## Products Affected

- COTELLIC

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Melanoma initial - must have BRAF V600 mutation.
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Melanoma (unresectable, advanced or metastatic) - being prescribed in combination with Zelboraf. CNS Cancer-approve if the patient has BRAF V600 mutation-positive disease AND medication is being used for one of the following situations (i, ii, or iii): i. Adjuvant treatment of one of the following conditions (a, b, or c): a) Pilocytic astrocytoma OR b) Pleomorphic xanthoastrocytoma OR c) Ganglioglioma OR ii. Recurrent or progressive disease for one of the following conditions (a, b, c or d): a) glioma OR b) isocitrate dehydrogenase-2 (IDH2)-mutant astrocytoma OR c) Glioblastoma or d) Oligodendroglioma OR iii. Melanoma with brain metastases AND medication with be taken in combination with Zelboraf (vemurafenib tablets). Histiocytic Neoplasm-approve if the patient meets one of the following (i, ii, or iii): i. Patient has Langerhans cell histiocytosis and one of the following (a, b, or c): a) Multisystem disease OR b) Pulmonary disease OR c) Central nervous system lesions OR ii. Patient has Erdheim Chester disease OR iii. Patient has Rosai-Dorfman disease AND C) Patient has BRAF V600 mutation-positive disease.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Central Nervous System Cancer
Part B Prerequisite	No

# CYSTEAMINE (OPHTHALMIC)

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## Products Affected

- CYSTARAN

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with an ophthalmologist or a metabolic disease specialist or specialist who focuses in the treatment of metabolic diseases
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Approve if the patient has corneal cysteine crystal deposits confirmed by slit-lamp examination
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# DALFAMPRIDINE

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## Products Affected

- *dalfampridine*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	18 years and older (initial and continuation therapy)
Prescriber Restrictions	MS. If prescribed by, or in consultation with, a neurologist or MS specialist (initial and continuation).
Coverage Duration	Initial-4months, Continuation-1 year.
Other Criteria	Initial-approve if the patient is ambulatory, the requested medication is being used to improve or maintain mobility in a patient with MS and the patient has impaired ambulation as evaluated by an objective measure (e.g., timed 25 foot walk and multiple sclerosis walking scale-12). Continuation-approve if the patient is ambulatory, the requested medication is being used to improve or maintain mobility in a patient with MS and the patient has responded to or is benefiting from therapy.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# DAURISMO

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## Products Affected

- DAURISMO

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, medications that will be used in combination, comorbidities
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	AML - approve if Daurismo will be used in combination with cytarabine.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No



# DEFERASIROX

## Products Affected

- *deferasirox oral tablet, dispersible*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Serum ferritin level
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a hematologist
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Transfusion-related chronic iron overload, initial therapy - approve if the patient is receiving blood transfusions at regular intervals for various conditions (eg, thalassemia syndromes, myelodysplastic syndrome, chronic anemia, sickle cell disease) AND prior to starting therapy, the serum ferritin level is greater than 1,000 mcg/L. Non-transfusion-dependent thalassemia syndromes chronic iron overload, initial therapy - approve if prior to starting therapy the serum ferritin level is greater than 300 mcg/L. Continuation therapy - approve if the patient is benefiting from therapy as confirmed by the prescribing physician.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# DERMATOLOGICAL WOUND CARE AGENTS

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## Products Affected

- REGRANEX

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	12 months
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# DICLOFENAC

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## Products Affected

- *diclofenac sodium topical solution in metered-dose pump*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# DIHYDROERGOTAMINE MESYLATE

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## Products Affected

- *dihydroergotamine nasal*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	3 months
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# DIMETHYL FUMARATE

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## Products Affected

- DIMETHYL FUMARATE

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Concurrent use with other disease-modifying agents used for multiple sclerosis (MS)
Required Medical Information	Relapsing form of Multiple Sclerosis (MS), to include, clinically-isolated syndrome, relapsing-remitting disease, and active secondary progressive disease.
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist or MS specialist.
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	Initial treatment-approve if the patient has Vumerity. Cont tx-approve if the patient has been established on dimethyl fumarate
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# DOPTELET

## Products Affected

- DOPTELET (10 TAB PACK)
- DOPTELET (15 TAB PACK)
- DOPTELET (30 TAB PACK)

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, platelet count, date of procedure (Thrombocytopenia with chronic liver disease)
Age Restrictions	18 years and older (for chronic ITP-initial therapy only)
Prescriber Restrictions	Chronic ITP-prescribed by or after consultation with a hematologist (initial therapy only)
Coverage Duration	Thrombo w/chronic liver disease-5 days, chronic ITP-initial-3 months, cont-1 year
Other Criteria	Thrombocytopenia with chronic liver disease-Approve if the patient has a current platelet count less than 50 x 10 <sup>9</sup> /L AND the patient is scheduled to undergo a procedure within 10 to 13 days after starting Doptelet therapy. Chronic ITP, initial-approve if the patient has a platelet count less than 30,000 microliters or less than 50,000 microliters and is at an increased risk of bleeding and has tried one other therapy or if the patient has undergone splenectomy. Continuation-approve if the patient demonstrates a beneficial clinical response and remains at risk for bleeding complications.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# DROXIDOPA

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## Products Affected

- *droxidopa*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Medication history (as described in Other Criteria field)
Age Restrictions	18 years of age and older
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a cardiologist or a neurologist
Coverage Duration	12 months
Other Criteria	NOH, approve if the patient meets ALL of the following criteria: a) Patient has been diagnosed with symptomatic NOH due to primary autonomic failure (Parkinson's disease, multiple system atrophy, pure autonomic failure), dopamine beta-hydroxylase deficiency, or non-diabetic autonomic neuropathy, AND b) Patient has tried midodrine.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# DUAVEE

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## Products Affected

- DUAVEE

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	12 months
Other Criteria	For the prevention of postmenopausal osteoporosis, trial, failure, or intolerance of raloxifene is required prior to the use of Duavee.
Indications	All Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No



# DUPIXENT

## Products Affected

- DUPIXENT PEN
- DUPIXENT SYRINGE

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Concurrent use with Xolair or another Anti-interleukin (IL) Monoclonal Antibody (i.e., Adbry, Cinqair, Fasenra, Nucala, Tezspire, or Xolair). Concurrent use with Janus Kinase Inhibitors (JAKis) [oral or topical].
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	Diagnosis, prescriber specialty, other medications tried and length of trials
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	AD-6 months and older, asthma-6 years of age and older, Esophagitis-1 yr and older, Chronic Rhinosinusitis/Prurigo nodularis-18 and older
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	Atopic Dermatitis/prurigo nodularis-Prescribed by or in consultation with an allergist, immunologist or dermatologist, asthma-prescribed by or in consultation with an allergist, immunologist or pulmonologist. Rhinosinusitis-prescribed by or in consultation with an allergist, immunologist or otolaryngologist. Esophagitis-presc/consult-allergist or gastro
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	AD-Init-4mo, Cont-1 yr, asthma/Rhinosinusitis/esophagitis/prurigo nod-init-6 mo, cont 1 yr
<b>Other Criteria</b>	AD,Init-pt 2yrs and older-pt meets a and b:a.used at least 1 med,med-high,high, and/or super-high-potency rx top CS OR AD affecting ONLY face,eyes/lids,skin folds,and/or genitalia and tried tacrolimus oint AND b.Inadeq efficacy was demonstrated w/prev tx.AD,Init-pt between 6 mo and less than 2 yr-pt meets a and b:a.used at least 1 med,med-high,high, and/or super-high-potency rx top CS and b.inadeq efficacy was demonstrated w/prev tx OR AD affecting ONLY face,eyes/lids,skin folds,and/or genitalia.Cont-pt responded to Dupixent.Asthma,init-pt meets (i, ii, and iii):i.Pt meets (a or b):a)blood eosinophil greater than or equal to 150 cells per microliter w/in prev 6 wks or within 6 wks prior to tx with any IL tx or Xolair OR b)has oral CS-dependent asthma, AND ii.received combo tx w/following (a and b): a)ICS AND b)1 add asthma control/maint med(NOTE:exception to the requirement for a trial of 1 add asthma controller/maint med can be made if pt already received anti-IL-5 tx or Xolair used concomitantly w/an ICS AND iii.asthma uncontrolled or was uncontrolled prior to starting anti-IL tx or Xolair defined by 1 (a, b, c, d or

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
	<p>e): a)exper 2 or more asthma exacer req tx with systemic CS in prev yr OR b)exper 1 or more asthma exacer requiring hosp or ED/urgent care visit in prev yr OR c)FEV1 less than 80percent predicted OR d)FEV1/FVC less than 0.80 OR e)asthma worsens w/tapering of oral CS tx. Cont-pt meets (i and ii): i. cont to receive tx with 1 ICS or 1 ICS-containing combo inhaler AND ii. has responded to Dupixent. Chronic rhinosinusitis w/nasal polyposis, init-pt receiving tx with an intranasal CS and experi rhinosinusitis symptoms like nasal obstruction, rhinorrhea, or reduction/loss of smell AND meets 1 (a or b): a)received tx w/syst CS w/in prev 2 yrs or has contraindication to systemic CS tx OR b) prior surgery for nasal polyps. Cont-pt cont to receive tx with an intranasal CS and responded to Dupixent. Eosino esoph, init- weighs greater than or equal to 15 kg, has dx of eosino esophagitis confirmed by endoscopic biopsy demonstrating greater than or equal to 15 intraepithelial eosinophils per high-power field, and does not have a secondary cause of eosino esophagitis, and has received at least 8 wks of tx with a Rx strength PPI. Cont-pt received at least 6mo of tx with Dupixent and has experi reduced intraepithelial eosinophil count or decreased dysphagia/pain upon swallowing or reduced frequency/severity of food impaction. Prurigo Nod, init-pt has greater than or equal to 20 nodular lesions and pt has experienced pruritus at least 6 wks, AND pt tried at least 1 high- or super-high-potency Rx topical CS. Cont-pt received at least 6 mo of tx with Dupixent and has experi reduced nodular lesion count, decreased pruritis or reduced nodular lesion size.</p>
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# ELAPRASE

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## Products Affected

- ELAPRASE

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, genetic and lab test results
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a geneticist, endocrinologist, a metabolic disorder sub-specialist, or a physician who specializes in the treatment of lysosomal storage disorders
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Approve if the patient has laboratory test demonstrating deficient iduronate-2-sulfatase activity in leukocytes, fibroblasts, or plasma OR a molecular genetic test demonstrating iduronate-2-sulfatase gene mutation
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ENBREL

## Products Affected

- ENBREL MINI
- ENBREL SUBCUTANEOUS SOLUTION
- ENBREL SUBCUTANEOUS SYRINGE
- ENBREL SURECLICK

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Concurrent use with biologic therapy or targeted synthetic DMARD.
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	Diagnosis, concurrent medications, previous therapies tried.
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	PP-4 years and older (initial therapy)
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	Initial only-RA/AS/JIA/JRA,prescribed by or in consult w/ rheum. PsA, prescribed by or in consultation w/ rheumatologist or dermatologist.PP, prescribed by or in consult w/ dermatologist.GVHD,prescribed by or in consult w/ oncologist,hematologist,or physician affiliated w/ transplant center. Uveitis, prescribed by or in consultation with an ophthalmologist.
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	End of the plan year
<b>Other Criteria</b>	RA/PsA initial, patient has tried one conventional synthetic DMARD for at least 3 months (note: patients who have already had a 3-month trial of a biologic or JAK inhibitor for RA/PsA are not required to step back and try a conventional synthetic DMARD). JIA/JRA-initial-approve if the patient meets ONE of the following: patient has tried one other medication for this condition for at least 3 months (Note: Examples of other medications for JIA include methotrexate, sulfasalazine, or leflunomide, a nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drug (NSAID), biologic or JAK inhibitor) OR patient has aggressive disease. PP initial, approve if the patient meets one of the following criteria: 1) pt has tried at least one traditional systemic agent (eg, MTX, cyclosporine, acitretin, PUVA) for at least 3 months, unless intolerant (note: pts who have already tried a biologic for psoriasis are not required to step back and try a traditional agent first) OR 2) pt has a contraindication to MTX as determined by the prescribing physician. Uveitis initial, tried one of the following: periocular, intraocular, or systemic corticosteroid, immunosuppressives or other biologic therapy. GVHD, approve. Continuation-approve if the patient has had a response as determined by the prescriber. Clinical criteria incorporated into the Enbrel

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
	25 mg quantity limit edit, approve additional quantity (to allow for 50 mg twice weekly dosing) if one of the following is met: 1) Patient has plaque psoriasis, OR 2) Patient has RA/JIA/PsA/AS and is started and stabilized on 50 mg twice weekly dosing, OR 3) Patient has RA and the dose is being increased to 50 mg twice weekly and patient has taken MTX in combination with Enbrel 50 mg once weekly for at least 2 months, unless MTX is contraindicated or intolerant, OR 4) Patient has JIA/PsA/AS and the dose is being increased to 50 mg twice weekly after taking 50 mg once weekly for at least 2 months.
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	Graft versus host disease (GVHD), Uveitis
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# ENDARI

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## Products Affected

- ENDARI

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, prescriber specialty
Age Restrictions	Greater than or equal to 5 years of age
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by, or in consultation with, a physician who specializes in sickle cell disease (e.g., a hematologist)
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# EPCLUSA

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## Products Affected

- EPCLUSA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Combination use with other direct acting antivirals, excluding ribavirin.
Required Medical Information	Genotype (including unknown), prescriber specialty, other medications tried or used in combination with requested medication
Age Restrictions	3 years or older
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a gastroenterologist, hepatologist, infectious diseases physician, or a liver transplant physician
Coverage Duration	Will be c/w AASLD guidance and inclusive of treatment already received for the requested drug
Other Criteria	Criteria will be applied consistent with current AASLD/IDSA guidance.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Indications consistent with current AASLD/IDSA guidance
Part B Prerequisite	No

# EPIDIOLEX

## Products Affected

- EPIDIOLEX

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, previous therapies
Age Restrictions	Patients 1 year and older (initial therapy)
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist (initial therapy)
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Dravet Syndrome-approve if the patient has tried or is concomitantly receiving at least two other antiseizure drugs or if the patient has tried or is concomitantly receiving one of Diacomit or clobazam or Fintepla. Lennox Gastaut Syndrome-approve if the patient has tried or is concomitantly receiving at least two other antiseizure drugs.Tuberous Sclerosis Complex-approve if the patient has tried or is concomitantly receiving at least two other antiseizure drugs. Continuation of therapy-approve if the patient is responding to therapy.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No



# EPOETIN ALFA

## Products Affected

- PROCRIT
- RETACRIT

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	CRF anemia in patients not on dialysis.Hemoglobin (Hb) of less than 10.0 g/dL for adults or less than or equal to 11 g/dL for children to start.Hb less than or equal to 11.5 g/dL for adults or 12 g/dL or less for children if previously on epoetin alfa, Mircera or Aranesp. Anemia w/myelosuppressive chemotx.pt must be currently receiving myelosuppressive chemo as a non-curative treatment and Hb 10.0 g/dL or less to start.Hb less than or equal to 12.0 g/dL if previously on epoetin alfa or Aranesp.MDS, approve if Hb is 10 g/dL or less or serum erythropoietin level is 500 mU/mL or less to start.Previously receiving Aranesp or EA, approve if Hb is 12.0 g/dL or less. Anemia in HIV with zidovudine, Hb is 10.0 g/dL or less or endogenous erythropoietin levels are 500 mU/mL or less at tx start.Previously on EA approve if Hb is 12.0 g/dL or less. Surgical pts to reduce RBC transfusions - Hgb is less than or equal to 13, surgery is elective, nonvascular and non-cardiac and pt is unwilling or unable to donate autologous blood prior to surgery
Age Restrictions	MDS anemia = 18 years of age and older.
Prescriber Restrictions	MDS anemia, myelofibrosis-prescribed by or in consultation with, a hematologist or oncologist.
Coverage Duration	Chemo-6m,Transfus-1m, CKD-1yr, Myelofibrosis-init-3 mo, cont-1 yr, all others-1 yr
Other Criteria	Myelofibrosis-Initial-patient has a Hb less than 10 or serum erythropoietin less than or equal to 500 Mu/mL. Cont-approve if according to the prescriber the patient has had a response. Anemia in patients with chronic renal failure on dialysis - deny under Medicare Part D (claim should be submitted under the ESRD bundled payment benefit).
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Anemia due to myelodysplastic syndrome (MDS), myelofibrosis

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ERIVEDGE

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## Products Affected

- ERIVEDGE

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	BCC (La or Met) - must not have had disease progression while on Odomzo.
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Basal cell carcinoma, locally advanced-patients new to therapy-approve if the patient has tried Odomzo. Central nervous system cancer (this includes brain and spinal cord tumors)-approve if the patient has medulloblastoma, the patient has tried at least one chemotherapy agent and according to the prescriber, the patient has a mutation of the sonic hedgehog pathway. Basal cell carcinoma, metastatic (this includes primary or recurrent nodal metastases and distant metastases)-approve.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Central nervous System Cancer
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ERLEADA

## Products Affected

- ERLEADA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Prostate cancer-non-metastatic, castration resistant and prostate cancer-metastatic, castration sensitive-approve if the requested medication will be used in combination with a gonadotropin-releasing hormone (GnRH) analog [for example: leuprolide acetate, Lupron Depot (leuprolide acetate intramuscular injection), Trelstar (triptorelin pamoate intramuscular injection), Zoladex (goserelin acetate subcutaneous implant), Vantas (histrelin acetate subcutaneous implant), Firmagon (degarelix subcutaneous injection), Orgovyx (relugolix tablets)] or if the patient has had a bilateral orchiectomy.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ERLOTINIB

## Products Affected

- *erlotinib*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year
Other Criteria	Advanced or Metastatic NSCLC, approve if the patient has sensitizing EGFR mutation positive non-small cell lung cancer as detected by an approved test. Note-Examples of sensitizing EGFR mutation-positive non-small cell lung cancer include the following mutations: exon 19 deletions, exon 21 (L858R) substitution mutations, L861Q, G719X and S768I. RCC, approve if the patient has recurrent or advanced non-clear cell histology RCC or if the patient had hereditary leiomyomatosis and renal cell carcinoma and erlotinib will be used in combination with bevacizumab. Bone cancer-chordoma-approve if the patient has chordoma and has tried at least one previous therapy. Pancreatic cancer-approve if the medication is used in combination with gemcitabine and if the patient has locally advanced, metastatic or recurrent disease. Vulvar cancer-approve if the patient has advanced, recurrent or metastatic disease.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Renal Cell Carcinoma, vulvar cancer and Bone Cancer-Chordoma.
Part B Prerequisite	No

# EVEROLIMUS

## Products Affected

- *everolimus (antineoplastic)*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Breast Cancer-HER2 status, hormone receptor (HR) status.
Age Restrictions	All dx except TSC associated SEGA, renal angiomyolipoma or partial onset seizures-18 years and older.
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	<p>Breast Cancer-approve if pt meets ALL the following (A, B, C, D, E, and F):A)pt has recurrent or metastatic,HR+ disease AND B)pt has HER2-negative breast cancer AND C)pt has tried at least 1 prior endocrine therapy AND D)pt meets 1 of the following conditions (i or ii):i.pt is a postmenopausal woman or man OR ii.pt is pre/perimenopausal woman AND is receiving ovarian suppression/ablation with a GnRH agonist, or has had surgical bilateral oophorectomy or ovarian irradiation AND E)pt meets 1 of the following conditions (i or ii): i.Afinitor will be used in combo with exemestane and pt meets 1 of the following:pt is male and is receiving a GnRH analog or pt is a woman or ii. Afinitor will be used in combo with fulvestrant or tamoxifen AND F)pt has not had disease progression while on Afinitor. RCC, relapsed or Stage IV disease-approve if using for non-clear cell disease or if using for clear cell disease, pt has tried 1 prior systemic therapy (e.g., Inlyta, Votrient, Sutent, Cabometyx, Nexavar).TSC Associated SEGA-approve if pt requires therapeutic intervention but cannot be curatively resected. Thymomas and Thymic Carcinomas-approve if pt has tried chemotherapy or cannot tolerate chemotherapy.TSC associated renal angiomyolipoma -approve. WM/LPL -approve if pt has progressive or relapsed disease or if pt has not responded to primary therapy. Thyroid Carcinoma, differentiated-approve if pt is refractory to radioactive iodine therapy. Endometrial Carcinoma-approve if</p>

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
	<p>Afinitor will be used in combo with letrozole. GIST-approve if pt has tried 2 of the following drugs: Sutent, Sprycel, Stivarga, Ayvakit, Qinlock or imatinib AND there is confirmation that Afinitor will be used in combo with 1 of these drugs (Sutent, Stivarga, or imatinib) in the treatment of GIST. TSC-associated partial-onset seizures-approve. NET tumors of the pancreas, GI Tract, Lung and Thymus (carcinoid tumors)-approve. Soft tissue sarcoma-approve if pt has perivascular epithelioid cell tumors (PEComa) or recurrent angiomyolipoma/lymphangiomyomatosis. Classic hodgkin lymphoma-approve if pt has relapsed or refractory disease. Histiocytic neoplasm-approve if pt has Erdheim-Chester disease or, Rosai-Dorfman disease or Langerhans cell histiocytosis. Patient must also have PIK3CA mutation. Meningioma- approve if pt has recurrent or progressive disease AND pt has surgically inaccessible disease and radiation therapy is not possible AND medication will be used in combination with a somatostatin analogue. Uterine Sarcoma-approve if the patient has advanced, recurrent, metastatic, or inoperable disease, AND has a perivascular epithelioid cell tumor (PEComa), AND has tried at least one systemic regimen. Note: Examples of systemic regimen include doxorubicin, docetaxel, gemcitabine, ifosfamide, dacarbazine.</p>
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	<p>neuroendocrine tumors of the thymus (Carcinoid tumors). Soft tissue sarcoma, classical Hodgkin lymphoma, Waldenstroms Macroglobulinemia/Lymphoplasmacytic Lymphoma (WM/LPL), Thymomas and Thymic carcinomas, Differentiated Thyroid Carcinoma, Endometrial Carcinoma, Gastrointestinal Stromal Tumors (GIST), men with breast cancer, Pre-peri-menopausal women with breast cancer, Histiocytic Neoplasm, uterine sarcoma, meningioma</p>
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# EXKIVITY

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## Products Affected

- EXKIVITY

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer (NSCLC)-approve if the patient meets (A, B and C): A) Patient has locally advanced or metastatic NSCLC AND B) Patient has epidermal growth factor receptor (EGFR) exon 20 insertion mutation, as determined by an approved test AND C) Patient has previously tried at least one platinum-based chemotherapy.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No



# EYLEA

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## Products Affected

- EYLEA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Administered by or under the supervision of an ophthalmologist
Coverage Duration	3 years
Other Criteria	BvsD Coverage Determination
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# FARYDAK

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## Products Affected

- FARYDAK

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# FINTEPLA

## Products Affected

- FINTEPLA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	2 years and older (initial therapy)
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with an neurologist (initial therapy)
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Dravet Syndrome-Initial therapy-approve if the patient has tried or is concomitantly receiving at least two other antiepileptic drugs or patient has tried or is concomitantly receiving Epidiolex, Clobazam or Diacomit. Dravet Syndrome-Continuation-approve if the patient is responding to therapy. Lennox-Gastaut Syndrome, initial-approve if the patient has tried or is concomitantly receiving at least two other antiepileptic drugs. Lennox-Gastaut Syndrome, continuation-approve if the patient is responding to therapy.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# FIRDAPSE

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## Products Affected

- FIRDAPSE

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	History of seizures (initial therapy)
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, seizure history, lab and test results
Age Restrictions	6 years and older (initial therapy)
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist or a neuromuscular specialist (initial therapy)
Coverage Duration	Initial-3 months, Cont-1 year
Other Criteria	Initial therapy-Diagnosis confirmed by at least one electrodiagnostic study (e.g., repetitive nerve stimulation) OR anti-P/Q-type voltage-gated calcium channels (VGCC) antibody testing according to the prescribing physician. Continuation-patient continues to derive benefit (e.g., improved muscle strength, improvements in mobility) from Firdapse, according to the prescribing physician.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# FORTEO

## Products Affected

- FORTEO

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Concomitant use with other medications for osteoporosis
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	High risk for fracture-2 yrs, Not high risk-approve a max of 2 yrs of therapy (total)/lifetime.
Other Criteria	Treatment of PMO, approve if pt has tried one oral bisphosphonate OR pt cannot take an oral bisphosphonate because the pt cannot swallow or has difficulty swallowing or the pt cannot remain in an upright position post oral bisphosphonate administration or pt has a pre-existing GI medical condition (eg, patient with esophageal lesions, esophageal ulcers, or abnormalities of the esophagus that delay esophageal emptying [stricture, achalasia]), OR pt has tried an IV bisphosphonate (ibandronate or zoledronic acid), OR pt has severe renal impairment (creatinine clearance less than 35 mL/min) or CKD or pt has had an osteoporotic fracture or fragility fracture. Increase bone mass in men (a man is defined as an individual with the biological traits of a man, regardless of the individual's gender identity or gender expression) with primary or hypogondal osteoporosis/Treatment of GIO, approve if pt tried one oral bisphosphonate OR pt cannot take an oral bisphosphonate because the patient cannot swallow or has difficulty swallowing or the patient cannot remain in an upright position post oral bisphosphonate administration or has a pre-existing GI medical condition (eg, patient with esophageal lesions, esophageal ulcers, or abnormalities of the esophagus that delay esophageal emptying [stricture, achalasia]), OR pt has tried zoledronic acid (Reclast), OR pt has severe renal impairment (CrCL less than 35 mL/min) or has CKD or has had an osteoporotic fracture or fragility fracture. Patients who

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
	have already taken teriparatide for 2 years - approve if the patient is at high risk for fracture.
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# FOTIVDA

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## Products Affected

- FOTIVDA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, other therapies
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	Renal Cell Carcinoma (RCC)-approve if the patient has relapsed or Stage IV disease and has tried at least two other systemic regimens. Note: Examples of systemic regimens for renal cell carcinoma include axitinib tablets, axitinib + pembrolizumab injection, cabozantinib tablets, cabozantinib + nivolumab injection, sunitinib malate capsules, pazopanib tablets, sorafenib tablets, and lenvatinib capsules + everolimus.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# FRUZAQLA

## Products Affected

- FRUZAQLA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years of age and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Colon cancer, rectal cancer, or appendiceal cancer-Approve if the patient meets the following (A and B): A.Patient has advanced or metastatic disease, AND B.Patient has previously been treated with the following (i, ii, and iii): i.Fluoropyrimidine-, oxaliplatin-, and irinotecan-based chemotherapy, Note: Examples of fluoropyrimidine agents include 5-fluorouracil (5-FU) and capecitabine. AND ii.An anti-vascular endothelial growth factor (VEGF) agent, Note: Examples of anti-VEGF agents include bevacizumab. AND iii. If the tumor is RAS wild-type (KRAS wild-type and NRAS wild-type) [that is, the tumor or metastases are KRAS and NRAS mutation negative], the patient meets ONE of the following (a or b): a.According to the prescriber, anti-epidermal growth factor receptor (EGFR) therapy is NOT medically appropriate, OR b. The patient has received an anti-EGFR therapy. Note: Examples of anti-EGFR therapy includes Erbitux (cetuximab intravenous infusion) and Vectibix (panitumumab intravenous infusion).
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Appendiceal cancer
Part B Prerequisite	No



# GATTEX

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## Products Affected

- GATTEX 30-VIAL
- GATTEX ONE-VIAL

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	1 year and older
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a gastroenterologist (initial and continuation)
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Initial-approve if the patient is currently receiving parenteral nutrition on 3 or more days per week or according to the prescriber, the patient is unable to receive adequate total parenteral nutrition required for caloric needs. Continuation-approve if the patient has experienced improvement.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# GAVRETO

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## Products Affected

- GAVRETO

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	NSCLC-18 years and older. thyroid cancer-12 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	NSCLC-approve if the patient has metastatic disease and rearranged during transfection (RET) fusion-positive disease detected by an Food and Drug Administration (FDA) approved test. Thyroid cancer-approve if the patient has rearranged during transfection (RET) fusion-positive disease or RET-mutation positive disease and has anaplastic thyroid cancer or the patient has medullary thyroid cancer or the disease is radioactive iodine-refractory.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Medullary Thyroid Cancer
Part B Prerequisite	No

# GILOTRIF

## Products Affected

- GILOTRIF

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	For NSCLC - EGFR exon deletions or mutations or if NSCLC is squamous cell type
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	NSCLC EGFR pos - For the treatment of advanced or metastatic non small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)-approve if the patient has sensitizing EGFR mutation-positive NSCLC as detected by an approved test. Note: examples of sensitizing EGFR mutation-positive NSCLC include the following mutations : exon 19 deletions, exon 21 (L858R) substitution mutations, L861Q, G719X and S768I. NSCLC metastatic squamous cell must have disease progression after treatment with platinum based chemotherapy. Head and neck cancer-approve if the patient has non-nasopharyngeal head and neck cancer and the patient has disease progression on or after platinum based chemotherapy.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Head and neck cancer
Part B Prerequisite	No

# GLATIRAMER

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## Products Affected

- *glatiramer*
- *glatopa*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Concurrent use with other disease-modifying agent used for multiple sclerosis
Required Medical Information	Relapsing form of Multiple Sclerosis (MS), to include clinically-isolated syndrome, relapsing-remitting disease, and active secondary progressive disease
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or after consultation with a neurologist or an MS specialist.
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# GLP-1 AGONISTS

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## Products Affected

- BYDUREON BCISE MG/3 ML), 1 MG/DOSE (4 MG/3 ML), 2
- MOUNJARO MG/DOSE (8 MG/3 ML)
- OZEMPIC SUBCUTANEOUS PEN INJECTOR 0.25 MG OR 0.5 MG (2
- RYBELSUS
- TRULICITY

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# GONADOTROPIN-RELEASING HORMONE AGONISTS - INJECTABLE LONG ACTING

## Products Affected

- *leuprolide (3 month)*
- *leuprolide subcutaneous kit*
- LUPRON DEPOT
- LUPRON DEPOT (3 MONTH)
- LUPRON DEPOT (4 MONTH)
- LUPRON DEPOT (6 MONTH)
- LUPRON DEPOT-PED
- LUPRON DEPOT-PED (3 MONTH)
- TRIPTODUR

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	Premenstrual disorders - 18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	For the treatment of cancer diagnosis must be prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist. A urologist may also prescribe for prostate cancer.
Coverage Duration	uterine leiomyomata 3 mo.All other=12 mo
Other Criteria	Premenstrual disorders including PMS and PMDD- approve if pt has severe refractory premenstrual symptoms AND pt has tried an SSRI or combined oral contraceptive.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Ovarian cancer including fallopian tube and primary peritoneal cancer, breast cancer, prophylaxis or treatment of uterine bleeding or menstrual suppression in patients with hematologic malignancy or undergoing cancer treatment or prior to bone marrow/stem cell transplantation, head and neck cancer-salivary gland tumors, premenstrual disorders including premenstrual syndrome and premenstrual dysphoric disorder, uterine cancer
Part B Prerequisite	No

# GROWTH HORMONES - GENOTROPIN

## Products Affected

- GENOTROPIN
- GENOTROPIN MINIQICK

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	GHD in Children/Adolescents. Pt meets one of the following-1-had 2 GH stim tests with the following-levodopa, insulin-induced hypoglycemia, arginine, clonidine, or glucagon and both are inadequate as defined by a peak GH response which is below the normal reference range of the testing laboratory OR had at least 1 GH test and results show inadequate response and has at least one risk factor for GHD (e.g., ht for age curve deviated down across 2 major height percentiles [e.g., from above the 25 percentile to below the 10 percentile], growth rate is less than the expected normal growth rate based on age and gender, low IGF-1 and/or IGFBP-3 levels). 2.brain radiation or tumor resection and pt has 1 GH stim test and results is inadequate response or has def in at least 1 other pituitary hormone (that is, ACTH, TSH, gonadotropin deficiency [LH and/or FSH} are counted as 1 def], or prolactin).3. congenital hypopituitarism and has one GH stim test with inadequate response OR def in at least one other pituitary hormone and/or the patient has the imaging triad of ectopic posterior pituitary and pituitary hypoplasia with abnormal pituitary stalk 4.pt has multiple pituitary deficiencies and has 3 or more pituitary hormone deficiencies or pt has had one GH test and results were inadequate 5.pt had a hypophysectomy. Cont-pt responding to therapy
Age Restrictions	ISS 5 y/o or older, SGA 2 y/o or older, SBS 18 y/o or older
Prescriber Restrictions	GHD (Initial tx children or adolescents w/o hypophysectomy), GHD adults or transitional adolescents, Prader Willi (initial for child/adult and cont tx in adults), SHOX (initial), SGA (initial) - prescribed by or in consultation with an endocrinologist. CKD (initial) endocrinologist or nephrologist.
Coverage Duration	ISS - 6 mos initial, 12 months cont tx, SBS-1 month, others 12 mos
Other Criteria	GHD initial in adults and adolescents 1. endocrine must certify not being prescribed for anti-aging or to enhance athletic performance, 2. has either childhood onset or adult onset resulting from GHD alone, multiple hormone deficiency from pituitary dx, hypothalamic dz, pituitary surgery,

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
	<p>cranial radiation tx, tumor treatment, TBI or subarachnoid hemorrhage, AND 3. meets one of the following - A. has known mutations, embryonic lesions, congenital or genetic defects or structural hypothalamic pituitary defects, B. 3 or more pituitary hormone def (ACTH, TSH, LH/FSH, or prolactin, IGF1 less than 84 mcg/L (Esoterix RIA), AND other causes of low serum IGF-1 have been excluded, C. Neg response to ONE preferred GH stim test (insulin peak response less than or equal to 5 mcg/L, Glucagon peak less than or equal to 3 mcg/L (BMI is less than or equal to 25), less than or equal to 3 and BMI is greater than or equal to 25 and less than or equal to 30 with a high pretest probability of GH deficiency, less than or equal to 1 and BMI is greater than or equal to 25 and less than or equal to 30 with a low pretest probability of GH deficiency or less than or equal to 1 mcg/L (BMI is greater than 30), if insulin and glucagon contraindicated then Arginine alone test with peak of less than or equal to 0.4 mcg/L, or Macrilen peak less than 2.8 ng/ml AND BMI is less than or equal to 40 AND if a transitional adolescent must be off tx for at least one month before retesting. Cont tx - endocrine must certify not being prescribed for anti-aging or to enhance athletic performance. ISS initial - baseline ht less than the 1.2 percentile or a standard deviation score (SDS) less than -2.25 for age and gender, open epiphyses, does not have CDGP and height velocity is either growth rate (GR) is a. less than 4 cm/yr for pts greater than or equal to 5 or b. growth velocity is less than 10th percentile for age/gender. Cont tx - prescriber confirms response to therapy. CKD initial - CKD defined by abnormal CrCl. Noonan initial - baseline height less than 5th percentile. PW cont tx in adults or adolescents who don't meet child requir - physician certifies not being used for anti-aging or to enhance athletic performance. SHOX initial - SHOX def by chromo analysis, open epiphyses, height less than 3rd percentile for age/gender. SGA initial -baseline ht less than 5th percentile for age/gender and born SGA (birth weight/length that is more than 2 SD below mean for gestational age/gender and didn't have sufficient catch up growth by 2-4 y/o). Cont tx - prescriber confirms response to therapy. Cont Tx for CKD, Noonan, PW in child/adolescents, SHOX, and TS - prescriber confirms response to therapy. SBS initial pt receiving specialized nutritional support. Cont tx - 2nd course if pt responded to tx with a decrease in the requirement for specialized nutritional support.</p>
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	SHOX, SBS, CKD
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No



# HAEGARDA

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## Products Affected

- HAEGARDA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	prescribed by or in consultation with an allergist/immunologist or a physician that specializes in the treatment of HAE or related disorders
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Hereditary Angioedema (HAE) Due to C1 Inhibitor (C1-INH) Deficiency [Type I or Type II], Prophylaxis, Initial Therapy: approve if the patient has HAE type I or type II confirmed by low levels of functional C1-INH protein (less than 50 percent of normal) at baseline and lower than normal serum C4 levels at baseline. Patient is currently taking for prophylaxis - approve if the patient meets the following criteria (i and ii): i) patient has a diagnosis of HAE type I or II, and ii) according to the prescriber, the patient has had a favorable clinical response since initiating prophylactic therapy compared with baseline.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# HARVONI

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## Products Affected

- HARVONI

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Combination use with other direct acting antivirals, excluding ribavirin
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	3 years or older
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation w/ GI, hepatologist, ID, or a liver transplant MD
Coverage Duration	Will be c/w AASLD guidance and inclusive of treatment already received for the requested drug
Other Criteria	Criteria will be applied consistent with current AASLD/IDSA guidance.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Indications consistent with current AASLD/IDSA guidance
Part B Prerequisite	No

# HETLIOZ

## Products Affected

- *tasimelteon*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	N/A
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	Non-24-patient is totally blind with no perception of light
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	Non-24-18 years or older (initial and continuation), SMS-3 years and older
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	prescribed by, or in consultation with, a neurologist or a physician who specializes in the treatment of sleep disorders (initial and continuation)
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	6 mos initial, 12 mos cont
<b>Other Criteria</b>	Initial - patient is totally blind with no perception of light, dx of Non-24 is confirmed by either assessment of one physiologic circadian phase marker (e.g., measurement of urinary melatonin levels, dim light melatonin onset, assessment of core body temperature), or if assessment of physiologic circadian phase marker cannot be done, the diagnosis must be confirmed by actigraphy plus evaluation of sleep logs. Cont - Approve if patient is totally blind with no perception of light and pt has achieved adequate results with Hetlitz therapy according to the prescribing physician (e.g., entrainment, clinically meaningful or significant increases in nighttime sleep, clinically meaningful or significant decreases in daytime sleep). Nighttime sleep disturbances in Smith-Magenis Syndrome (SMS)-approve.
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# HIGH RISK MEDICATIONS - BENZTROPINE

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## Products Affected

- *benztropine oral*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	Patients aged less than 65 years, approve. Patients aged 65 years and older, other criteria apply
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	12 months
Other Criteria	For all medically-accepted indications, approve if the prescriber confirms he/she has assessed risk versus benefit in prescribing benztropine for the patient and he/she would still like to initiate/continue therapy.
Indications	All Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# HIGH RISK MEDICATIONS - CYCLOBENZAPRINE

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## Products Affected

- *cyclobenzaprine oral tablet 10 mg, 5 mg*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	Patients aged less than 65 years, approve.
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 12 months.
Other Criteria	The physician has assessed risk versus benefit in using this High Risk Medication (HRM) in this patient and has confirmed that he/she would still like to initiate/continue therapy.
Indications	All Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# HIGH RISK MEDICATIONS - FIRST GENERATION ANTIHISTAMINES

## Products Affected

- *hydroxyzine hcl oral tablet*
- *hydroxyzine pamoate*
- *promethazine oral*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	Patients aged less than 65 years, approve. Patients aged 65 years and older, other criteria apply.
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 12 months.
Other Criteria	For hydroxyzine hydrochloride, authorize use without a previous drug trial for all FDA-approved indications other than anxiety. Approve hydroxyzine hydrochloride if the patient has tried at least two other FDA-approved products for the management of anxiety. Prior to approval of promethazine and hydroxyzine, approve if the physician must have assessed risk versus benefit in prescribing the requested HRM for the patient and must confirm that he/she would still like to initiate/continue therapy.
Indications	All Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# HIGH RISK MEDICATIONS - PHENOBARBITAL

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## Products Affected

- *phenobarbital*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Coverage is not provided for use in sedation/insomnia.
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	Patients aged less than 65 years, approve. Patients aged 65 years and older, other criteria apply.
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	12 months
Other Criteria	For the treatment of seizures, approve only if the patient is currently taking phenobarbital.
Indications	All Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# HRM - SKELETAL MUSCLE RELAXANTS

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## Products Affected

- *methocarbamol oral tablet 500 mg, 750 mg*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	The physician has documented the indication for the continued use of the HRM (high risk med) with an explanation of the specific benefit established with the medication and how that benefit outweighs the potential risk, AND the physician will continue to monitor for side effects. For patients concurrently taking multiple anticholinergic medications, the physician has assessed the risk.
Age Restrictions	Automatic approval if member is less than 65 years of age. Prior authorization required for age 65 or older.
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	12 months
Other Criteria	The physician has assessed risk versus benefit in using this High Risk Medication (HRM) in this patient and has confirmed that he/she would still like to initiate/continue therapy. For patients concurrently taking multiple anticholinergic medications, the physician has assessed this risk as well.
Indications	All Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No



# HUMIRA

## Products Affected

- ADALIMUMAB-ADAZ
- ADALIMUMAB-ADBM SUBCUTANEOUS PEN INJECTOR KIT 40 MG/0.8 ML (PREFERRED NDCS STARTING WITH 00597)
- ADALIMUMAB-ADBM SUBCUTANEOUS SYRINGE KIT 10 MG/0.2 ML, 20 MG/0.4 ML, 40 MG/0.8 ML (PREFERRED NDCS STARTING WITH 00597)
- ADALIMUMAB-ADBM(CF) PEN CROHNS SUBCUTANEOUS PEN INJECTOR KIT 40 MG/0.8 ML (PREFERRED NDCS STARTING WITH 00597)
- ADALIMUMAB-ADBM(CF) PEN PS-UV SUBCUTANEOUS PEN INJECTOR KIT 40 MG/0.8 ML (PREFERRED NDCS STARTING WITH 00597)
- CYLTEZO(CF) PEN CROHN'S-UC-HS SUBCUTANEOUS PEN INJECTOR KIT 40 MG/0.8 ML
- CYLTEZO(CF) PEN PSORIASIS-UV SUBCUTANEOUS PEN INJECTOR KIT 40 MG/0.8 ML
- CYLTEZO(CF) PEN SUBCUTANEOUS PEN INJECTOR KIT 40 MG/0.8 ML
- CYLTEZO(CF) SUBCUTANEOUS SYRINGE KIT 10 MG/0.2 ML, 20 MG/0.4 ML, 40 MG/0.8 ML
- HUMIRA PEN (PREFERRED NDCS STARTING WITH 00074)
- HUMIRA PEN PSOR-UEVITS-ADOL HS (PREFERRED NDCS STARTING WITH 00074)
- HUMIRA SUBCUTANEOUS SYRINGE KIT 40 MG/0.8 ML (PREFERRED NDCS STARTING WITH 00074)
- HUMIRA(CF) (PREFERRED NDCS STARTING WITH 00074)
- HUMIRA(CF) PEDI CROHNS STARTER (PREFERRED NDCS STARTING WITH 00074)
- HUMIRA(CF) PEN (PREFERRED NDCS STARTING WITH 00074)
- HUMIRA(CF) PEN CROHNS-UC-HS (PREFERRED NDCS STARTING WITH 00074)
- HUMIRA(CF) PEN PEDIATRIC UC (PREFERRED NDCS STARTING WITH 00074)
- HUMIRA(CF) PEN PSOR-UV-ADOL HS (PREFERRED NDCS STARTING WITH 00074)
- HYRIMOZ PEN CROHN'S-UC STARTER (PREFERRED NDCS STARTING WITH 61314)
- HYRIMOZ PEN PSORIASIS STARTER (PREFERRED NDCS STARTING WITH 61314)
- HYRIMOZ(CF) (PREFERRED NDCS STARTING WITH 61314)
- HYRIMOZ(CF) PEDI CROHN STARTER (PREFERRED NDCS STARTING WITH 61314)
- HYRIMOZ(CF) PEN (PREFERRED NDCS STARTING WITH 61314)

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Concurrent use with biologic therapy or targeted synthetic DMARD.

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	Diagnosis, concurrent medications, previous therapies tried.
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	Crohn's disease (CD), 6 or older (initial therapy). Ulcerative colitis (UC), 5 or older (initial therapy), PP-18 or older (initial therapy)
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	Initial therapy only all dx-RA/JIA/JRA/Ankylosing spondylitis, prescribed by or in consultation with rheumatologist. Psoriatic arthritis (PsA), prescribed by or in consultation with a rheumatologist or dermatologist. Plaque psoriasis (PP), prescribed by or in consultation with a dermatologist. UC/ CD, prescribed by or in consultation with a gastroenterologist. HS - dermatologist.UV-ophthalmologist
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	End of the plan year
<b>Other Criteria</b>	RA/PsA initial, patient has tried one conventional synthetic DMARD for at least 3 months (note: patients who have already had a 3-month trial of a biologic or JAK inhibitor for RA/PsA are not required to step back and try a conventional synthetic DMARD). JIA/JRA-initial-approve if the patient meets ONE of the following: patient has tried one other medication for this condition for at least 3 months (Note: Examples of other medications for JIA include methotrexate, sulfasalazine, or leflunomide, a nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drug (NSAID), biologic or JAK inhibitor) OR patient has aggressive disease. PP initial, approve if the patient meets one of the following criteria: 1) pt has tried at least one traditional systemic agent (eg, MTX, cyclosporine, acitretin, PUVA) for at least 3 months, unless intolerant (note: pts who have already tried a biologic for psoriasis are not required to step back and try a traditional agent first) OR 2) pt has a contraindication to MTX as determined by the prescribing physician. CD initial, approve if the patient has tried or is currently taking corticosteroids or patient has tried one other agent for CD for at least 3 months. UC initial, approve if the patient has had a trial of one systemic agent for at least 3 months (e.g., 6-mercaptopurine, azathioprine, cyclosporine, tacrolimus, biologic, JAK inhibitor or a corticosteroid such as prednisone or methylprednisolone). Uveitis initial, tried one of the following: periocular, intraocular, or systemic corticosteroid, immunosuppressives or other biologic therapy. HS initial, tried ONE other therapy (e.g., intralesional or oral corticosteroids, systemic antibiotics, isotretinoin). Continuation-approve if the patient has had a response as determined by the prescriber. Clinical criteria incorporated into the Humira 40 mg quantity limit edit allow for approval of additional quantities to accommodate induction dosing. The allowable quantity is dependent upon the induction dosing

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
	regimen for the applicable FDA-labeled indications as outlined in product labeling.
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# IBRANCE

## Products Affected

- IBRANCE

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	3 years
Other Criteria	Breast cancer - approve recurrent or metastatic, hormone receptor positive (HR+) [i.e., estrogen receptor positive- {ER+} and/or progesterone receptor positive {PR+}] disease, and HER2-negative breast cancer when the pt meets ONE of the following 1. Pt is postmenopausal and Ibrance will be used in combination with anastrozole, exemestane, or letrozole 2, pt is premenopausal or perimenopausal and is receiving ovarian suppression/ablation with GnRH agonists, or has had surgical bilateral oophorectomy, or ovarian irradiation AND meets one of the following conditions: Ibrance will be used in combination with anastrozole, exemestane, or letrozole or Ibrance will be used in combination with fulvestrant 3. pt is a man (a man is defined as an individual with the biological traits of a man, regardless of the individual's gender identity or gender expression) who is receiving GnRH analog AND Ibrance will be used in combination with anastrozole, exemestane or letrozole or Ibrance will be used in combination with fulvestrant 4. Pt is postmenopausal and Ibrance will be used in combination with fulvestrant. In addition, patients new to therapy must have a trial of Kisqali, Kisqali Femara Co-Pack or Verzenio prior to approval of Ibrance. Liposarcoma-approve if the patient has well-differentiated/dedifferentiated liposarcoma (WD-DDLS).
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Liposarcoma

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ICATIBANT

## Products Affected

- *icatibant*
- *sajazir*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by, or in consultation with, an allergist/immunologist or a physician that specializes in the treatment of HAE or related disorders.
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	Hereditary Angioedema (HAE) Due to C1 Inhibitor (C1-INH) Deficiency [Type I or Type II] - Treatment of Acute Attacks, Initial Therapy-the patient has HAE type I or type II as confirmed by the following diagnostic criteria (i and ii): i. the patient has low levels of functional C1-INH protein (less than 50 percent of normal) at baseline, as defined by the laboratory reference values AND ii. the patient has lower than normal serum C4 levels at baseline, as defined by the laboratory reference values. Patients who have treated previous acute HAE attacks with icatibant-the patient has treated previous acute HAE type I or type II attacks with icatibant AND according to the prescribing physician, the patient has had a favorable clinical response (e.g., decrease in the duration of HAE attacks, quick onset of symptom relief, complete resolution of symptoms, decrease in HAE acute attack frequency or severity) with icatibant treatment.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ICLUSIG

## Products Affected

- ICLUSIG

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, the Philadelphia chromosome (Ph) status of the leukemia must be reported. T315I status
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	Patients new to therapy with Acute lymphoblastic leukemia, Philadelphia chromosome positive or chronic myeloid leukemia-approve if the patient has tried Sprycel and had an inadequate response or significant intolerance or have a contraindication or are not a candidate for Sprycel. GIST - approve if the patient tried all of the FDA-approved therapies first to align with NCCN recommendations which include: Imatinib or Ayvakit (avapritinib tablets) AND Sunitinib or Sprycel (dasatinib tablets) AND Stivarga (regorafenib tablets) AND Qinlock (ripretinib tablets). Myeloid/Lymphoid Neoplasms with Eosinophilia - approve if the tumor has ABL1 rearrangement or FGFR1 rearrangement.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Gastrointestinal Stromal Tumor, Myeloid/Lymphoid Neoplasms with Eosinophilia
Part B Prerequisite	No

# IDHIFA

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## Products Affected

- IDHIFA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	IDH2-mutation status
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	AML - approve if the patient is IDH2-mutation status positive as detected by an approved test
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No



# IMATINIB

## Products Affected

- *imatinib*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	N/A
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	Diagnosis. For indications of CML and ALL, the Philadelphia chromosome (Ph) status of the leukemia must be reported.
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	ASM, DFSP, HES, MDS/MPD/Myeloid/Lymphoid Neoplasms-18 years and older
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	N/A
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	1 year
<b>Other Criteria</b>	For ALL/CML, must have Ph-positive for approval of imatinib. Kaposi's Sarcoma-approve if the patient has tried at least one regimen AND has relapsed or refractory disease. Pigmented villonodular synovitis/tenosynovial giant cell tumor (PVNS/TGCT)-patient has tried Turalio or according to the prescriber, the patient cannot take Turalio. Myelodysplastic/myeloproliferative disease-approve if the condition is associated with platelet-derived growth factor receptor (PDGFR) gene rearrangements.Graft versus host disease, chronic-approve if the patient has tried at least one conventional systemic treatment (e.g., imbruvica). Metastatic melanoma-approve if the patient has c-Kit-positive advanced/recurrent or metastatic melanoma. Myeloid/lymphoid neoplasms with eosinophilia-approve if the tumor has an ABL1 rearrangement or an FIP1L1-PDGFR or PDGFRB rearrangement.
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	Chordoma, advanced, aggressive or unresectable fibromatosis (desmoid tumors), cKit positive advanced/recurrent or metastatic melanoma, Kaposi's Sarcoma and pigmented Villonodular Synovitis/Tenosynovial Giant Cell Tumor, myeloid/lymphoid neoplasms with eosinophilia, GVHD, chronic.

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Part B Prerequisite	No

# IMBRUVICA

## Products Affected

- IMBRUVICA ORAL CAPSULE
- IMBRUVICA ORAL SUSPENSION
- IMBRUVICA ORAL TABLET 140 MG, 280 MG, 420 MG

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	GVHD-1 year and older, other-18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	<p>CLL- Approve. GVHD-Approve if the patient has tried one conventional systemic treatment for graft versus host disease (e.g., corticosteroids [methylprednisolone, prednisone], imatinib, low-dose methotrexate, sirolimus, mycophenolate mofetil, Jakafi [ruxolitinib tablets]). Mantle Cell Lymphoma - approve if the patient has tried one systemic regimen or is not a candidate for a systemic regimen (e.g., bendamustine, rituximab, cyclophosphamide, doxorubicin, vincristine, prednisone, cytarabine, carboplatin, cisplatin, oxaliplatin, or lenalidomide) or if Imbruvica is being used in combination with rituximab prior to induction therapy (e.g., rituximab, cyclophosphamide, vincristine, doxorubicin, and dexamethasone) or if Imbruvica is being used as induction or maintenance therapy in combination with chemotherapy. Marginal Zone Lymphoma - approve if the patient has tried at least one systemic regimen (e.g., bendamustine, rituximab, cyclophosphamide, doxorubicin, vincristine, prednisone, or lenalidomide). B-cell lymphoma-approve if the patient has tried at least one systemic regimen (e.g., cisplatin, cytarabine, rituximab, oxaliplatin, gemcitabine, ifosfamide, carboplatin, etoposide, or rituximab). Central nervous system Lymphoma (primary)- approve if the patient is not a candidate for or is intolerant to high-dose methotrexate OR has tried at least one therapy (e.g., methotrexate, rituximab, vincristine, procarbazine, cytarabine, thiotepe, carmustine, intrathecal methotrexate, cytarabine, or</p>

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
	rituximab). Hairy Cell Leukemia - approve if the patient has tried at least two systemic regimens (cladribine, Nipent [pentostatin injection], rituximab, or Pegasys [peginterferon alfa-2a subcutaneous injection]).
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	Central Nervous System Lymphoma (Primary), Hairy Cell Leukemia, B-Cell Lymphoma, Marginal Zone Lymphoma, Mantle Cell Lymphoma
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# INCRELEX

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## Products Affected

- INCRELEX

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	Patients 2 years of age or older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# INGREZZA

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## Products Affected

- INGREZZA
- INGREZZA INITIATION PK(TARDIV)

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	TD-Prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist or psychiatrist. Chorea HD - prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Chorea associated with Huntington's Disease- approve if diagnosis is confirmed by genetic testing (for example, an expanded HTT CAG repeat sequence of at least 36).
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# INLYTA

## Products Affected

- INLYTA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	Advanced Renal cell carcinoma-approve. Differentiated thyroid cancer, approve if patient is refractory to radioactive iodine therapy. Soft tissue sarcoma-approve if the patient has alveolar soft part sarcoma and the medication will be used in combination with Keytruda (pembrolizumab).
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Differentiated (i.e., papillary, follicular, and Hurthle) Thyroid Carcinoma, Soft tissue sarcoma
Part B Prerequisite	No

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## Products Affected

- INQOVI

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Myelodysplastic Syndrome/Myeloproliferative Neoplasm Overlap Neoplasms
Part B Prerequisite	No



# INREBIC

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## Products Affected

- INREBIC

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Myelofibrosis (MF), including Primary MF, Post-Polycythemia Vera MF, and Post-Essential Thrombocythemia MF-approve if the patient has intermediate-2 or high-risk disease. Myeloid/Lymphoid Neoplasms with Eosinophilia-approve if the tumor has a JAK2 rearrangement.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Myeloid/Lymphoid Neoplasms with Eosinophilia
Part B Prerequisite	No

# IRESSA

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## Products Affected

- *gefitinib*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	NSCLC-approve if the patient has advanced or metastatic disease and the patient has sensitizing EGFR mutation-positive NSCLC as detected by an approved test. Note: Examples of sensitizing EGFR mutation-positive NSCLC include the following mutations: exon 19 deletions, exon 21 (L858R) substitution mutations, L861Q, G719X and S768I.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# IVERMECTIN

## Products Affected

- *ivermectin oral*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 month
Other Criteria	Pediculosis-approve if the patient has infection caused by pediculus humanus capitis (head lice), pediculus humanus corporis (body lice), or has pediculosis pubis caused by phthirus pubis (pubic lice). Scabies-approve if the patient has classic scabies, treatment resistant scabies, is unable to tolerate topical treatment, has crusted scabies or is using ivermectin tablets for prevention and/or control of scabies.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Ascariasis, Enterobiasis (pinworm infection), Hookworm-related cutaneous larva migrans, Mansonella ozzardi infection, Mansonella streptocerca infection, Pediculosis, Scabies. Trichuriasis, Wucheria bancrofti infection
Part B Prerequisite	No

# IWILFIN

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## Products Affected

- IWILFIN

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Neuroblastoma-Approve if the patient meets the following (A, B and C): A) Patient has high-risk disease, AND B) The medication is being used to reduce the risk of relapse, AND C) Patient has had at least a partial response to prior multiagent, multimodality therapy including anti-GD2 immunotherapy. Note:Examples of anti-GD2 immunotherapy includes Unituxin (dinutuximab intravenous infusion).
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# JAKAFI

## Products Affected

- JAKAFI

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	ALL-less than 21 years of age, GVHD-12 and older, MF/PV/CMML-2/essential thrombo/myeloid/lymphoid neoplasm/T-cell Lymphoma-18 and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	For polycythemia vera patients must have tried hydroxyurea or peginterferon alfa-2a or Besremi (ropeginterferon alfa-2b-njft subcutaneous injection). ALL-approve if the mutation/pathway is Janus associated kinase (JAK)-related. GVHD, chronic-approve if the patient has tried one conventional systemic treatment for graft versus host disease (for example: prednisone, ibrutinib capsules/tablets). GVHD, acute-approve if the patient has tried one systemic corticosteroid. Atypical chronic myeloid leukemia-approve if the patient has a CSF3R mutation or a janus associated kinase 2 (JAK2) mutation. Chronic monomyelocytic leukemia-2 (CMML-2)-approve if the patient is also receiving a hypomethylating agent. Essential thrombocythemia-approve if the patient has tried hydroxyurea, peginterferon alfa-2a or anagrelide. Myeloid/lymphoid neoplasms-approve if the patient has eosinophilia and the tumor has a janus associated kinase 2 (JAK2) rearrangement. T-Cell Lymphoma - approve if pt has T-cell prolymphocytic leukemia or T-cell large granular lymphocytic leukemia AND pt has tried at least one systemic regimen.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	Acute lymphoblastic leukemia, atypical chronic myeloid leukemia, chronic monomyelocytic leukemia-2 (CMML-2), essential thrombocythemia, myeloid/lymphoid neoplasms, T-Cell lymphoma
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# JAYPIRCA

## Products Affected

- JAYPIRCA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year
Other Criteria	<p>Mantle cell lymphoma-approve if the patient has tried at least one systemic regimen or patient is not a candidate for a systemic regimen (i.e., an elderly patient who is frail), AND the patient has tried one Bruton tyrosine kinase inhibitor (BTK) for mantle cell lymphoma. Note: Examples of a systemic regimen contain one or more of the following products: rituximab, dexamethasone, cytarabine, carboplatin, cisplatin, oxaliplatin, cyclophosphamide, doxorubicin, vincristine, prednisone, methotrexate, bendamustine, Velcade (bortezomib intravenous or subcutaneous injection), lenalidomide, gemcitabine, and Venclexta (venetoclax tablets). Note: Examples of BTK inhibitors indicated for mantle cell lymphoma include Brukinsa (zanubrutinib capsules), Calquence (acalabrutinib capsules), and Imbruvica (ibrutinib capsules, tablets, and oral suspension). CLL/SLL-patient meets (A or B): A) patient has resistance or intolerance to Imbruvica (ibrutinib tablets, capsules, or oral solution), Calquence (acalabrutinib tablets), or Brukinsa (zanubrutinib capsules) or B) patient has relapsed or refractory disease and has tried a Bruton tyrosine kinase (BTK) inhibitor and Venclexta (venetoclax tablet)-based regimen. Examples of BTK inhibitor include: Imbruvica (ibrutinib tablets, capsules, or oral solution), Calquence (acalabrutinib tablets), or Brukinsa (zanubrutinib capsules). Richter's Transformation to DLBCL- pt has tried at least one chemotherapy regimen or is not a candidate for a chemotherapy regimen.</p>

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	Richter's Transformation to Diffuse Large B-Cell Lymphoma
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No



# JUBLIA

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## Products Affected

- JUBLIA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	patient had a trial and failure or a contraindication to terbinafine
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# KALYDECO

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## Products Affected

- KALYDECO

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Combination use with Orkambi, Trikafta or Symdeko
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	1 month of age and older
Prescriber Restrictions	prescribed by or in consultation with a pulmonologist or a physician who specializes in CF
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	CF - must have one mutation in the CFTR gene that is responsive to the requested medication.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# KERENDIA

## Products Affected

- KERENDIA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Concomitant use with spironolactone or eplerenone
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older (initial and continuation therapy)
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Diabetic kidney disease, initial-approve if the patient meets the following criteria (i, and ii): i. Patient has a diagnosis of type 2 diabetes, AND ii. Patient meets one of the following (a or b): a)Patient is currently receiving a maximally tolerated labeled dosage of an angiotensin converting enzyme (ACE) inhibitor or angiotensin receptor blocker (ARB) OR b)According to the prescriber, patient has a contraindication to ACE inhibitor or ARB therapy. Diabetic kidney disease, continuation-approve if the patient meets the following criteria (i, and ii): i. Patient has a diagnosis of type 2 diabetes, AND ii. Patient meets one of the following (a or b): a. Patient is currently receiving a maximally tolerated labeled dosage of an angiotensin converting enzyme (ACE) inhibitor or angiotensin receptor blocker (ARB) OR b. According to the prescriber, patient has a contraindication to ACE inhibitor or ARB therapy.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# KESIMPTA

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## Products Affected

- KESIMPTA PEN

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Concurrent use with other disease-modifying agents used for multiple sclerosis (MS)
Required Medical Information	Relapsing form of Multiple Sclerosis (MS), to include, clinically-isolated syndrome, relapsing-remitting disease, and active secondary progressive disease.
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist or a physician who specializes in the treatment of multiple sclerosis
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# KISQALI

## Products Affected

- KISQALI
- KISQALI FEMARA CO-PACK

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	<p>Breast cancer - approve recurrent or metastatic hormone receptor positive (HR+) [i.e., estrogen receptor positive (ER+) and/or progesterone receptor positive (PR+)] disease, and HER2-negative breast cancer when the pt meets ONE of the following</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Pt is postmenopausal and Kisqali will be used in combination with anastrozole, exemestane, or letrozole</li> <li>2. pt is premenopausal or perimenopausal and is receiving ovarian suppression/ablation with GnRH agonist, or has had surgical bilateral oophorectomy, or ovarian irradiation AND Kisqali will be used in combination with anastrozole, exemestane, or letrozole</li> <li>3. pt is a man (a man is defined as an individual with the biological traits of a man, regardless of the individual's gender identity or gender expression) who is receiving GnRH analog AND Kisqali will be used in combination with anastrozole, exemestane or letrozole.</li> <li>4. Patient is postmenopausal, pre/perimenopausal (patient receiving ovarian suppression/ablation with a GnRH agonist or has had surgical bilateral oophorectomy or ovarian irradiation) or a man, and Kisqali (not Co-Pack) will be used in combination with fulvestrant. If the request is for Kisqali Femara, patients do not need to use in combination with anastrozole, exemestane or letrozole.</li> </ol> <p>Endometrial cancer - approve if pt meets all of (A, B and C): A) pt has recurrent or metastatic disease, and B) has estrogen receptor (ER)-positive tumors, and C) if request is for Kisqali (not Co-Pack), Kisqali will be used in combination with letrozole.</p>

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	Pre/peri-menopausal women with breast cancer in combination with fulvestrant, and endometrial cancer
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# KORLYM

## Products Affected

- KORLYM
- mifepristone oral tablet 300 mg*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, prior surgeries
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with an endocrinologist or a physician who specializes in the treatment of Cushing's syndrome.
Coverage Duration	Endogenous Cushing's Synd-1 yr. Pt awaiting surgery or response after radiotherapy-4 months
Other Criteria	Endogenous Cushing's Syndrome-Approve if, according to the prescribing physician, the patient is not a candidate for surgery or surgery has not been curative AND if mifepristone is being used to control hyperglycemia secondary to hypercortisolism in patients who have type 2 diabetes mellitus or glucose intolerance.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Patients with Endogenous Cushing's Syndrome, awaiting surgery. Patients with Endogenous Cushing's syndrome, awaiting a response after radiotherapy
Part B Prerequisite	No

# KOSELUGO

## Products Affected

- KOSELUGO

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	Neurofibromatosis Type 1-2 years and older, Pilocytic astrocytoma-pt is 3 to 21 years of age
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Neurofibromatosis Type 1-approve if prior to starting Koselugo, the patient has symptomatic, inoperable plexiform neurofibromas and if the patient is 2 to 18 years old OR if the patient is 19 years or older if the patient started on therapy with Koselugo prior to becoming 19. Circumscribed Glioma-approve if the patient has recurrent, refractory or progressive disease AND the tumor is BRAF fusion positive OR BRAF V600E activating mutation positive OR patient has neurofibromatosis type 1 mutated glioma AND this medication will be used as a single agent AND the patient is 3-21 years of age OR is greater 21 and has been previously started on therapy with Koselugo prior to becoming 21 years of age. Langerhans Cell Histiocytosis- approve if the patient meets the following criteria (A and B): A) Patient meets one of the following (i, ii, iii, or iv): i. Patient meets both of the following (a and b): a) Patient has multisystem Langerhans cell histiocytosis, AND b) Patient has symptomatic disease or impending organ dysfunction, OR ii. Patient has single system lung Langerhans cell histiocytosis, OR iii. Patient meets all of the following (a, b, and c): a) Patient has single system bone disease, AND b) Patient has not responded to treatment with a bisphosphonate, AND c) Patient has more than 2 bone lesions, OR iv. Patient has central nervous system disease, AND B) The medication is used as a single agent.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.



<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	Circumscribed Glioma, Langerhans Cell Histiocytosis
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# KRAZATI

## Products Affected

- KRAZATI

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer (NSCLC)-approve if the patient has KRAS G12C-mutated locally advanced or metastatic NSCLC, as determined by an approved test AND has been previously treated with at least one systemic regimen. Note: Examples of systemic regimens include those containing one or more of the following products: Keytruda (pembrolizumab intravenous infusion), Opdivo (nivolumab intravenous infusion), Tecentriq (atezolizumab intravenous infusion), Alimta (pemetrexed intravenous infusion), Yervoy (ipilimumab intravenous infusion), Abraxane (albumin-bound paclitaxel intravenous infusion), bevacizumab, cisplatin, carboplatin, docetaxel, gemcitabine, paclitaxel, vinorelbine. Colon or Rectal Cancer-approve if pt has unresectable, advanced, or metastatic disease AND pt has KRAS G12C mutation-positive disease AND medication is prescribed as part of a combination regimen or the patient is unable to tolerate combination therapy AND pt has previously received a chemotherapy regimen for colon or rectal cancer.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Colon or Rectal cancer
Part B Prerequisite	No

# LAPATINIB

## Products Affected

- *lapatinib*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis for which lapatinib is being used. Metastatic breast cancer, HER2 status or hormone receptor (HR) status.
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	HER2-positive recurrent or metastatic breast cancer, approve if lapatinib will be used in combination with capecitabine OR trastuzumab and the patient has tried at least two prior anti-HER2 based regimens OR the medication will be used in combination with an aromatase inhibitor and and the patient has HR+ disease and the patient is a postmenopausal woman or the patient is premenopausal or perimenopausal woman and is receiving ovarian suppression/ablation with a GnRH agonist, surgical bilateral oophorectomy or ovarian irradiation OR the patient is a man and is receiving a GnRH analog. Colon or rectal cancer-approve if the patient has unresectable advanced or metastatic disease that is human epidermal receptor 2 (HER2) amplified and with wild-type RAS and BRAF disease and the patient has tried at least one chemotherapy regimen or is not a candidate for intensive therapy and the medication is used in combination with trastuzumab (Part B before Part D Step Therapy - applies only to beneficiaries enrolled in an MA-PD plan) and the patient has not been previously treated with a HER2-inhibitor. Bone Cancer-approve if the patient has recurrent chordoma and if the patient has epidermal growth-factor receptor (EGFR)-positive disease.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Bone cancer-chordoma, colon or rectal cancer, breast cancer in pre/perimenopausal women and men

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Part B Prerequisite	No

# LENALIDOMIDE

## Products Affected

- *lenalidomide oral capsule 10 mg, 15 mg, 25 mg, 5 mg*
- LENALIDOMIDE ORAL CAPSULE 2.5 MG, 20 MG

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis and previous therapies or drug regimens tried.
Age Restrictions	18 years and older (except Kaposi's Sarcoma, Castleman's Disease, CNS Lymphoma)
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year
Other Criteria	<p>Follicular lymphoma-approve if the patient is using lenalidomide in combination with rituximab or has tried at least one prior therapy. MCL-approve -if the patient is using lenalidomide in combination with rituximab or has tried at least two other therapies or therapeutic regimens. MZL-approve if the patient is using lenalidomide in combination with rituximab or has tried at least one other therapy or therapeutic regimen. Multiple myeloma-approve. MDS-approve if the patient meets one of the following: 1) Pt has symptomatic anemia, OR 2) Pt has transfusion-dependent anemia, OR 3) Pt has anemia that is not controlled with an erythroid stimulating agent (eg, Epogen, Procrit [epoetin alfa injection], Aranesp [darbepoetin alfa injection]). B-cell-lymphoma (other)-approve if the pt has tried at least one prior therapy. Myelofibrosis-approve if according to the prescriber the patient has anemia and the pt has serum erythropoietin levels greater than or equal to 500 mU/mL or according to the prescriber the patient has anemia, has serum erythropoietin levels less than 500 mU/mL and patient has experienced no response or loss of response to erythropoietic stimulating agents. Peripheral T-Cell Lymphoma or T-Cell Leukemia/Lymphoma-approve if the pt has tried at least one other therapy or regimen. CNS lymphoma-approve if according to the prescriber the patient has relapsed or refractory disease. Hodgkin lymphoma, classical-</p>

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
	approve if the patient has tried at least three other I222 regimens. Castleman's disease-approve if the patient has relapsed/refractory or progressive disease. Kaposi's Sarcoma-approve if the patient has tried at least one regimen or therapy and the patient has relapsed or refractory disease. Systemic light chain amyloidosis-approve if lenalidomide is used in combination with dexamethasone.
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	Off label uses for lenalidomide include-Systemic Amyloidosis Light Chain, Diffuse Large B Cell Lymphoma (Non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma), Myelofibrosis. Castleman's Disease, Hodgkin lymphoma (Classical), Peripheral T-Cell Lymphoma, T-Cell Leukemia/Lymphoma, Central nervous system lymphoma, Kaposi's sarcoma. Off label uses for lenalidomide include-follicular lymphoma, marginal zone lymphoma and multiple myeloma following autologous hematopoietic stem cell transplantation.
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# LENVIMA

## Products Affected

- LENVIMA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	3 years
Other Criteria	<p>DTC - must be refractory to radioactive iodine treatment for approval.</p> <p>RCC, advanced disease- approve if the pt meets i or ii: i. Lenvima is being used in combination with pembrolizumab OR ii. Lenvima is used in combination with everolimus and the patient meets a or b - a. Patient has clear cell histology and patient has tried one antiangiogenic therapy or b. patient has non-clear cell histology. New starts for all RCC must have tried Cabometyx. MTC-approve if the patient has tried at least one systemic therapy. Endometrial Carcinoma-Approve if the patient meets the following criteria (A, B, C, and D): A) The patient has advanced endometrial carcinoma that is not microsatellite instability-high (MSI-H) or mismatch repair deficient (dMMR) AND B) The medication is used in combination with Keytruda (pembrolizumab for intravenous injection) AND C)the disease has progressed on at least one prior systemic therapy AND D) The patient is not a candidate for curative surgery or radiation.</p> <p>Thymic carcinoma-approve if the patient has tried at least one chemotherapy regimen. New starts for Hepatocellular Carcinoma: For first line systemic therapy, sorafenib must be tried first. For subsequent-line system therapy if disease progression, Cabometyx must be tried first.</p> <p>Melanoma - approve if the patient has unresectable or metastatic melanoma AND the medication will be used in combination with Keytruda (pembrolizumab intravenous injection) AND the patient has disease</p>

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
	progression on anti-programmed death receptor-1 (PD-1)/programmed death-ligand 1 (PD-L1)-based therapy.
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	Patients with Medullary Thyroid Carcinoma (MTC), thymic carcinoma, Renal cell carcinoma with non-clear cell histology and Melanoma
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No



# LIDOCAINE PATCH

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## Products Affected

- *lidocaine topical adhesive patch, medicated 5 %*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 12 months
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Diabetic neuropathic pain, chronic back pain
Part B Prerequisite	No

# LONSURF

## Products Affected

- LONSURF

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	Gastric or Gastroesophageal Junction Adenocarcinoma, approve if the patient has been previously treated with at least two chemotherapy regimens for gastric or gastroesophageal junction adenocarcinoma. Colon and rectal cancer-approve per labeling if the patient has been previously treated with a fluopyrimidine, oxaliplatin, irinotecan and if the patient's tumor or metastases are wild-type RAS (KRAS wild type and NRAS wild type) they must also try Erbitux or Vectibix.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# LOQTORZI

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## Products Affected

- LOQTORZI

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Nasopharyngeal carcinoma-approve if the patient has recurrent, unresectable, oligometastatic, or metastatic disease AND the patient meets ONE of the following (i or ii): i. Patient meets BOTH of the following (a and b): a) Loqtorzi is used for first-line treatment AND b) Loqtorzi is used in combination with cisplatin and gemcitabine, OR ii. Patient meets both of the following (a and b): a) Loqtorzi is used for subsequent treatment AND b) Loqtorzi is used as a single agent.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# LORBRENA

## Products Affected

- LORBRENA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, ALK status, ROS1 status, previous therapies
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Erdheim Chester disease-approve if the patient has anaplastic lymphoma kinase (ALK) rearrangement/fusion-positive disease. Inflammatory myofibroblastic tumor (IMT)-approve if the patient has IMT with ALK translocation. NSCLC - Approve if the patient has ALK-positive advanced or metastatic NSCLC, as detected by an approved test. In addition, patients new to therapy must also have a trial of Alecensa prior to approval of Lorbrena. NSCLC-ROS1 Rearrangement-Positive, advanced or metastatic NSCLC-approve if the patient has tried at least one of crizotinib, entrectinib or ceritinib.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC)-ROS1 Rearrangement-Positive, Erdheim Chester Disease, Inflammatory Myofibroblastic Tumor (IMT)
Part B Prerequisite	No

# LUMAKRAS

## Products Affected

- LUMAKRAS

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year
Other Criteria	Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer (NSCLC)-approve if the patient has KRAS G12C-mutated locally advanced or metastatic NSCLC, as determined by an FDA-approved test AND has been previously treated with at least one systemic regimen. Pancreatic Adenocarcinoma- approve if patient has KRAS G12C-mutated disease, as determined by an approved test AND either (i or ii): (i) patient has locally advanced or metastatic disease and has been previously treated with at least one systemic regimen OR (ii) patient has recurrent disease after resection.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Pancreatic Adenocarcinoma
Part B Prerequisite	No

# LUMIZYME

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## Products Affected

- LUMIZYME

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, genetic and lab test results
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a geneticist, neurologist, a metabolic disorder sub-specialist, or a physician who specializes in the treatment of lysosomal storage disorders
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Approve if the patient has a laboratory test demonstrating deficient acid alpha-glucosidase activity in blood, fibroblasts, or muscle tissue OR patient has a molecular genetic test demonstrating acid alpha-glucosidase gene mutation
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# LYNPARZA

## Products Affected

- LYNPARZA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	<p>Ovarian, Fallopian Tube, or Primary Peritoneal Cancer - Maintenance monotherapy-Approve if the patient meets one of the following criteria (A or B): A) The patient meets both of the following criteria for first-line maintenance therapy (i and ii): i. The patient has a germline or somatic BRCA mutation-positive disease as confirmed by an approved test AND ii. The patient is in complete or partial response to first-line platinum-based chemotherapy regimen (e.g., carboplatin with paclitaxel, carboplatin with doxorubicin, docetaxel with carboplatin) OR B) The patient is in complete or partial response after at least two platinum-based chemotherapy regimens (e.g., carboplatin with gemcitabine, carboplatin with paclitaxel, cisplatin with gemcitabine). Ovarian, fallopian tube, or primary peritoneal cancer-maintenance, combination therapy-approve if the medication is used in combination with bevacizumab, the patient has homologous recombination deficiency (HRD)-positive disease, as confirmed by an approved test and the patient is in complete or partial response to first-line platinum-based chemotherapy regimen. Breast cancer, adjuvant-approve if the patient has germline BRCA mutation-positive, HER2-negative breast cancer and the patient has tried neoadjuvant or adjuvant therapy. Breast cancer, recurrent or metastatic disease-approve if the patient has recurrent or metastatic disease and has germline BRCA mutation-positive breast cancer. Pancreatic Cancer-maintenance therapy-approve if the patient has a germline BRCA mutation-positive metastatic disease and the disease has</p>

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
	not progressed on at least 16 weeks of treatment with a first-line platinum-based chemotherapy regimen. Prostate cancer-castration resistant-approve if the patient has metastatic disease, the medication is used concurrently with a gonadotropin-releasing hormone (GnRH) analog or the pateint has had a bilateral orchiectomy, and the patient meets either (i or ii): i) the patient has germline or somatic homologous recombination repair (HRR) gene-mutated disease, as confirmed by an approved test and the patient has been previously treated with at least one androgen receptor directed therapy or ii) the patient has a BRCA mutation and the medication is used in combination with abiraterone plus one of prednisone or prednisolone. Uterine Leiomyosarcoma-approve if the patient has BRCA2-altered disease and has tried one systemic regimen.
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	Uterine Leiomyosarcoma
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No



# LYTGOBI

## Products Affected

- LYTGOBI

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Cholangiocarcinoma-approve if the patient has unresectable locally advanced or metastatic disease, tumor has fibroblast growth factor receptor 2 (FGFR2) gene fusions or other rearrangements as detected by an approved test and if the patient has been previously treated with at least one systemic regimen. Note: Examples of systemic regimens include gemcitabine + cisplatin, 5-fluorouracil + oxaliplatin or cisplatin, capecitabine + cisplatin or oxaliplatin, gemcitabine + Abraxane (albumin-bound paclitaxel) or capecitabine or oxaliplatin, and gemcitabine + cisplatin + Abraxane.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# MAVYRET

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## Products Affected

- MAVYRET

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Genotype (including unknown), prescriber specialty, other medications tried or used in combination with requested medication
Age Restrictions	3 years or older
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a gastroenterologist, hepatologist, infectious diseases physician, or a liver transplant physician
Coverage Duration	Criteria will be applied consistent with current AASLD/IDSA guidance.
Other Criteria	Criteria will be applied consistent with current AASLD/IDSA guidance.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Indications consistent with current AASLD/IDSA guidance
Part B Prerequisite	No

# MEGESTROL

## Products Affected

- *megestrol oral suspension 400 mg/10 ml (10 ml), 400 mg/10 ml (40 mg/ml), 800 mg/20 ml (20 ml)*
- *megestrol oral tablet*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Coverage is not provided for weight gain for cosmetic reasons.
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	12 months
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# MEKINIST

## Products Affected

- MEKINIST

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis for which Mekinist is being used. For melanoma, thyroid cancer and NSCLC must have documentation of BRAF V600 mutations
Age Restrictions	1 year and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	Melanoma must be used in patients with BRAF V600 mutation, and patient has unresectable, advanced (including Stage III or Stage IV disease), or metastatic melanoma. Note-This includes adjuvant treatment in patients with Stage III disease with no evidence of disease post-surgery. For NSCLC requires BRAF V600E Mutation and use in combination with Tafenlar. Thyroid cancer, anaplastic-patient has locally advanced or metastatic anaplastic disease AND Mekinist will be taken in combination with Tafenlar, unless intolerant AND the patient has BRAF V600-positive disease. Ovarian/fallopian tube/primary peritoneal cancer-approve if the patient has recurrent disease and the medication is used for low-grade serous carcinoma or the patient has BRAF V600 mutation positive disease and the medication will be taken in combination with Tafenlar. Biliary Tract Cancer-approve if the patient has tried at least one systemic chemotherapy regimen, patient has BRAF V600 mutation positive disease and the medication will be taken in combination with Tafenlar. Central Nervous System Cancer-approve if the medication is being used for one of the following situations (i, ii, or iii): i. Adjuvant treatment of one of the following conditions (a, b, or c): a) Pilocytic astrocytoma OR b) Pleomorphic xanthoastrocytoma OR c) Ganglioglioma OR ii. Recurrent or progressive disease for one of the following conditions (a, b, c or d): a) glioma OR b) Isocitrate dehydrogenase-2 (IDH2)-mutant astrocytoma OR c) Glioblastoma or d) Oligodendroglioma OR iii. Melanoma with brain

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
	<p>metastases AND patient has BRAF V600 mutation-positive disease AND medication will be taken in combination with Tafenlar (dabrafenib).  Histiocytic neoplasm-approve if patient has Langerhans cell histiocytosis and one of the following (a, b, or c): a) Multisystem disease OR b) Pulmonary disease OR c) Central nervous system lesions OR patient has Erdheim Chester disease or Rosai-Dorfman disease. Metastatic or Solid Tumors-Approve if the patient meets the following (A, B, and C): A) Patient has BRAF V600 mutation-positive disease, AND B) The medication will be taken in combination with Tafenlar (dabrafenib capsules), AND C) Patient has no satisfactory alternative treatment options.  Hairy Cell Leukemia, approve if pt has not previously been treated with a BRAF inhibitor therapy and this will be used for relapsed/refractory disease and will be taken in combination with Tafenlar.</p>
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	Histiocytic Neoplasm, Hairy Cell Leukemia
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# MEKTOVI

## Products Affected

- MEKTOVI

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, BRAF V600 status, concomitant medications
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Melanoma - approve if the patient has unresectable, advanced or metastatic melanoma AND has a BRAF V600 mutation AND Mektovi will be used in combination with Braftovi. Histiocytic neoplasm-approve if the patient has Langerhans cell histiocytosis and one of the following (i, ii, or iii): i. multisystem disease OR, ii. pulmonary disease or, iii. central nervous system lesions. NSCLC-approve if pt has BRAF V600E mutation-positive metastatic disease AND this medication will be taken in combination with Braftovi (encorafenib capsules).
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Histiocytic Neoplasms
Part B Prerequisite	No

# MODAFINIL

## Products Affected

- *modafinil*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	Excessive daytime sleepiness associated with narcolepsy-prescribed by or in consultation with a sleep specialist physician or neurologist
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 12 months.
Other Criteria	Excessive sleepiness associated with Shift Work Sleep Disorder (SWSD) - approve if the patient is working at least 5 overnight shifts per month. Adjunctive/augmentation treatment for depression in adults if the patient is concurrently receiving other medication therapy for depression. Excessive daytime sleepiness associated with obstructive sleep apnea/hypoapnea syndrome-approve. Excessive daytime sleepiness associated with Narcolepsy-approve if narcolepsy has been confirmed with polysomnography and a multiple sleep latency test (MSLT).
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Excessive daytime sleepiness (EDS) associated with myotonic dystrophy. Adjunctive/augmentation for treatment of depression in adults.
Part B Prerequisite	No

# NAGLAZYME

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## Products Affected

- NAGLAZYME

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, genetic and lab test results
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a geneticist, endocrinologist, a metabolic disorder sub-specialist, or a physician who specializes in the treatment of lysosomal storage disorders
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Approve if the patient has a laboratory test demonstrating deficient N-acetylgalactosamine 4-sulfatase (arylsulfatase B) activity in leukocytes or fibroblasts OR has a molecular genetic test demonstrating arylsulfatase B gene mutation.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No



# NAPROXEN/ESOMEPRAZOLE

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## Products Affected

- *naproxen-esomeprazole*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Patient must have tried and failed naproxen plus esomeprazole as separate dosage forms
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# NAYZILAM

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## Products Affected

- NAYZILAM

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, other medications used at the same time
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Intermittent Episodes of Frequent Seizure Activity (i.e., seizure clusters, acute repetitive seizures)-approve if the patient is currently receiving maintenance antiepileptic medication(s).
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# NERLYNX

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## Products Affected

- NERLYNX

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Stage of cancer, HER2 status, previous or current medications tried
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Breast cancer adjuvant therapy - approve if the patient meets all of the following criteria: patient will not be using this medication in combination with HER2 antagonists, Patient has HER2-positive breast cancer AND patient has completed one year of adjuvant therapy with trastuzumab OR could not tolerate one year of therapy. Breast cancer, recurrent or metastatic disease-approve if the patient has HER-2 positive breast cancer, Nerlynx will be used in combination with capecitabine and the patient has tried at least two prior anti-HER2 based regimens.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# NEXLETOL

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## Products Affected

- NEXLETOL

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	Patient has tried and failed or has a contraindication to a statin or the patient is determined to be statin intolerant defined by experiencing statin related rhabdomyolysis or pt experienced skeletal-related muscle symptoms while receiving separate trials of two statins and during both trials the skeletal-related symptoms resolved during discontinuation.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# NEXLIZET

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## Products Affected

- NEXLIZET

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	Patient has tried and failed or has a contraindication to a maximally tolerated statin or the patient is determined to be statin intolerant defined by experiencing statin related rhabdomyolysis or pt experienced skeletal-related muscle symptoms while receiving separate trials of two statins and during both trials the skeletal-related symptoms resolved during discontinuation.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# NINLARO

## Products Affected

- NINLARO

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	MM - be used in combination with lenalidomide or cyclophosphamide OR pt had received at least ONE previous therapy for multiple myeloma OR the agent will be used following autologous stem cell transplantation (ASCT). Systemic light chain amyloidosis-approve if the patient has tried at least one other regimen for this condition. Waldenstrom Macroglobulinemia/lymphoplasmacytic lymphoma-approve if used in combination with a rituximab product and dexamethasone
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Patients with systemic light chain amyloidosis, Waldenstrom Macroglobulinemia/lymphoplasmacytic lymphoma
Part B Prerequisite	No

# NIVESTYM

## Products Affected

- NIVESTYM

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Cancer/AML, MDS, ALL, oncologist or a hematologist. Cancer patients receiving BMT and PBPC, prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist, hematologist, or a physician who specializes in transplantation. Radiation-expertise in acute radiation. SCN, - hematologist. HIV/AIDS neutropenia, infectious disease (ID) physician (MD), hematologist, or MD specializing in HIV/AIDS.
Coverage Duration	chemo/SCN/AML-6 mo.HIV/AIDS-4 mo.MDS-3mo.PBPC,Drug induce A/N,ALL,BMT-3 mo.Radiation-1mo.Other=12mo.
Other Criteria	Cancer patients receiving chemotherapy, approve if the patient meets one of the following conditions: patient is receiving myelosuppressive anti-cancer medications that are associated with a high risk of febrile neutropenia (the risk is at least 20 percent based on the chemotherapy regimen), patient is receiving myelosuppressive anti-cancer medications that are associated with a risk of febrile neutropenia but the risk is less than 20 percent based on the chemotherapy regimen) and the patient has one or more risk factors for febrile neutropenia (eg, aged greater than or equal to 65 years, prior chemotherapy or radiation therapy, persistent neutropenia, bone marrow involvement by tumor, recent surgery and/or open wounds, liver and/or renal dysfunction, poor performance status, or HIV infection), patient has had a neutropenic complication from prior chemotherapy and did not receive prophylaxis with a colony stimulating factor (eg, Leukine, filgrastim products, pegfilgrastim products) and a reduced dose or frequency of chemotherapy may compromise treatment, patient has received chemotherapy has febrile neutropenia and has at least one risk factor (eg, sepsis syndrome, aged greater than 65 years, severe neutropenia [absolute neutrophil account less than 100 cells/mm3],

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
	neutropenia expected to be greater than 10 days in duration, invasive fungal infection).
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	Neutropenia associated with human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) or acquired immunodeficiency syndrome (AIDS). Treatment of myelodysplastic syndromes (MDS). Drug induced agranulocytosis or neutropenia. Acute lymphocytic leukemia (ALL), Radiation Syndrome (Hematopoietic Syndrome of Acute Radiation Syndrome)
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No



# NMDA RECEPTOR ANTAGONIST

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## Products Affected

- *memantine oral capsule, sprinkle, er 24hr*
- *memantine oral solution*
- *memantine oral tablet*
- MEMANTINE ORAL TABLETS, DOSE PACK
- NAMZARIC

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	Automatic approval if member is greater than 26 years of age. Prior Authorization is required for age 26 or younger.
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	12 months
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# NON-INJECTABLE TESTOSTERONE PRODUCTS

## Products Affected

- testosterone transdermal gel
- testosterone transdermal gel in metered-dose pump 12.5 mg/ 1.25 gram (1 %)
- testosterone transdermal gel in packet 1 % (25 mg/2.5gram), 1 % (50 mg/5 gram)

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	N/A
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	Diagnosis of primary hypogonadism (congenital or acquired) in males. Diagnosis of secondary (hypogonadotropic) hypogonadism (congenital or acquired) in males. Hypogonadism (primary or secondary) in males, serum testosterone level. [Man is defined as an individual with the biological traits of a man, regardless of the individual's gender identity or gender expression.]
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	N/A
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	Gender-Dysphoric/Gender-Incongruent Persons, Persons Undergoing Female-to-Male (FTM) Gender Reassignment (i.e., Endocrinologic Masculinization)-prescribed by or in consultation with an endocrinologist or a physician who specializes in the treatment of transgender patients.
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	Authorization will be for 12 months.
<b>Other Criteria</b>	Hypogonadism (primary or secondary) in males - initial therapy, approve if all of the following criteria are met: 1) patient has persistent signs and symptoms of androgen deficiency (pre-treatment) [eg, depressed mood, decreased energy, progressive decrease in muscle mass, osteoporosis, loss of libido, AND 2) patient has had two pre-treatment serum testosterone (total or available) measurements, each taken in the morning on two separate days, AND 3) the two serum testosterone levels are both low, as defined by the normal laboratory reference values. Hypogonadism (primary or secondary) in males - continuing therapy, approve if the patient meets all of the following criteria: 1) patient has persistent signs and symptoms of androgen deficiency (pre-treatment) AND 2) patient had at least one pre-treatment serum testosterone level that was low. [Note: male is defined as an individual with the biological traits of a man, regardless of the individual's gender identity or gender expression.] Gender-Dysphoric/Gender-Incongruent Persons, Persons Undergoing Female-to-Male (FTM) Gender Reassignment (i.e., Endocrinologic Masculinization)-

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
	approve.Note: For a patient who has undergone gender reassignment, use this FTM criterion for hypogonadism indication.
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	Gender-Dysphoric/Gender-Incongruent Persons, Persons Undergoing Female-to-Male (FTM) Gender Reassignment (i.e., Endocrinologic Masculinization).
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# NUBEQA

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## Products Affected

- NUBEQA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Prostate cancer - non-metastatic, castration resistant-approve if the requested medication will be used concurrently with a gonadotropin-releasing hormone (GnRH) agonist or if the patient has had a bilateral orchiectomy or if the medication is used concurrently with Firmagon. Prostate cancer-metastatic, castration sensitive-approve if (A and B): A) the medication is used in combination with docetaxel or patient has completed docetaxel therapy, and B) the medication will be used in combination with a GnRH agonist or in combination with Firmagon or if the patient had a bilateral orchiectomy.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# NUCALA

## Products Affected

- NUCALA SUBCUTANEOUS AUTO-INJECTOR
- NUCALA SUBCUTANEOUS SYRINGE

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Concurrent use with another monoclonal antibody therapy
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	N/A
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	Asthma-6 years of age and older. EGPA/Polyps-18 years of age and older. HES-12 years and older.
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	Asthma-Prescribed by or in consultation with an allergist, immunologist, or pulmonologist. EGPA-prescribed by or in consultation with an allergist, immunologist, pulmonologist or rheumatologist. HES-prescribed by or in consultation with an allergist, immunologist, hematologist, pulmonologist or rheumatologist. Polyps-prescribed by or in consult with allergist, immunologist or Otolaryngologist.
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	Initial-Asthma/EGPA/polyps-6 months, HES-8 months. 12 months continuation.
<b>Other Criteria</b>	Asthma initial - must have blood eosinophil level of greater than or equal to 150 cells per microliter within the previous 6 wks (prior to tx with Nucala or another monoclonal antibody therapy that may lower blood eosinophil levels) AND has received combo tx w/inhaled corticosteroid AND at least 1 additional asthma controller/maintenance med (Examples: LAMA, LABA, leukotriene receptor antagonist, monoclonal antibody) AND pt's asthma cont to be uncontrolled, or was uncontrolled prior to starting Nucala or another monoclonal antibody therapy for asthma as defined by 1 of following-pt experi 2 or more asthma exacer req tx w/systemic corticosteroids in prev yr, pt experienced 1 or more asthma exacer requiring hospitalization, urgent care visit or ED visit in the prev yr, pt has a FEV1 less than 80 percent predicted, Pt has FEV1/FVC less than 0.80, or Pt's asthma worsens upon taper of oral (systemic) corticosteroid therapy. Cont-pt responded to Nucala tx as determined by the prescribing physician AND Pt cont to receive tx with an inhaled corticosteroid. EGPA initial-approve if pt has active, non-severe disease, has/had a blood eosinophil level of greater than or equal to 150 cells per microliter within

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
	<p>the previous 6 wks or within 6 wks prior to any monoclonal antibody that may lower blood eosinophil levels. Cont-pt responded to Nucala tx as determined by the prescribing physician. HES initial-pt has had hypereosinophilic synd for greater than or equal to 6 months AND has FIP1L1-PDGFRalpha-negative dis AND pt does NOT have identifiable non-hematologic secondary cause of hypereosinophilic synd AND prior to initiating tx with monoclonal antibody that may lower blood eosinophil levels, pt has/had a blood eosinophil level of greater than or equal to 1,000 cells per microliter. Cont-approve if the patient has responded to Nucala tx. Nasal polyps, initial-approve if pt meets ALL of the following criteria(A, B, C and D):A) pt has chronic rhinosinusitis w/nasal polyposis as evidenced by direct examination, endoscopy, or sinus CT scan AND B)pt experienced 2 or more of the following sympt for at least 6 months: nasal congest/obstruct/discharge, and/or reduction/loss of smell AND C)pt meets BOTH of the following (a and b): a)Pt has received tx with intranasal corticosteroid AND b)Pt will continue to receive tx with intranasal corticosteroid concomitantly with Nucala AND D)pt meets 1 of the following (a, b or c): a)Pt has received at least 1 course of tx with a systemic corticosteroid for 5 days or more within the previous 2 years, OR b)Pt has a contraindication to systemic corticosteroid tx, OR c)Pt had prior surgery for nasal polyps. Cont-approve if the pt has received at least 6 months of therapy, continues to receive tx with an intranasal corticosteroid and has responded to tx.</p>
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# NUCYNTA ER

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## Products Affected

- NUCYNTA ER

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Acute (ie, non-chronic) pain
Required Medical Information	Pain type (chronic vs acute), prior pain medications/therapies tried, concurrent pain medications/therapies
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 12 months.
Other Criteria	For pain severe enough to require daily, around-the-clock, long-term opioid treatment, approve if all of the following criteria are met: 1) patient is not opioid naive, AND 2) non-opioid therapies have been tried and are being used in conjunction with opioid therapy according to the prescribing physician, AND 3) the prescribing physician has checked the patient's history of controlled substance prescriptions using state prescription drug monitoring program (PDMP), AND 4) the prescribing physician has discussed risks (eg, addiction, overdose) and realistic benefits of opioid therapy with the patient, AND 5) according to the prescriber physician there is a treatment plan (including goals for pain and function) in place and reassessments are scheduled at regular intervals AND 6) patient has tried or has a contraindication to morphine sulfate ER and oxymorphone ER. Patients with cancer, in hospice, sickle cell disease or who reside in a long term care facility are not required to meet above criteria. Clinical criteria incorporated into the quantity limit edits for all oral long-acting opioids require confirmation that the indication is intractable pain (ie, FDA labeled use) prior to reviewing for quantity exception.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Part B Prerequisite	No



# NUEDEXTA

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## Products Affected

- NUEDEXTA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# NUPLAZID

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## Products Affected

- NUPLAZID

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# NURTEC

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## Products Affected

- NURTEC ODT

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Concurrent use with another calcitonin gene-related peptide (CGRP) inhibitor being prescribed for migraine headache prevention if Nurtec ODT is being taking for the preventive treatment of episodic migraine.
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Migraine, Acute treatment-approve. Preventive treatment of episodic migraine-approve if the patient has greater than or equal to 4 but less than 15 migraine headache days per month (prior to initiating a migraine preventive medication).
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# OCALIVA

## Products Affected

- OCALIVA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Prescriber specialty, lab values, prior medications used for diagnosis and length of trials
Age Restrictions	18 years and older (initial)
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a gastroenterologist, hepatologist, or liver transplant physician (initial)
Coverage Duration	6 months initial, 1 year cont.
Other Criteria	Initial treatment of PBC-Patient must meet both 1 and 2-1. Patient has a diagnosis of PBC as defined by TWO of the following:a)Alkaline phosphatase (ALP) elevated above the upper limit of normal as defined by normal laboratory reference values b)Positive anti-mitochondrial antibodies (AMAs) or other PBC-specific auto-antibodies, including sp100 or gp210, if AMA is negative c)Histologic evidence of primary biliary cholangitis (PBC) from a liver biopsy 2. Patient meets ONE of the following: a) Patient has been receiving ursodiol therapy for greater than or equal to 1 year and has had an inadequate response. b) Patient is unable to tolerate ursodiol therapy. Cont tx - approve if the patient has responded to Ocaliva therapy as determined by the prescribing physician (e.g., improved biochemical markers of PBC (e.g., alkaline phosphatase [ALP], bilirubin, gamma-glutamyl transpeptidase [GGT], aspartate aminotransferase [AST], alanine aminotransferase [ALT] levels)). Patients new to therapy and continuing therapy must not have cirrhosis or must have compensated cirrhosis without evidence of portal hypertension.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# OCREVUS

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## Products Affected

- OCREVUS

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Concurrent use with other Disease-Modifying Agents used for MS
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	18 years of age and older
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by, or in consultation with, a physician who specializes in the treatment of MS and/or a neurologist
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	For relapsing remitting disease new starts - patient must have tried and failed two other MS therapies
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# OCTREOTIDE INJECTABLE

## Products Affected

- *octreotide acetate*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Acromegaly-prescr/consult w/endocrinologist. NETs-prescr/consult w/oncologist, endocrinologist, or gastroenterologist. Pheochromocytoma/paraganglioma-prescr/consult w/endo/onc/neuro.Meningioma-prescr/consult w/oncologist, radiologist, neurosurg/thymoma/thymic carcinoma-presc/consult with oncologist
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Acromegaly-approve if patient meets ONE of the following (i, ii, or iii): i. Patient has had an inadequate response to surgery and/or radiotherapy OR ii. Patient is NOT an appropriate candidate for surgery and/or radiotherapy OR iii. Patient is experiencing negative effects due to tumor size (e.g., optic nerve compression) AND Patient has (or had) a pre-treatment (baseline) insulin-like growth factor-1 (IGF-1) level above the upper limit of normal based on age and gender for the reporting laboratory.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Meningioma, thymoma and thymic carcinoma, pheochromocytoma and paraganglioma
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ODOMZO

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## Products Affected

- ODOMZO

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	BCC - Must not have had disease progression while on Erivedge (vismodegib).
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Locally advanced BCC approve if the BCC has recurred following surgery/radiation therapy or if the patient is not a candidate for surgery AND the patient is not a candidate for radiation therapy, according to the prescribing physician. Metastatic BCC - approve, if the disease is limited to nodal metastases. (Note-This includes primary or recurrent nodal metastases. A patient with distant metastasis does not meet this requirement.)
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Metastatic BCC
Part B Prerequisite	No

# OFEV

## Products Affected

- OFEV

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	18 years of age and older
Prescriber Restrictions	IPF-Prescribed by or in consultation with a pulmonologist. Interstitial lung disease associated with systemic sclerosis-prescribed by or in consultation with a pulmonologist or rheumatologist.
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	IPF - must have FVC greater than or equal to 40 percent of the predicted value AND IPF must be diagnosed with either findings on high-resolution computed tomography (HRCT) indicating usual interstitial pneumonia (UIP) or surgical lung biopsy demonstrating UIP. Interstitial lung disease associated with systemic sclerosis-approve if the FVC is greater than or equal to 40 percent of the predicted value and the diagnosis is confirmed by high-resolution computed tomography. Chronic fibrosing interstitial lung disease-approve if the forced vital capacity is greater than or equal to 45 percent of the predicted value AND according to the prescriber the patient has fibrosing lung disease impacting more than 10 percent of lung volume on high-resolution computed tomography AND according to the prescriber the patient has clinical signs of progression.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No



# OJJAARA

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## Products Affected

- OJJAARA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years of age and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Myelofibrosis-approve if the patient has intermediate-risk or high-risk disease and (a or b): a) the patient has anemia, defined as hemoglobin less than 10g/dL or b) the patient has platelet count greater than or equal to 50x10 <sup>9</sup> /L.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ONUREG

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## Products Affected

- ONUREG

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	AML - Approve if the medication is used for post-remission maintenance therapy AND the patient has intermediate or poor-risk cytogenetics OR has complete response to previous intensive induction chemotherapy AND the patient has declined or is not fit or eligible for allogeneic hematopoietic stem cell transplant.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# OPSUMIT

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## Products Affected

- OPSUMIT

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	PAH WHO group, right heart catheterization
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	PAH - must be prescribed by or in consultation with a cardiologist or a pulmonologist.
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year
Other Criteria	Pulmonary arterial hypertension (PAH) WHO Group 1 patients are required to have had a right-heart catheterization to confirm the diagnosis of PAH to ensure appropriate medical assessment.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ORENCIA

## Products Affected

- ORENCIA
- ORENCIA CLICKJECT

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Concurrent use with a Biologic DMARD or Targeted Synthetic DMARD
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	Diagnosis, concurrent medications, previous therapies tried.
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	N/A
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	Initial therapy only-RA and JIA/JRA prescribed by or in consultation with a rheumatologist. PsA-prescribed by or in consultation with a rheumatologist or dermatologist.
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	End of the plan year
<b>Other Criteria</b>	RA, approve if the patient has tried one of the following: Enbrel, a preferred adalimumab product, Rinvoq, Xeljanz. PsA, approve if the patient meets one of the following (i or ii): i. patient is 2 to 5 years of age OR ii. patient is 6 years of age or older and has tried one of the following: Enbrel, a preferred adalimumab product, Rinvoq, Stelara, Skyrizi, Xeljanz. JIA/JRA, approve if the patient has tried one of the following: Enbrel, a preferred adalimumab product, or Xeljanz. Continuation- approve if the patient has had a response as determined by the prescriber. Please Note: preferred adalimumab products include Humira (NDCs starting with -00074), Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with -61314), adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm.
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# ORENITRAM

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## Products Affected

- *orenitram*
- ORENITRAM MONTH 1 TITRATION KT
- ORENITRAM MONTH 2 TITRATION KT
- ORENITRAM MONTH 3 TITRATION KT

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Concurrent Use with Other Inhaled or Parenteral Prostacyclin Agents Used for Pulmonary Hypertension.
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	Diagnosis, results of right heart cath
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	N/A
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	PAH must be prescribed by or in consultation with a cardiologist or a pulmonologist.
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	1 year
<b>Other Criteria</b>	For PAH - must have PAH (WHO Group 1) and had a right heart catheterization to confirm the diagnosis of PAH (WHO Group 1).
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# ORGOVYX

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## Products Affected

- ORGOVYX

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	3 years
Other Criteria	Prostate Cancer-approve
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ORKAMBI

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## Products Affected

- ORKAMBI

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Combination use with Kalydeco, Trikafta or Symdeko.
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	1 year of age and older
Prescriber Restrictions	prescribed by or in consultation with a pulmonologist or a physician who specializes in CF
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	CF - homozygous for the Phe508del (F508del) mutation in the CFTR gene (meaning the patient has two copies of the Phe508del mutation)
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ORSERDU

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## Products Affected

- ORSERDU

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Breast cancer in postmenopausal women or Men-approve if the patient meets the following criteria (A, B, C, D, and E): A) Patient has recurrent or metastatic disease, AND B) Patient has estrogen receptor positive (ER+) disease, AND C) Patient has human epidermal growth factor receptor 2 (HER2)-negative disease, AND D) Patient has estrogen receptor 1 gene (ESR1)-mutated disease, AND E) Patient has tried at least one endocrine therapy. Note: Examples of endocrine therapy include fulvestrant, anastrozole, exemestane, letrozole, and tamoxifen.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No



# OTEZLA SAVER/EXTRA

## Products Affected

- OTEZLA
- OTEZLA STARTER ORAL TABLETS,DOSE PACK 10 MG (4)-20 MG (4)-30 MG (47)

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Concurrent Use with a Biologic or with a Targeted Synthetic Disease-Modifying Antirheumatic Drugs (DMARD).
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	Diagnosis, previous drugs tried
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	18 years and older (initial)
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	All dx, initial only-PsA - Prescribed by or in consultation with a dermatologist or rheumatologist. PP - prescribed by or in consultation with a dermatologist. Behcet's-prescribed by or in consultation with a dermatologist or rheumatologist
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	End of the plan year
<b>Other Criteria</b>	PP, approve if the patient has tried one of the following: traditional systemic agent (eg, MTX, cyclosporine, acitretin, PUVA), TNF, JAK or biologic. PsA, approve if the patient has tried one of the following: traditional systemic agent (eg, MTX, cyclosporine, acitretin, PUVA), TNF, JAK or biologic. Behcet's-patient has oral ulcers or other mucocutaneous involvement AND patient has tried one conventional tx (eg, systemic CSs, immunosuppressants [e.g., AZA, MTX, CSA, chlorambucil, cyclophosphamide] or interferon alfa) or a tumor necrosis factor. PsA/PP/Behcet's cont - pt has received 4 months of therapy and had a response, as determined by the prescribing physician.
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# OXERVATE

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## Products Affected

- OXERVATE

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Treatment duration greater than 16 weeks per affected eye(s)
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by an ophthalmologist or an optometrist
Coverage Duration	Initial-8 weeks, continuation-approve for an additional 8 weeks
Other Criteria	Patients who have already received Oxervate-approve if the patient has previously received less than or equal to 8 weeks of treatment per affected eye(s) and the patient has a recurrence of neurotrophic keratitis.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# PEGASYS

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## Products Affected

- PEGASYS

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, previous medications tried, liver disease compensation status, concomitant medications for HCV
Age Restrictions	HCV - patients 5 years of age or older, HBV - patients 3 years of age or older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# PEMAZYRE

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## Products Affected

- PEMAZYRE

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, prior therapies
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	Cholangiocarcinoma-approve if the patient has unresectable locally advanced or metastatic disease and the tumor has a fibroblast growth factor receptor 2 (FGFR2) fusion or other rearrangement, as detected by an approved test AND the patient has been previously treated with at least one systemic therapy regimen. Myeloid/lymphoid neoplasms-approve if the patient has eosinophilia and the cancer has fibroblast growth factor receptor 1 (FGFR1) rearrangement, as detected by an approved test and the cancer is in chronic phase or blast phase.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# PHENYL BUTYRATE

## Products Affected

- sodium phenylbutyrate*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Concomitant therapy with more than one phenylbutyrate product
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, genetic tests and lab results (as specified in the Other Criteria field)
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a metabolic disease specialist (or specialist who focuses in the treatment of metabolic diseases)
Coverage Duration	Pt meets criteria with no genetic test - 3 mo approval. Pt had genetic test - 12 mo approval
Other Criteria	Urea cycle disorders-approve if genetic testing confirmed a mutation resulting in a urea cycle disorder or if the patient has hyperammonemia diagnosed with an ammonia level above the upper limit of the normal reference range for the reporting laboratory.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# PHEOCHROMOCYTOMA

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## Products Affected

- *metyrosine*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, prior medication trials
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with an endocrinologist or a physician who specializes in the management of pheochromocytoma (initial and continuation therapy for metyrosine)
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year
Other Criteria	If the requested drug is metyrosine for initial therapy, approve if the patient has tried a selective alpha blocker (e.g., doxazosin, terazosin or prazosin). If the requested drug is metyrosine for continuation therapy, approve if the patient is currently receiving metyrosine or has received metyrosine in the past.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# PHOSPHODIESTERASE-5 INHIBITORS FOR PAH

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## Products Affected

- *sildenafil (pulm.hypertension) oral tablet*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Concurrent Use With Guanylate Cyclase Stimulators.
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, right heart cath results
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	For PAH, if prescribed by, or in consultation with, a cardiologist or a pulmonologist.
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	Pulmonary arterial hypertension (PAH) WHO Group 1, are required to have had a right-heart catheterization to confirm diagnosis of PAH to ensure appropriate medical assessment. Clinical criteria incorporated into the quantity limit edits for sildenafil 20 mg tablets require confirmation that the indication is PAH (ie, FDA labeled use) prior to reviewing for quantity exception.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# PIQRAY

## Products Affected

- PIQRAY

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, prior therapies
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Breast Cancer. Approve if the patient meets the following criteria (A, B, C, D, E and F): A) The patient is a postmenopausal female, male or pre/perimenopausal and is receiving ovarian suppression with a gonadotropin-releasing hormone (GnRH) agonist or has had surgical bilateral oophorectomy or ovarian irradiation AND B) The patient has advanced or metastatic hormone receptor (HR)-positive disease AND C) The patient has human epidermal growth factor receptor 2 (HER2)-negative disease AND D) The patient has PIK3CA-mutated breast cancer as detected by an approved test AND E) The patient has progressed on or after at least one prior endocrine-based regimen (e.g., anastrozole, letrozole, exemestane, tamoxifen, toremifene or fulvestrant) AND F) Piqrax will be used in combination with fulvestrant injection.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Treatment of breast cancer in premenopausal women
Part B Prerequisite	No



# PIRFENIDONE

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## Products Affected

- *pirfenidone*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	18 years of age and older
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a pulmonologist
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	IPF - must have FVC greater than or equal to 40 percent of the predicted value AND IPF must be diagnosed with either findings on high-resolution computed tomography (HRCT) indicating usual interstitial pneumonia (UIP) or surgical lung biopsy demonstrating UIP.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# POMALYST

## Products Affected

- POMALYST

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	Kaposi Sarcoma/MM-18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	Kaposi Sarcoma-Approve if the patient meets one of the following (i or ii): i. patient is Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV)-negative OR ii. patient meets both of the following (a and b): a) The patient is Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV)-positive AND b) The patient continues to receive highly active antiretroviral therapy (HAART). CNS Lymphoma-approve if the patient has relapsed or refractory disease. MM-approve if the patient has received at least one other Revlimid (lenalidomide tablets)-containing regimen.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Systemic Light Chain Amyloidosis, Central Nervous System (CNS) Lymphoma
Part B Prerequisite	No

# PRALUENT

## Products Affected

- PRALUENT PEN

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Concurrent use of Leqvio or Repatha.
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	LDL-C and response to other agents, prior therapies tried, medication adverse event history, medical history (as specified in the Other Criteria field)
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	18 years of age and older.
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	Prescribed by, or in consultation with, a cardiologist, endocrinologist, or a physician who focuses in the treatment of CV risk management and/or lipid disorders
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	Authorization will be for 1 year
<b>Other Criteria</b>	Hyperlipidemia in patients with HeFH -approve if meets all of the following 1. Pt has been diagnosed with HeFH AND 2. tried ONE high intensity statin (i.e. atorvastatin greater than or equal to 40 mg daily or rosuvastatin greater than or equal to 20 mg daily) AND 3. LDL-C remains greater than or equal to 70 mg/dL unless is determined to be statin intolerant defined by experiencing statin related rhabdomyolysis or experienced skeletal-related muscle symptoms while receiving separate trials of atorvastatin and rosuvastatin and during both trials the skeletal-related symptoms resolved during d/c. Hyperlipidemia Pt with Clinical ASCVD -approve if meets all of the following: has one of the following conditions prior MI, h/o ACS, diagnosis of angina, h/o CVA or TIA, CAD, PAD, undergone a coronary or other arterial revascularization procedure, AND tried ONE high intensity statin (as defined above) AND LDL-C remains greater than or equal to 70 mg/dL unless the pt is determined to be statin intolerant defined by experiencing statin related rhabdomyolysis or pt experienced skeletal-related muscle symptoms while receiving separate trials of atorvastatin and rosuvastatin and during both trials the skeletal-related symptoms resolved during d/c. Primary hyperlipidemia (not associated with ASCVD, HeFH, or HoFH)-approve if the patient has tried one high-intensity statin therapy (defined above) and ezetimibe for 8 weeks or longer and LDL remains 100 mg/dL or higher unless statin intolerant

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
	(defined above). For all covered diagnoses, patients are required to try Repatha prior to approval of Praluent. For all covered diagnoses, patients are required to try Repatha prior to approval of Praluent.
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# PROMACTA

## Products Affected

- PROMACTA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Cause of thrombocytopenia. Thrombocytopenia due to HCV-related cirrhosis, platelet counts. Severe aplastic anemia, platelet counts and prior therapy. MDS-platelet counts.
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Immune Thrombocytopenia or Aplastic Anemia, prescribed by, or after consultation with, a hematologist (initial therapy). Hep C, prescribed by, or after consultation with, a gastroenterologist, hematologist, hepatologist, or a physician who specializes in infectious disease (initial therapy). MDS-presc or after consult with heme/onc (initial therapy). Post-transplant, prescribed by or in consult with a hematologist, oncologist or stem cell transplant specialist physician (initial)
Coverage Duration	Imm Thrombo/MDS init-3mo,cont 1yr,AA-init-4mo,cont-1yr,Thrombo/HepC-1yr,Transplant-init 3mo,cont 6mo
Other Criteria	Thrombocytopenia in patients with immune thrombocytopenia, initial-approve if the patient has a platelet count less than 30, 000 microliters or less than 50, 000 microliters and the patient is at an increased risk for bleeding AND the patient has tried ONE other therapy or has undergone a splenectomy. Cont-approve if the patient demonstrates a beneficial clinical response and remains at risk for bleeding complications. Treatment of thrombocytopenia in patients with Chronic Hepatitis C initial - approve if the patient will be receiving interferon-based therapy for chronic hepatitis C AND if the patient has low platelet counts at baseline (eg, less than 75,000 microliters). Aplastic anemia initial - approve if the patient has low platelet counts at baseline/pretreatment (e.g., less than 30,000 microliter) AND tried one immunosuppressant therapy (e.g., cyclosporine, mycophenolate mofetil, sirolimus) OR patient will be using Promacta in combination with standard immunosuppressive therapy. Cont-approve if the patient demonstrates a beneficial clinical response. MDS initial-approve if patient has low- to intermediate-risk MDS AND the patient has a platelet count less than 30, 000 microliters or less than 50, 000 microliters

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
	and is at an increased risk for bleeding. Cont-approve if the patient demonstrates a beneficial clinical response and remains at risk for bleeding complications. Thrombocytopenia post-allogeneic trasnplantation, initial - approve if, according to the prescriber, the patient has poor graft function AND has a platelet count less than 50,000/mcL. Cont- patient demonstrated a beneficial clinical response.
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	Thrombocytopenia in Myelodysplastic Syndrome (MDS), Thrombocytopenia in a patient post-allogeneic transplantation
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# PYRIMETHAMINE

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## Products Affected

- *pyrimethamine*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Patient's immune status (Toxoplasma gondii Encephalitis, chronic maintenance and prophylaxis, primary)
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Toxoplasma gondii Encephalitis, Chronic Maintenance and Prophylaxis (Primary)-prescribed by or in consultation with an infectious diseases specialist. Toxoplasmosis Treatment-prescribed by or in consultation with an infectious diseases specialist, a maternal-fetal medicine specialist, or an ophthalmologist.
Coverage Duration	12 months
Other Criteria	Toxoplasma gondii Encephalitis, Chronic Maintenance, approve if the patient is immunosuppressed. Toxoplasma gondii Encephalitis Prophylaxis (Primary), approve if the patient is immunosuppressed.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Chronic maintenance and prophylaxis of Toxoplasma Gondii encephalitis
Part B Prerequisite	No

# QINLOCK

## Products Affected

- QINLOCK

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, other therapies tried
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	Gastrointestinal stromal tumor (GIST)-approve if the patient has tried imatinib or avapritinib tablets, AND the patient meets one of the following criteria (i, ii, or iii): i. Patient has tried sunitinib and regorafenib tablets, OR ii. Patient has tried dasatinib tablets, OR iii. Patient is intolerant of sunitinib. Melanoma, cutaneous-approve if the patient has metastatic or unresectable disease, AND the patient has an activating KIT mutation, AND the patient has tried at least one systemic regimen.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Melanoma, cutaneous
Part B Prerequisite	No



# QUILLICHEW ER

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## Products Affected

- QUILLICHEW ER

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	12 months
Other Criteria	Patients must try and fail methylphenidate ER tablets and dextroamphetamine-amphetamine ER capsules. For patients who cannot swallow whole tablets/capsules, trial is not required.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# QUININE SULFATE

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## Products Affected

- *quinine sulfate*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Excluded if used for treatment or prevention of nocturnal leg cramps.
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 month
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Babesiosis, uncomplicated Plasmodium vivax malaria.
Part B Prerequisite	No

# RADICAVA IV

## Products Affected

- RADICAVA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist, a neuromuscular disease specialist, or a physician specializing in the treatment of ALS (initial and continuation).
Coverage Duration	Initial, 6 months. Continuation, 6 months.
Other Criteria	ALS, initial therapy-approve if the patient meets ALL of the following criteria: 1. According to the prescribing physician, the patient has a definite or probable diagnosis of ALS, based on the application of the El Escorial or the revised Airlie house diagnostic criteria 2. The patient has a score of two points or more on each item of the ALS Functional Rating Scale-Revised (ALSFRS-R) [ie, has retained most or all activities of daily living], AND 3. The patient has a percent predicted FVC greater than or equal to 80% (ie, has normal respiratory function), AND 4. The Patient has been diagnosed with ALS for less than or equal to 2 years 5. Patient has received or is currently receiving riluzole tablets. Note-a trial of Tiglutik or Exservan would also count. ALS, continuation therapy: approve if, according to the prescribing physician, the patient continues to benefit from therapy.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# REMICADE

## Products Affected

- REMICADE

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Concurrent use with Biologic DMARD or Targeted Synthetic.
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	Diagnosis, concurrent medication, previous medications tried
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	CD and UC- Pts aged 6 years or more (initial therapy). PP-18 years and older (initial therapy)
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	All dx Initial therapy only -prescribed by or in consultation with: RA/AS/Still's disease/JIA/JRA-rheumatologist, PP/Pyoderma gangrenosum/Hidradenitis suppurativa-dermatologist, Psoriatic Arthritis-rheum or derm, CD/UC-gastroenterologist, Uveitis ophthalmologist, GVHD-a physician affiliated with a transplant center, oncologist, or hematologist, Behcet's Disease- rheum, derm, ophthalmologist, gastroenterologist, or neurologist, Sarcoidosis-pulmonol, ophthalmol, cardio, neuro, or derm
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	GVHD intl-1 mo, cont-3 mo.Pyoderma Gangrenosum-intl 4 mo, cont 1 yr.all others-intl 3 mo, cont-12 m
<b>Other Criteria</b>	RA initial, patient has tried one conventional synthetic DMARD for at least 3 months (note: patients who have already had a 3-month trial of a biologic or JAK inhibitor for RA are not required to step back and try a conventional synthetic DMARD). JIA/JRA-initial-approve if the patient meets ONE of the following: patient has tried one other medication for this condition for at least 3 months (Note: Examples of other medications for JIA include methotrexate, sulfasalazine, or leflunomide, a nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drug (NSAID), biologic or JAK inhibitor OR Patient has aggressive disease. PP initial, approve if the patient meets one of the following criteria: 1) pt has tried at least one traditional systemic agent (eg, MTX, cyclosporine, acitretin, PUVA) for at least 3 months, unless intolerant (note: pts who have already tried a biologic for psoriasis are not required to step back and try a traditional agent first) OR 2) pt has a contraindication to MTX as determined by the prescribing physician. Uveitis initial, tried one of the following: periocular, intraocular, or

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
	<p>systemic corticosteroid, immunosuppressives or other biologic therapy. GVHD, approve. CD initial, approve if the patient has tried or is currently taking corticosteroids or patient has tried one other agent for CD. UC initial, approve if the patient has had a trial of one systemic agent for at least 3 months (e.g., 6-mercaptopurine, azathioprine, cyclosporine, tacrolimus, biologic, JAK inhibitor or a corticosteroid such as prednisone or methylprednisolone). HS initial, tried ONE other therapy (e.g., intralesional or oral corticosteroids, systemic antibiotics, isotretinoin). Behcet's initial, patient has tried at least one conventional tx (eg, systemic CSs, immunosuppressants [e.g., AZA, MTX, MM, CSA, tacrolimus, chlorambucil, cyclophosphamide] or interferon alfa) or at least one tumor necrosis factor for Behcet's disease OR has ophthalmic manifestations. Still's Disease initial, tried CS AND 1 conventional synthetic DMARD (eg, MTX) for 2 mos, or was intolerant. Prev trial of one biologic other than requested drug or biosimilar of the requested drug also counts. Sarcoidosis initial, tried CS and immunosuppressant (eg, MTX, AZA, CSA, chlorambucil), or chloroquine, or thalidomide. Pyoderma gangrenosum (PG) initial, tried one systemic CS or immunosuppressant (eg, mycophenolate, CSA) for 2 mos or was intolerant to one of these agents. Continuation-approve if the patient has had a response as determined by the prescriber.</p>
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	Patients already started on infliximab for a covered use, Behcet's disease, Still's disease, Uveitis, Pyoderma gangrenosum, Hidradenitis suppurativa, Graft-versus-host disease, Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis (JIA)/JRA, Sarcoidosis
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# REPATHA

## Products Affected

- REPATHA PUSHTRONEX
- REPATHA SYRINGE
- REPATHA SURECLICK

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Concurrent use of Leqvio or Praluent.
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	LDL-C and response to other agents, prior therapies tried, medication adverse event history, medical history (as specified in the Other Criteria field)
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	ASCVD/Primary Hyperlipidemia - 18 yo and older, HoFH/HeFH - 10 yo and older.
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	Prescribed by, or in consultation with, a cardiologist, endocrinologist, or a physician who focuses in the treatment of CV risk management and/or lipid disorders
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	Approve for 1 year
<b>Other Criteria</b>	<p>Hyperlipidemia with HeFH - approve if: 1) diagnosis of HeFH AND 2) tried ONE high intensity statin (i.e. atorvastatin greater than or equal to 40 mg daily or rosuvastatin greater than or equal to 20 mg daily) and LDL remains 70 mg/dL or higher unless pt is statin intolerant defined by experiencing statin related rhabdomyolysis or skeletal-related muscle symptoms while receiving separate trials of atorvastatin and rosuvastatin and during both trials the symptoms resolved upon discontinuation.</p> <p>Hyperlipidemia with ASCVD -approve if: 1) has one of the following conditions: prior MI, h/o ACS, diagnosis of angina, h/o CVA or TIA, CAD, PAD, undergone a coronary or other arterial revascularization procedure, AND 2) tried ONE high intensity statin (defined above) and LDL remains 70 mg/dL or higher unless pt is statin intolerant (defined above). HoFH - approve if: 1) has one of the following: a) genetic confirmation of two mutant alleles at the LDLR, APOB, PCSK9, or LDLRAP1 gene locus, OR b) untreated LDL greater than 500 mg/dL (prior to treatment), OR c) treated LDL greater than or equal to 300 mg/dL (after treatment but prior to agents such as Repatha or Juxtapid), OR d) has clinical manifestations of HoFH (e.g., cutaneous xanthomas, tendon xanthomas, arcus cornea, tuberous xanthomas or xanthelasma), AND 2) tried ONE high intensity statin (defined above) for 8 weeks or longer and</p>

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
	LDL remains 70 mg/dL or higher unless statin intolerant (defined above). Primary hyperlipidemia (not associated with ASCVD, HeFH, or HoFH)- approve if the patient has tried one high-intensity statin therapy (defined above) and ezetimibe for 8 weeks or longer and LDL remains 100 mg/dL or higher unless statin intolerant (defined above).
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# RETEVMO

## Products Affected

- RETEVMO

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	Medullary Thyroid Cancer/Thyroid Cancer-12 years and older, all others 18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer (NSCLC)-Approve if the patient has recurrent, advanced or metastatic disease AND the tumor is RET fusion-positive. Thyroid cancer-approve if the patient has rearranged during transfection (RET) fusion positive or RET mutation positive disease AND the patient meets i or ii: i. patient has anaplastic thyroid cancer OR ii. the disease requires treatment with systemic therapy and patient has medullary thyroid cancer or the disease is radioactive iodine-refractory. Solid tumors-approve if the patient has recurrent, advanced or metastatic disease and the tumor is rearranged during transfection (RET) fusion-positive. Histiocytic neoplasm-approve if the patient has a rearranged during transfection (RET) fusion and has Langerhans cell histiocytosis or Erdheim Chester disease or Rosai-Dorfman disease.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Anaplastic thyroid carcinoma, histiocytic neoplasm
Part B Prerequisite	No



# REZLIDHIA

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## Products Affected

- REZLIDHIA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Acute myeloid leukemia-approve if the patient has relapsed or refractory disease and the patient has isocitrate dehydrogenase-1 (IDH1) mutation positive disease as detected by an approved test.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# REZUROK

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## Products Affected

- REZUROCK

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	12 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Graft-versus-host disease-approve if the patient has chronic graft-versus-host disease and has tried at least two conventional systemic treatments (e.g., ibrutinib, cyclosporine) for chronic graft-versus-host disease.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# RINVOQ

## Products Affected

- RINVOQ

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Concurrent use with biologic therapy or targeted synthetic DMARD.
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	Diagnosis, concurrent medications, previous therapies tried.
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	PsA - 2 years and older (initial therapy), RA/UC/AS/CD-18 years and older (initial therapy), AD-12 years and older (initial therapy)
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	RA/AS/Non-Radiographic Spondy/JIA, prescribed by or in consultation with a rheumatologist. PsA-prescribed by or in consultation with a rheumatologist or a dermatologist. AD-prescr/consult with allergist, immunologist or derm. UC/CD-prescribed by or in consultation with a gastroenterologist.
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	End of the plan year
<b>Other Criteria</b>	RA/PsA/UC/AS/CD/JIA initial - patient has tried a TNF blocker for at least 3 months. AD - patient has tried at one systemic agent for at least 3 months. Examples of traditional systemic therapies include methotrexate, azathioprine, cyclosporine, and mycophenolate mofetil. Non-Radiographic Axial Spondyloarthritis-approve if the patient has objective signs of inflammation defined as at least one of the following: C-reactive protein (CRP) elevated beyond the upper limit of normal for the reporting laboratory OR sacroiliitis reported on MRI and patient has had a 3 month trial of at least one tumor necrosis factor inhibitor or was unable to tolerate a 3- month trial. Continuation-approve if the patient has had a response as determined by the prescriber.
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# ROFLUMILAST (ORAL)

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## Products Affected

- *roflumilast*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD), medications tried.
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	COPD, approve in patients who meet all of the following conditions: Patients has severe COPD or very severe COPD, AND Patient has a history of exacerbations, AND Patient has tried a medication from two of the three following drug categories: long-acting beta2-agonist (LABA) [eg, salmeterol, indacaterol], long-acting muscarinic antagonist (LAMA) [eg, tiotropium], inhaled corticosteroid (eg, fluticasone).
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ROMIDEPSIN

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## Products Affected

- *romidepsin intravenous recon soln*
- ROMIDEPSIN INTRAVENOUS SOLUTION

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis and past medication history.
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	12 months
Other Criteria	Use of romidepsin is considered medically necessary for the treatment of cutaneous T-cell lymphoma in patients that have tried and failed at least 1 prior therapy. B vs D coverage determination.
Indications	All Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ROZLYTREK

## Products Affected

- ROZLYTREK

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	NSCLC-18 years and older, Solid Tumors-1 month and older, Pediatric Diffuse High-Grade Glioma-less than 18 years old
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Solid Tumors-Approve if the patients tumor is positive for neurotrophic receptor tyrosine kinase (NTRK) gene fusion AND the tumor is metastatic OR surgical resection of tumor will likely result in severe morbidity. Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer-Approve if the patient has ROS1-positive metastatic disease and the mutation was detected by an approved test. Pediatric Diffuse High-Grade Glioma- approve if the tumor is positive for neurotrophic receptor tyrosine kinase (NTRK) gene fusion AND the medication is used either as adjuvant therapy or for recurrent or progressive disease.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Pediatric Diffuse High-Grade Glioma
Part B Prerequisite	No

# RUBRACA

## Products Affected

- RUBRACA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis for which Rubraca is being used. BRCA-mutation (germline or somatic) status. Other medications tried for the diagnosis provided
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	<p>Maintenance Therapy of Ovarian, Fallopian tube or Primary peritoneal cancer-Approve if the patient is in complete or partial response after a platinum-based chemotherapy regimen and the patient is in complete or partial response to first-line primary treatment or if the patient has recurrent disease and has a BRCA mutation. Castration-Resistant Prostate Cancer - Approve if the patient meets the following criteria (A, B, C, and D): A) The patient has metastatic disease that is BRCA-mutation positive (germline and/or somatic) AND B) The patient meets one of the following criteria (i or ii): i. The medication is used concurrently with a gonadotropin-releasing hormone (GnRH) analog OR ii. The patient has had a bilateral orchiectomy AND C) The patient has been previously treated with at least one androgen receptor-directed therapy AND D) The patient meets one of the following criteria (i or ii): i. The patient has been previously treated with at least one taxane-based chemotherapy OR ii. The patient is not a candidate or is intolerant to taxane-based chemotherapy. Pancreatic adenocarcinoma-approve if pt has a BRCA mutation or PALB2 mutation AND pt has tried platinum-based chemotherapy AND has not had disease progression following the most recent platinum-based chemotherapy. Uterine leiomyosarcoma-approve if the patient has BRCA2-altered disease and has tried one systemic regimen.</p>
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	Uterine Leiomyosarcoma, Pancreatic Adenocarcinoma
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No



# RUFINAMIDE

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## Products Affected

- *rufinamide*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	Patients 1 years of age or older
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Initial therapy-approve if rufinamide is being used for adjunctive treatment. Continuation-approve if the patient is responding to therapy
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Treatment-Refractory Seizures/Epilepsy
Part B Prerequisite	No

# RYDAPT

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## Products Affected

- RYDAPT

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	For AML, FLT3 status
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	AML-approve if the patient is FLT3-mutation positive as detected by an approved test. Myeloid or lymphoid Neoplasms with eosinophilia-approve if the patient has an FGFR1 rearrangement or has an FLT3 rearrangement.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Myeloid or lymphoid Neoplasms with eosinophilia
Part B Prerequisite	No

# SABRIL

## Products Affected

- *vigabatrin*
- *vigadrone*
- *vigpoder*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, medication history (complex partial seizures)
Age Restrictions	Refractory complex partial seizures - patients 2 years of age or older. Infantile spasms/West Syndrome - patients 1 month to 2 years of age
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# SAPROPTERIN

## Products Affected

- *sapropterin*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Concurrent use with Palynziq
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, Phe concentration
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a specialist who focuses in the treatment of metabolic diseases (initial therapy)
Coverage Duration	Initial-12 weeks, Continuation-1 year
Other Criteria	Initial - approve. Continuation (Note-if the patient has received less than 12 weeks of therapy or is restarting therapy with sapropterin should be reviewed under initial therapy) - approve if the patient has had a clinical response (e.g., cognitive and/or behavioral improvements) as determined by the prescribing physician OR patient had a 20 percent or greater reduction in blood Phe concentration from baseline OR treatment with sapropterin has resulted in an increase in dietary phenylalanine tolerance.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# SCSEMBLIX

## Products Affected

- SCSEMBLIX

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Chronic Myeloid Leukemia (CML)-approve if the patient meets the following (A and B): A) Patient has Philadelphia chromosome-positive chronic myeloid leukemia, AND B) Patient meets one of the following (i or ii): i. The chronic myeloid leukemia is T315I-positive, OR ii. Patient has tried at least two other tyrosine kinase inhibitors indicated for use in Philadelphia chromosome-positive chronic myeloid leukemia. Note: Examples of tyrosine kinase inhibitors include imatinib tablets, Bosulif (bosutinib tablets), Iclusig (ponatinib tablets), Sprycel (dasatinib tablets), and Tasigna (nilotinib capsules). Myeloid/Lymphoid Neoplasms with Eosinophilia - approve if the tumor has an ABL1 rearrangement.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Myeloid/Lymphoid Neoplasms with Eosinophilia
Part B Prerequisite	No

# SIGNIFOR

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## Products Affected

- SIGNIFOR

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	18 years and older (initial therapy)
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with an endocrinologist or a physician or specializes in the treatment of Cushing's syndrome (initial therapy)
Coverage Duration	Cushing's disease/syndrome-Initial therapy - 4 months, Continuation therapy - 1 year.
Other Criteria	Cushing's disease, initial therapy - approve if, according to the prescribing physician, the patient is not a candidate for surgery, or surgery has not been curative. Cushing's disease, continuation therapy - approve if the patient has already been started on Signifor/Signifor LAR and, according to the prescribing physician, the patient has had a response and continuation of therapy is needed to maintain response.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# SIRTURO

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## Products Affected

- SIRTURO

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Patients weighing less than 15 kg
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, concomitant therapy
Age Restrictions	Patients 5 years of age or older
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by, or in consultation with an infectious diseases specialist
Coverage Duration	9 months
Other Criteria	Tuberculosis (Pulmonary) - Approve if the patient has multidrug-resistant tuberculosis and the requested medication is prescribed as part of a combination regimen with other anti-tuberculosis agents
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# SKYRIZI

## Products Affected

- SKYRIZI INTRAVENOUS
- SKYRIZI SUBCUTANEOUS PEN INJECTOR
- SKYRIZI SUBCUTANEOUS SYRINGE 150 MG/ML
- SKYRIZI SUBCUTANEOUS WEARABLE INJECTOR

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Concurrent use with biologic therapy or targeted synthetic DMARD.
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	Diagnosis, concurrent medications, previous therapies tried.
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	PP-18 years of age and older (initial therapy)
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	PP-Prescribed by or in consultation with a dermatologist (initial therapy). Psoriatic arthritis (PsA), prescribed by or in consultation with a rheumatologist or dermatologist. CD, prescribed by or in consultation with a gastroenterologist.
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	End of the plan year
<b>Other Criteria</b>	PP initial, approve if the patient meets one of the following criteria: 1) pt has tried at least one traditional systemic agent (eg, MTX, cyclosporine, acitretin, PUVA) for at least 3 months, unless intolerant (note: pts who have already tried a biologic for psoriasis are not required to step back and try a traditional agent first) OR 2) pt has a contraindication to MTX as determined by the prescribing physician. PsA initial - peripheral disease, patient has tried one conventional synthetic DMARD for at least 3 months, unless intolerant. (note: patients who have already had a 3-month trial of a biologic or JAK inhibitor are not required to step back and try a conventional synthetic DMARD) PsA initial - axial disease (sacroiliitis), patient has tried one conventional synthetic DMARD or NSAID for at least 3 months, unless intolerant. (note: patients who have already had a 3-month trial of a biologic or JAK inhibitor are not required to step back and try a conventional synthetic DMARD or NSAID). CD initial, approve if the patient has tried or is currently taking corticosteroids, or patient has tried one other agent for at least 3 months. Continuation-approve if the patient has had a response as determined by the prescriber.



<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# SOMATULINE

## Products Affected

- SOMATULINE DEPOT

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, previous treatments/therapies
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Acromegaly-prescribed by or in consultation with an endocrinologist. Carcinoid syndrome-prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist, endocrinologist or gastroenterologist. All neuroendocrine tumors-prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist, endocrinologist, or gastroenterologist. Pheochromocytoma/paraganglioma-prescribed by or in consultation with an endo/onc/neuro.
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Acromegaly-approve if the patient has a pre-treatment (baseline) insulin-like growth factor-1 (IGF-1) level above the upper limit of normal based on age and gender for the reporting laboratory AND the patient meets i., ii., or iii: i. has had an inadequate response to surgery and/or radiotherapy or ii. is not an appropriate candidate for surgery and/or radiotherapy or iii. the patient is experiencing negative effects due to tumor size (e.g., optic nerve compression). Neuroendocrine Tumor(s) [NETs] of the Gastrointestinal Tract, Lung, Thymus (Carcinoid Tumors), and Pancreas (including glucagonomas, gastrinomas, vasoactive intestinal peptide-secreting tumors [VIPomas], insulinomas)-approve. Carcinoid Syndrome-approve.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Pheochromocytoma/paraganglioma, Neuroendocrine tumors of the gastrointestinal tract, lung, thymus (carcinoid tumor) and pancreas (including glucagonomas, gastrinomas, vasoactive intestinal peptide-secreting tumors [VIPomas], insulinomas)

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Part B Prerequisite	No

# SOMAVERT

## Products Affected

- SOMAVERT

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, previous therapy, concomitant therapy
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with an endocrinologist
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Acromegaly-approve if patient meets ONE of the following (i, ii, or iii): i. patient has had an inadequate response to surgery and/or radiotherapy OR ii. The patient is NOT an appropriate candidate for surgery and/or radiotherapy OR iii. The patient is experiencing negative effects due to tumor size (e.g., optic nerve compression) AND patient has (or had) a pre-treatment (baseline) insulin-like growth factor-1 (IGF-1) level above the upper limit of normal (ULN) based on age and gender for the reporting laboratory.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# SORAFENIB

## Products Affected

- *sorafenib*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	<p>Bone cancer, approve if the patient has recurrent chordoma or has osteosarcoma and has tried one standard chemotherapy regimen. GIST, approve if the patient has tried TWO of the following: imatinib mesylate, avapritinib, sunitinib, dasatinib, ripretinib or regorafenib. Differentiated (ie, papillary, follicular, Hurthle) thyroid carcinoma (DTC), approve if the patient is refractory to radioactive iodine treatment. Medullary thyroid carcinoma, approve if the patient has tried at least one systemic therapy. AML - Approve if disease is FLT3-ITD mutation positive as detected by an approved test and the medication is used in combination with azacitidine or decitabine or patient has had an allogeneic stem cell transplant and is in remission. Renal cell carcinoma (RCC)-approve if the patient has relapsed or advanced clear cell histology and the patient has tried at least one systemic therapy (e.g., Inlyta, Votrient, Sutent Cabometyx). Ovarian, fallopian tube, primary peritoneal cancer-approve if the patient has platinum resistant disease and sorafenib is used in combination with topotecan. HCC-approve if the patient has unresectable or metastatic disease. Soft tissue sarcoma-approve if the patient has angiosarcoma or desmoid tumors (aggressive fibromatosis) or solitary fibrous tumor/hemangiopericytoma. Myeloid/lymphoid neoplasms with eosinophilia-approve if the tumor has an FLT3 rearrangement.</p>
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	Bone cancer, Soft tissue sarcoma, gastrointestinal stromal tumors (GIST), medullary thyroid carcinoma, Acute Myeloid Leukemia, ovarian, fallopian tube, primary peritoneal cancer, myeloid/lymphoid neoplasms with eosinophilia
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# SPRAVATO

## Products Affected

- SPRAVATO NASAL SPRAY, NON-AEROSOL 56 MG (28 MG X 2), 84 MG (28 MG X 3)

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	18 years of age and older
Prescriber Restrictions	Psychiatrist
Coverage Duration	MDD with Acute Suicidal Ideation or Behavior: 2 mo. Treatment-Resistant Depression: 6 mo
Other Criteria	Major Depressive Disorder with Acute Suicidal Ideation or Behavior-approve if the patient meets the following criteria (A, B and C): A) Patient has major depressive disorder that is considered to be severe, according to the prescriber, AND B) Patient is concomitantly receiving at least one oral antidepressant (Note: Antidepressants may include, but are not limited to, selective serotonin reuptake inhibitors (SSRIs), serotonin-norepinephrine reuptake inhibitors (SNRIs), tricyclic antidepressants (TCAs), mirtazapine, and bupropion), AND C) Patient has one of the following (i or ii): i. No history of psychosis, OR ii. History of psychosis and the prescriber believes that the benefits of Spravato outweigh the risks. Treatment-Resistant Depression-approve if the patient meets the following criteria (A, B, C and D): A) Patient meets both of the following (i and ii): i. Patient has demonstrated nonresponse (less than or equal to 25 percent improvement in depression symptoms or scores) to at least two different antidepressants, each from a different pharmacologic class, according to the prescriber (Note: Different pharmacologic classes of antidepressants include selective serotonin reuptake inhibitors (SSRIs), serotonin-norepinephrine reuptake inhibitors (SNRIs), tricyclic antidepressants (TCAs), bupropion, mirtazapine, etc.) AND ii. Each antidepressant was used at therapeutic dosages for at least 6 weeks in the current episode of depression, according

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
	to the prescriber, AND C) Patient is concomitantly receiving at least one oral antidepressant, AND D) Patient has one of the following (i or ii): i. No history of psychosis, OR ii. History of psychosis and the prescriber believes that the benefits of Spravato outweigh the risks, AND E) The patient history of controlled substance prescriptions has been checked using the state prescription drug monitoring program (PDMP), according to the prescriber.
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No



# SPRYCEL

## Products Affected

- SPRYCEL

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis for which Sprycel is being used. For indications of CML and ALL, the Philadelphia chromosome (Ph) status of the leukemia must be reported. For melanoma, cutaneous- KIT mutation and previous therapies.
Age Restrictions	GIST/chondrocarcoma or chordoma/ melanoma, cutaneous-18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	For CML, patient must have Ph-positive CML. For ALL, patient must have Ph-positive ALL. GIST - approve if the patient has tried imatinib or avapritinib. For melanoma, cutaneous - approve if patient has metastatic or unresectable disease AND has an activating KIT mutation AND has tried at least one systemic regimen.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	GIST, chondrosarcoma, chordoma, melanoma cutaneous
Part B Prerequisite	No

# STELARA

## Products Affected

- STELARA SUBCUTANEOUS

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Concurrent use with biologic therapy or targeted synthetic DMARD.
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	Diagnosis, concurrent medications, previous therapies tried.
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	18 years and older CD/UC (initial therapy). PP/PsA-6 years and older (initial therapy).
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	PP-Prescr/consult w/derm.PsA-prescr/consult w/rheum or derm.CD/UC-prescr/consult w/gastro.
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	End of the plan year
<b>Other Criteria</b>	PsA initial, patient has tried one conventional synthetic DMARD for at least 3 months (note: patients who have already had a 3-month trial of a biologic or JAK inhibitor for PsA are not required to step back and try a conventional synthetic DMARD). PP initial, approve if the patient meets one of the following criteria: 1) pt has tried at least one traditional systemic agent (eg, MTX, cyclosporine, acitretin, PUVA) for at least 3 months, unless intolerant (note: pts who have already tried a biologic for psoriasis are not required to step back and try a traditional agent first) OR 2) pt has a contraindication to MTX as determined by the prescribing physician. CD initial, approve if the patient has tried or is currently taking corticosteroids, or patient has tried one other agent for at least 3 months. UC initial, approve if the patient has had a trial of one systemic agent for at least 3 months (e.g., 6-mercaptopurine, azathioprine, cyclosporine, tacrolimus, biologic, JAK inhibitor or a corticosteroid such as prednisone or methylprednisolone)
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# STIVARGA

## Products Affected

- STIVARGA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis for which Stivarga is being used. Prior therapies tried. For metastatic CRC, KRAS/NRAS mutation status.
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	For GIST, patient must have previously been treated with imatinib or Ayvakit and sunitinib or Sprycel. For HCC, patient must have previously been treated with at least one systemic regimen. Soft tissue sarcoma, advanced or metastatic disease-approve if the patient has non-adipocytic sarcoma, angiosarcoma, or pleomorphic rhabdomyosarcoma. Osteosarcoma/Ewing Sarcoma-approve if the patient has relapsed/refractory or metastatic disease and the patient has tried one systemic chemotherapy regimen. Colon and Rectal cancer/Appendiceal cancer-approve if the patient has advanced or metastatic disease, has been previously treated with a fluoropyrimidine, oxaliplatin, irinotecan and if the patient meets one of the following (i or ii): i. patient's tumor or metastases are wild-type RAS (KRAS wild type and NRAS wild type), the patient has tried Erbitux or Vectibix or the patient's tumor did not originate on the left side of the colon (from the splenic flexure to rectum) or ii. the patient's tumor or metastases has a RAS mutation (either KRAS mutation or NRAS mutation). Glioblastoma-approve if the patient has recurrent or progressive disease.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Soft tissue Sarcoma, Osteosarcoma/Ewing Sarcoma, Glioblastoma, Appendiceal cancer

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Part B Prerequisite	No

# SUCRAID

## Products Affected

- SUCRAID

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, genetic and lab test results (as specified in the Other Criteria field)
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a geneticist, gastroenterologist, a metabolic disorder sub-specialist, or a physician who specializes in the treatment of congenital diarrheal disorders
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Approve if the patient meets the following criteria (A and B): A) The diagnosis is established by one of the following (i or ii): i. Patient has endoscopic biopsy of the small bowel with disaccharidase levels consistent with congenital sucrose-isomaltase deficiency as evidenced by ALL of the following (a, b, c, and d): a) Decreased (usually absent) sucrase (normal reference: greater than 25 U/g protein), b) Decreased to normal isomaltase (palatinase) [normal reference: greater than 5 U/g protein], c) Decreased maltase (normal reference: greater than 100 U/g protein), d) Decreased to normal lactase (normal reference: greater than 15 U/g protein) OR ii. Patient has a molecular genetic test demonstrating homozygous or compound heterozygous pathogenic or likely pathogenic sucrase-isomaltase gene variant AND B) Patient has symptomatic congenital sucrose-isomaltase deficiency (e.g., diarrhea, bloating, abdominal cramping).
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# SUNITINIB

## Products Affected

- *sunitinib malate*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Gastrointestinal stromal tumors (GIST), approve if the patient has tried imatinib or Ayvakit or if the patient has succinate dehydrogenase (SDH)-deficient GIST. Chordoma, approve if the patient has recurrent disease. Differentiated thyroid carcinoma, approve if the patient is refractory to radioactive iodine therapy. Medullary thyroid carcinoma, approve if the patient has tried at least one systemic therapy. Meningioma, approve if the patient has recurrent or progressive disease. Thymic carcinoma - has tried at least one systemic chemotherapy. Renal Cell Carcinoma (RCC), clear cell or non-clear cell histology-approve if the patient is at high risk of recurrent clear cell RCC following nephrectomy and Sutent is used for adjuvant therapy or if the patient has relapsed or advanced disease. Neuroendocrine tumors of the pancreas-approve for advanced or metastatic disease. Pheochromocytoma/paraganglioma-approve if the patient has unresectable or metastatic disease. Myeloid/lymphoid neoplasms with eosinophilia-approve if the tumor has an FLT3 rearrangement.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Chordoma, angiosarcoma, solitary fibrous tumor/hemangiopericytoma, alveolar soft part sarcoma (ASPS), differentiated (ie, papillary, follicular, and Hurthle) thyroid carcinoma, medullary thyroid carcinoma, meningioma, thymic carcinoma, pheochromocytoma/paraganglioma,

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
	myeloid/lymphoid neoplasms with eosinophilia, GIST-unresectable succinate dehydrogenase (SDH)-deficient GIST, or use after avapritinib.
Part B Prerequisite	No

# TABRECTA

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## Products Affected

- TABRECTA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer (NSCLC)-Approve if the patient has advanced or metastatic disease AND the tumor is positive for a mutation that leads to mesenchymal-epithelial transition (MET) exon 14 skipping or high-level MET amplification, as detected by an approved test.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Non-small cell lung cancer with high-level MET amplification.
Part B Prerequisite	No



# TAFAMIDIS

## Products Affected

- VYNDAMAX
- VYNDAQEL

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Concomitant use with Onpattro or Tegsedi. Concurrent use of Vyndaqel and Vyndamax.
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	Diagnosis, genetic tests and lab results (as specified in the Other Criteria field)
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	18 years and older
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	Prescribed by or in consultation with a cardiologist or a physician who specializes in the treatment of amyloidosis
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	1 year
<b>Other Criteria</b>	Cardiomyopathy of Wild-Type or Hereditary Transthyretin Amyloidosis-approve if the diagnosis was confirmed by one of the following (i, ii or iii): i. A technetium pyrophosphate scan (i.e., nuclear scintigraphy),ii. Amyloid deposits are identified on cardiac biopsy OR iii. patient had genetic testing which, according to the prescriber, identified a TTR mutation AND Diagnostic cardiac imaging (e.g., echocardiogram, cardiac magnetic imaging) has demonstrated cardiac involvement (e.g., increased thickness of the ventricular wall or interventricular septum).
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# TAFINLAR

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## Products Affected

- TAFINLAR

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis for which Tafinlar is being used. BRAF V600 mutations
Age Restrictions	1 year and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	Pending CMS review
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Patients with Differentiated Thyroid Cancer, Biliary tract cancer, central nervous system cancer, histiocytic neoplasm, Ovarian, Fallopian Tube, or Primary Peritoneal Cancer, hairy cell leukemia
Part B Prerequisite	No

# TAGRISSO

## Products Affected

- TAGRISSO

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	NSCLC-EGFR Mutation Positive (other than EGFR T790M-Positive Mutation)- approve if the patient has advanced or metastatic disease, has sensitizing EGFR mutation-positive NSCLC as detected by an approved test. Note-examples of sensitizing EGFR mutation-positive NSCLC include the following mutations: exon 19 deletions, exon 21 (L858R) substitution mutations, L861Q, G719X and S7681. NSCLC-EGFR T790M mutation positive-approve if the patient has metastatic EGFR T790M mutation-positive NSCLC as detected by an approved test and has progressed on treatment with at least one of the EGFR tyrosine kinase inhibitors. NSCLC-Post resection-approve if the patient has completely resected disease and has received previous adjuvant chemotherapy or if the patient is ineligible to receive platinum based chemotherapy and the patient has EGFR exon 19 deletions or exon 21 L858R substitution mutations, as detected by an approved test.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# TALTZ

## Products Affected

- TALTZ AUTOINJECTOR
- TALTZ SYRINGE

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Concurrent use with a Biologic DMARD or Targeted Synthetic DMARD.
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	Diagnosis, Previous medication use
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	PP-6 years and older (initial therapy), all other dx-18 years of age and older (initial therapy)
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	All dx initial therapy only-PP-Prescribed by or in consultation with a dermatologist. PsA prescribed by or in consultation with a rheumatologist or a dermatologist. AS-prescribed by or in consultation with a rheum.
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	End of the plan year
<b>Other Criteria</b>	PP initial, approve if the patient meets one of the following criteria: 1) pt has tried at least one traditional systemic agent (eg, MTX, cyclosporine, acitretin, PUVA) for at least 3 months, unless intolerant (note: pts who have already tried a biologic for psoriasis are not required to step back and try a traditional agent first) OR 2) pt has a contraindication to MTX as determined by the prescribing physician. PsA initial, patient has tried one conventional synthetic DMARD for at least 3 months (note: patients who have already had a 3-month trial of a biologic or JAK inhibitor for RA/PsA are not required to step back and try a conventional synthetic DMARD). Non-Radiographic Axial Spondyloarthritis-approve if the patient has objective signs of inflammation defined as at least one of the following: C-reactive protein (CRP) elevated beyond the upper limit of normal for the reporting laboratory OR sacroiliitis reported on MRI and patient has had a 3 month trial of at least one tumor necrosis factor inhibitor or was unable to tolerate a 3- month trial. Continuation-approve if the patient has had a response as determined by the prescriber.
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Part B Prerequisite	No

# TALZENNA

## Products Affected

- TALZENNA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Recurrent or metastatic breast cancer-approve if the patient has germline BRCA mutation-positive disease. Prostate cancer - approve if the patient has metastatic castration resistant prostate cancer, AND is using this medication concurrently with a gonadotropin-releasing hormone (GnRH) analog or has had a bilateral orchiectomy AND the patient has homologous recombination repair (HRR) gene-mutated disease [Note: HRR gene mutations include ATM, ATR, BRCA1, BRCA2, CDK12, CHEK2, FANCA, MLH1, MRE11A, NBN, PALB2, or RAD51C] AND the medication is used in combination with Xtandi (enzalutamide capsules and tablets).
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# TARGRETIN TOPICAL

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## Products Affected

- *bexarotene*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist or dermatologist (initial and continuation)
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Adult T-Cell Leukemia/Lymphoma- approve if the patient has chronic/smoldering subtype and this medication is used as first-line therapy.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Adult T-Cell Leukemia/Lymphoma
Part B Prerequisite	No

# TASIGNA

## Products Affected

- TASIGNA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	N/A
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	Diagnosis for which Tasigna is being used. For indication of CML and ALL, the Philadelphia chromosome (Ph) status of the leukemia must be reported. For indication of gastrointestinal stromal tumor (GIST) and melanoma, cutaneous, prior therapies tried. For melanoma, cutaneous, KIT mutation status.
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	ALL/GIST/Myeloid/lymphoid neoplasms/melanoma, cutaneous-18 years and older
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	N/A
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	Authorization will be for 12 months.
<b>Other Criteria</b>	Patients new to therapy with Acute lymphoblastic leukemia, philadelphia chromosome positive or chronic myeloid leukemia- approve if the patient has tried Sprycel and had an inadequate response or significant intolerance or have a contraindication or are not a candidate for Sprycel. For GIST, approve if the patient has tried two of the following: imatinib, avapritinib, sunitinib, dasatinib, regorafenib or ripretinib. Myeloid/lymphoid neoplasms with eosinophilia-approve if the tumor has an ABL1 rearrangement. Pigmented villonodular synovitis/tenosynovial giant cell tumor-approve if the patient has tried Turalio or cannot take Turalio, according to the prescriber. For melanoma, cutaneous - approve if the patient has metastatic or unresectable disease AND has an activating KIT mutation AND has tried at least one systemic regimen.
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	Philadelphia positive Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia (ALL) and Gastrointestinal Stromal Tumor (GIST), Pigmented villonodular synovitis/tenosynovial giant cell tumor, Myeloid/Lymphoid neoplasms with Eosinophilia, melanoma cutaneous.



<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# TAZAROTENE

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## Products Affected

- *tazarotene topical cream*
- *tazarotene topical gel 0.05 %*
- TAZAROTENE TOPICAL GEL 0.1 %

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Cosmetic uses
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Acne vulgaris after a trial with at least 1 other topical retinoid product (eg, tretinoin cream/gel/solution/microgel, adapalene).
Indications	All Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# TAZVERIK

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## Products Affected

- TAZVERIK

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	Epithelioid Sarcoma-16 years and older, Follicular Lymphoma-18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Epithelioid Sarcoma-approve if the patient has metastatic or locally advanced disease and the patient is not eligible for complete resection. Follicular Lymphoma-approve if the patient has relapsed or refractory disease and there are no appropriate alternative therapies or the patient has tried at least two prior systemic therapies.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# TEPMETKO

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## Products Affected

- TEPMETKO

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	NSCLC-approve if the patient has advanced or metastatic disease and the tumor is positive for mesenchymal-epithelial transition (MET) exon 14 skipping mutations or patient has high-level MET amplification, as detected by an approved test.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Non-small cell lung cancer with high-level MET amplification.
Part B Prerequisite	No

# TERIFLUNOMIDE

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## Products Affected

- *teriflunomide*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Concurrent use of teriflunomide with other disease-modifying agents used for multiple sclerosis (MS)
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	Relapsing form of MS, to include, clinically-isolated syndrome, relapsing-remitting disease, and active secondary progressive disease.
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	N/A
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	Prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist or MS specialist.
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	Authorization will be for 1 year.
<b>Other Criteria</b>	Initial - patient has tried two of the following: dimethyl fumarate, Vumerity, glatiramer, Betaseron
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# TETRABENAZINE

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## Products Affected

- *tetrabenazine*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	For treatment of chorea associated with Huntington's disease, Tourette syndrome or related tic disorders, hyperkinetic dystonia, or hemiballism, must be prescribed by or after consultation with a neurologist. For TD, must be prescribed by or after consultation with a neurologist or psychiatrist.
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	Chorea associated with Huntington's Disease-approve if the diagnosis of Huntington's Disease is confirmed by genetic testing.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Tardive dyskinesia (TD). Tourette syndrome and related tic disorders. Hyperkinetic dystonia. Hemiballism.
Part B Prerequisite	No

# THALOMID

## Products Affected

- THALOMID

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	MM, myelofibrosis-18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year
Other Criteria	Erythem Nodosum Leprosum-approve. Multiple Myeloma-approve. Discoid lupus erythematosus or cutaneous lupus erythematosus, approve if the patient has tried at least two other therapies (eg, corticosteroids [oral, topical, intralesional], hydroxychloroquine, tacrolimus [Protopic], methotrexate, dapsone, acitretin [Soriatane]). Myelofibrosis, approve if according to the prescriber the patient has anemia and has serum erythropoietin levels greater than or equal to 500 mU/mL or if the patient has serum erythropoietin level less than 500 mU/mL and experienced no response or loss of response to erythropoietic stimulating agents. Prurigo nodularis, approve. Recurrent aphthous ulcers or aphthous stomatitis, approve if the patient has tried at least two other therapies (eg, topical or intralesional corticosteroids, systemic corticosteroids, topical anesthetics/analgesics [eg, benzocaine lozenges], antimicrobial mouthwashes [eg, tetracycline], acyclovir, colchicine). Kaposi's Sarcoma-approve if the patient has tried at least one regimen or therapy and has relapsed or refractory disease. Castleman's disease-approve if the patient has multicentric Castleman's disease, is negative for the human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) and human herpesvirus-8 (HHV-8).
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	Discoid lupus erythematosus or cutaneous lupus erythematosus, Myelofibrosis, Prurigo nodularis, Recurrent aphthous ulcers or aphthous stomatitis, Kaposi's Sarcoma, Castleman's Disease.
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No



# TIBSOVO

## Products Affected

- TIBSOVO

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, IDH1 Status
Age Restrictions	All diagnoses (except chondrosarcoma)-18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	AML- approve if the disease is isocitrate dehydrogenase-1 (IDH1) mutation positive, as detected by an approved test. Cholangiocarcinoma-approve if the disease is isocitrate dehydrogenase-1 (IDH1) mutation positive and has been previously treated with at least one chemotherapy regimen (Part B before Part D Step Therapy - applies only to beneficiaries enrolled in an MA-PD plan). Chondrosarcoma-approve if the disease is isocitrate dehydrogenase-1 (IDH1) mutation positive. Central nervous system cancer-approve if the patient has recurrent or progressive disease, AND patient has World Health Organization (WHO) grade 2 or 3 oligodendroglioma, OR Patient has WHO grade 2 astrocytoma. Myelodysplastic Syndrome-approve if patient has isocitrate dehydrogenase-1 (IDH1) mutation-positive disease AND relapsed or refractory disease.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Chondrosarcoma, Central nervous system cancer
Part B Prerequisite	No

# TOLVAPTAN

## Products Affected

- TOLVAPTAN ORAL TABLET 15 MG
- *tolvaptan oral tablet 30 mg*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Concurrent use with Jynarque.
Required Medical Information	Serum sodium less than 125 mEq/L at baseline or less marked hyponatremia, defined as serum sodium less than 135 mEq/L at baseline, that is symptomatic (eg, nausea, vomiting, headache, lethargy, confusion).
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 30 days
Other Criteria	Hyponatremia - Pt must meet ONE of the following: 1. serum sodium less than 125 mEq/L at baseline, OR 2. marked hyponatremia, defined as less than 135 mEq/L at baseline, that is symptomatic (eg, nausea, vomiting, headache, lethargy, confusion), OR 3. patient has already been started on tolvaptan and has received less than 30 days of therapy.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# TOPICAL AGENTS FOR ATOPIC DERMATITIS

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## Products Affected

- *tacrolimus topical*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 12 months.
Other Criteria	Authorize use in patients who have tried a prescription strength topical corticosteroid (brand or generic) for the current condition. Dermatologic condition on or around the eyes, eyelids, axilla, or genitalia, authorize use without a trial of a prescription strength topical corticosteroid.
Indications	All Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# TOPICAL RETINOID PRODUCTS

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## Products Affected

- *tretinoin*
- *tretinoin microspheres topical gel 0.1 %*
- *tretinoin microspheres topical gel with pump 0.1 %*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Coverage is not provided for cosmetic use.
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	N/A
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	N/A
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	N/A
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	Authorization will be for 12 months
<b>Other Criteria</b>	N/A
<b>Indications</b>	All Medically-accepted Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# TOPIRAMATE/ZONISAMIDE

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## Products Affected

- EPRONTIA
- *topiramate oral capsule, sprinkle*
- *topiramate oral capsule, extended release 24hr 200 mg*
- *topiramate oral tablet*
- ZONISADE
- *zonisamide*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Coverage is not provided for weight loss or smoking cessation.
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	N/A
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	N/A
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	N/A
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	Authorization will be for 1 year.
<b>Other Criteria</b>	N/A
<b>Indications</b>	All Medically-accepted Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# TRANSMUCOSAL FENTANYL DRUGS

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## Products Affected

- *fentanyl citrate buccal lozenge on a handle*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 12 months.
Other Criteria	For breakthrough pain in patients with cancer if patient is unable to swallow, has dysphagia, esophagitis, mucositis, or uncontrollable nausea/vomiting OR patient is unable to take 2 other short-acting narcotics (eg, oxycodone, morphine sulfate, hydromorphone, etc) secondary to allergy or severe adverse events AND patient is on or will be on a long-acting narcotic (eg, Duragesic), or the patient is on intravenous, subcutaneous, or spinal (intrathecal, epidural) narcotics (eg, morphine sulfate, hydromorphone, fentanyl citrate). Clinical criteria incorporated into the quantity limit edits for all transmucosal fentanyl drugs require confirmation that the indication is breakthrough cancer pain (ie, FDA labeled use) prior to reviewing for quantity exception.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# TRELSTAR

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## Products Affected

- TRELSTAR INTRAMUSCULAR  
SUSPENSION FOR RECONSTITUTION

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a oncologist or urologist
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Part B versus Part D determination will be made at time of prior authorization review per CMS guidance.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# TRIENTINE

## Products Affected

- CUVRIOR
- *trientine oral capsule 250 mg*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, medication history, pregnancy status, disease manifestations (all as described in Other Criteria)
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a gastroenterologist, hepatologist, or liver transplant physician.
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year
Other Criteria	For Wilson's Disease, approve if the patient meets A and B: A) Diagnosis of Wilson's disease is confirmed by ONE of the following (i or ii): i. Genetic testing results confirming biallelic pathogenic ATP7B mutations (in either symptomatic or asymptomatic individuals), OR ii. Confirmation of at least two of the following (a, b, c, or d): a. Presence of Kayser-Fleischer rings, OR b. Serum ceruloplasmin levels less than 20mg/dL, OR c. Liver biopsy findings consistent with Wilson's disease, OR d. 24-hour urinary copper greater than 40 micrograms/24 hours, AND B) Patient meets ONE of the following: 1) Patient has tried a penicillamine product and per the prescribing physician the patient is intolerant to penicillamine therapy, OR 2) Per the prescribing physician, the patient has clinical features indicating the potential for intolerance to penicillamine therapy (ie, history of any renal disease, congestive splenomegaly causing severe thrombocytopenia, autoimmune tendency), OR 3) Per the prescribing physician, the patient has a contraindication to penicillamine therapy, OR 4) The patient has neurologic manifestations of Wilson's disease, OR 5) The patient is pregnant, OR 6) the patient has been started on therapy with trientine.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A



PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Part B Prerequisite	No

# TRIKAFTA

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## Products Affected

- TRIKAFTA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Patients with unknown CFTR gene mutations. Combination therapy with Orkambi, Kalydeco or Symdeko.
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, specific CFTR gene mutations, concurrent medications
Age Restrictions	2 years of age and older
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a pulmonologist or a physician who specializes in CF
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	CF - must have at least one F508del mutation in the CFTR gene or a mutation in the CFTR gene that is responsive to the requested medication.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# TRUQAP

## Products Affected

- TRUQAP

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Breast Cancer-Approve if the patient meets the following (A, B, C, D and E): A) Patient has locally advanced or metastatic disease, AND B) Patient has hormone receptor positive (HR+) disease, AND C) Patient has human epidermal growth factor receptor 2 (HER2)-negative disease, AND D) Patient has at least one phosphatidylinositol 3-kinase (PIK3CA), serine/threonine protein kinase (AKT1), or phosphatase and tensin homolog (PTEN)-alteration, AND E) Patient meets one of the following (i or ii): i. Patient has had progression with at least one endocrine-based regimen in the metastatic setting (Note: Examples of endocrine therapy include anastrozole, exemestane, and letrozole.) OR ii. Patient has recurrence on or within 12 months of completing adjuvant endocrine therapy.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# TUKYSA

## Products Affected

- TUKYSA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, prior therapies
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Breast Cancer-approve if the patient has recurrent or metastatic human epidermal growth factor receptor 2 (HER2)-positive disease, has received at least one prior anti-HER2-based regimen in the metastatic setting and Tukysa is used in combination with trastuzumab and capecitabine. Colon/Rectal Cancer-approve if the requested medication is used in combination with trastuzumab, patient has unresectable or metastatic disease, human epidermal growth factor receptor 2 (HER2)-positive disease, AND Patient's tumor or metastases are wild-type RAS (KRAS wild-type and NRAS wild-type).
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# TURALIO

## Products Affected

- TURALIO ORAL CAPSULE 125 MG

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Tenosynovial Giant Cell Tumor (Pigmented Villonodular Synovitis)-approve if, according to the prescriber, the tumor is not amenable to improvement with surgery. Histiocytic Neoplasms-approve if the patient has a colony stimulating factor 1 receptor (CSF1R) mutation AND has one of the following conditions (i, ii, or iii): i. Langerhans cell histiocytosis OR ii. Erdheim-Chester disease OR iii. Rosai-Dorfman disease.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Histiocytic Neoplasms
Part B Prerequisite	No

# TYMLOS

## Products Affected

- TYMLOS

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Concomitant use with other medications for osteoporosis (eg, denosumab [Prolia], bisphosphonates, calcitonin nasal spray [Fortical], Forteo), Evenity, except calcium and Vitamin D. Previous use of Tymlos for a combined total no greater than 2 years duration during a patient's lifetime.
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	Previous medications tried, renal function
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	N/A
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	N/A
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	Authorization will be for 2 years of total therapy over a patient's lifetime
<b>Other Criteria</b>	Treatment of PMO and treatment of osteoporosis in men, approve if the patient meets ONE of the following criteria: patient has tried one oral bisphosphonate or cannot take an oral bisphosphonate because the patient cannot swallow or has difficulty swallowing or patient cannot remain in an upright position post oral bisphosphonate administration or patient has a pre-existing GI medical condition (eg, patient with esophageal lesions, esophageal ulcers, or abnormalities of the esophagus that delay esophageal emptying [stricture, achalasia]), OR patient has tried an IV bisphosphonate (ibandronate or zoledronic acid), OR patient has severe renal impairment or CKD, OR patient has had an osteoporotic fracture or fragility fracture.
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# TZIELD

## Products Affected

- TZIELD

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Diagnosis of clinical type 1 diabetes (i.e., Stage 3 type 1 diabetes) or type 2 diabetes
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	<p>Patient meets ALL of the following (A, B, C and D): A) has tested positive for at least TWO of the following type 1 diabetes-related autoantibodies on two separate occasions: anti-glutamic acid decarboxylase 65 (anti-GAD65), anti-islet antigen-2 (anti-IA-2), islet-cell autoantibody (ICA), micro insulin, or anti-zinc transporter 8 (anti-ZnT8). B) Patient meets both of the following (i and ii): i. Patient has taken an oral glucose tolerance test within the preceding 2 months AND ii. The results of the oral glucose tolerance test indicated dysglycemia by meeting at least one of the following (a, b, or c): a) Fasting plasma glucose level greater than or equal to 110 to less than 126 mg/dL OR b) 2-hour postprandial plasma glucose level greater than or equal to 140 to less than 200 mg/dL OR c) Intervening postprandial glucose level at 30, 60, or 90 minutes greater than 200 mg/dL. C) At baseline (prior to the initiation of Tzield), patient does NOT have evidence of hematologic compromise, as defined by meeting the following (i, ii, iii, and iv): i. Lymphocyte count greater than or equal to 1,000 lymphocytes/mcL AND ii. Hemoglobin greater than or equal to 10 g/dL AND iii. Platelet count greater than or equal to 150,000 platelets/mcL AND iv. Absolute neutrophil count greater than or equal to 1,500 neutrophils/mcL AND D) At baseline (prior to the initiation of Tzield), patient does NOT have evidence of hepatic compromise, as defined by meeting the following (i, ii, and iii): i. Alanine aminotransferase (ALT) greater than or equal to 2 times the upper limit of normal (ULN) AND ii. Aspartate aminotransferase (AST) greater than or equal to 2 times the ULN AND iii. Bilirubin greater than or equal to 1.5 times the ULN.</p>
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	8 years and older
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	Prescribed by or in consultation with an endocrinologist
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	14 days

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
<b>Other Criteria</b>	Patient meets all the following (A, B and C): A) has at least one biologicalrelative with a diagnosis of type 1 diabetes B) According to the prescriber,the patient does NOT have any of the following (i, ii, or iii): i. Laboratoryor clinical evidence of acute infection with Epstein-Barr Virus orcytomegalovirus OR ii. Active serious infection OR iii. Chronic activeinfection (other than localized skin infection) AND C) Patient has NOTreceived Tzield in the past
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No



# UBRELVY

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## Products Affected

- UBRELVY

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Migraine, Acute treatment-approve
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# VALCHLOR

## Products Affected

- VALCHLOR

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	Cutaneous lymphoma-18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Cutaneous Lymphomas (Note-includes mycosis fungoides/Sezary syndrome, primary cutaneous B-cell lymphoma, primary cutaneous CD30+ T-cell lymphoproliferative disorders)-approve. Adult T-Cell Leukemia/Lymphoma-approve if the patient has chronic/smoldering subtype of adult T-cell leukemia/lymphoma. Langerhans cell histiocytosis-approve if the patient has unifocal Langerhans cell histiocytosis with isolated skin disease.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Adults with T-cell leukemia/lymphoma, Langerhans Cell Histiocytosis
Part B Prerequisite	No

# VALTOCO

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## Products Affected

- VALTOCO

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, other medications used at the same time
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Intermittent Episodes of Frequent Seizure Activity (i.e., seizure clusters, acute repetitive seizures)-approve if the patient is currently receiving maintenance antiseizure medication(s).
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# VANCOMYCIN

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## Products Affected

- *vancomycin oral capsule*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	2 weeks
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# VANFLYTA

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## Products Affected

- VANFLYTA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Acute Myeloid Leukemia: approve if the patient has FLT3-ITD mutation-positive disease as detected by an approved test and this medication is being used for induction, re-induction, consolidation, or maintenance treatment.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# VENCLEXTA

## Products Affected

- VENCLEXTA
- VENCLEXTA STARTING PACK

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, prior therapy
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	AML-approve if used in combination with azacitidine, decitabine, or cytarabine. CLL/SLL- approve. Mantle Cell Lymphoma- approve if the patient has tried at least one systemic regimen. Multiple Myeloma- approve if the patient has t (11,14) translocation AND has tried at least one systemic regimen for multiple myeloma AND Venclexta will be used in combination with dexamethasone. Systemic light chain amyloidosis-approve if the patient has t (11, 14) translocation and has tried at least one systemic regimen. Waldenstrom Macroglobulinemia/Lymphoplasmacytic Lymphoma-approve if the patient has tried at least one systemic regimen.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Mantle Cell Lymphoma, waldenstrom macroglobulinemia/lymphoplasmacytic lymphoma, multiple myeloma, systemic light chain amyloidosis
Part B Prerequisite	No

# VENTAVIS

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## Products Affected

- VENTAVIS

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	12 months
Other Criteria	B vs D coverage determination
Indications	All Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# VERQUVO

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## Products Affected

- VERQUVO

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	12 months
Other Criteria	Patient has symptomatic chronic heart failure, an ejection fraction less than 45% and for new starts, has had either a hospitalization for heart failure within the last six months or has needed outpatient IV diuretics within the last three months.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No



# VERZENIO

## Products Affected

- VERZENIO

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Breast cancer: HR status, HER2 status, previous medications/therapies tried, concomitant therapy, menopausal status
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	<p>Breast Cancer, Early-Approve if pt meets (A,B,C and D): A)Pt has HR+disease, AND B)Pt has HER2-negative breast cancer, AND C)Pt has node-positive disease at high risk of recurrence AND D)Pt meets ONE of the following (i or ii): i.Verzenio will be used in combo w/anastrozole, exemestane, or letrozole AND pt meets one of the following (a,b, or c): a)Pt is a postmenopausal woman, OR b)Pt is a pre/perimenopausal woman and meets one of the following 1 or 2:1-Pt is receiving ovarian suppression/ablation with a gonadotropin-releasing hormone (GnRH) agonist, OR 2-Pt has had surgical bilateral oophorectomy or ovarian irradiation, OR c)Pt is a man and pt is receiving a GnRH analog, OR ii.Verzenio will be used in combo with tamoxifen AND pt meets one of the following (a or b): a)Pt is a postmenopausal woman or man OR b)Pt is a pre/perimenopausal woman and meets one of the following 1 or 2:1-Pt is receiving ovarian suppression/ablation with a GnRH agonist, OR 2-Patient has had surgical bilateral oophorectomy or ovarian irradiation. Breast Cancer-Recurrent or Metastatic in Women-Approve if pt meets (A, B, C and D): A) Pt has HR+ disease, AND B)Pt has HER2-negative breast cancer, AND C)Pt meets ONE of the following criteria (i or ii): i.Pt is a postmenopausal woman, OR ii.Pt is a pre/perimenopausal woman and meets one of the following (a or b): a)Pt is receiving ovarian suppression/ablation with a GnRH agonist, OR b)Pt has had surgical bilateral oophorectomy or ovarian irradiation, AND D)Pt meets ONE of the</p>

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
	<p>following criteria (i, ii, or iii): i.Verzenio will be used in combo with anastrozole, exemestane, or letrozole, OR ii.Verzenio will be used in combo with fulvestrant, OR iii.pt meets the following conditions (a, b, and c): a)Verzenio will be used as monotherapy, AND b)Pt's breast cancer has progressed on at least one prior endocrine therapy, AND c)Pt has tried chemotherapy for metastatic breast cancer.Breast Cancer-Recurrent or Metastatic in Men-Approve if pt meets the following criteria (A,B and C): A)Pt has HR+ disease, AND B)Pt has HER2-negative breast cancer, AND C)Pt meets ONE of the following criteria (i, ii, or iii): i.Pt meets BOTH of the following conditions (a and b): a)Pt is receiving a GnRH analog, AND b)Verzenio will be used in combo with anastrozole, exemestane, or letrozole, OR ii.Verzenio will be used in combo with fulvestrant, OR iii.Pt meets the following conditions (a, b, and c): a)Verzenio will be used as monotherapy, AND b)Pt's breast cancer has progressed on at least one prior endocrine therapy, AND c)Pt has tried chemotherapy for metastatic breast cancer. Endometrial cancer- approve if pt meets all of (A, B, And C): A) pt has recurrent or metastatic disease, and B) pt has estrogen receptor (ER)-positive tumors, and C) pt will be using in combination with letrozole.</p>
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	Endometrial cancer
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# VICTOZA

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## Products Affected

- VICTOZA 3-PAK

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year
Other Criteria	For all covered diagnoses, patients are required to try Ozempic, Rybelsus, Bydureon, Trulicity or Mounjaro prior to approval of Victoza.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# VITRAKVI

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## Products Affected

- VITRAKVI

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, NTRK gene fusion status
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Solid tumors - approve if the tumor is positive for neurotrophic receptor tyrosine kinase (NTRK) gene fusion AND the tumor is metastatic or surgical resection of tumor will likely result in severe morbidity.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# VIZIMPRO

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## Products Affected

- VIZIMPRO

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, EGFR status, exon deletions or substitutions
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	NSCLC-approve if the patient has advanced or metastatic disease, has sensitizing EGFR mutation-positive NSCLC as detected by an approved test. Note: Examples of sensitizing EGFR mutation-positive NSCLC include the following mutations: exon 19 deletions, exon 21 (L858R) substitution mutations, L861Q, G719X and S7681.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# VONJO

## Products Affected

- VONJO

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Myelofibrosis (MF), including primary MF, post-polycythemia Vera MF, and Post-Essential Thrombocythemia MF-approve if the patient meets either (A, or B, or C): (A) the patient has a platelet count of less than $50 \times 10^9 /L$ (less than 50,000/mcL) and meets one of the following criteria (a or b):a) Patient has intermediate-risk or high-risk disease and is not a candidate for transplant, Patient has lower-risk disease OR (B) Patient has a platelet count of greater than or equal to $50 \times 10^9 /L$ (greater than or equal to 50,000/mcL) and meets all of the following criteria (a, b and c): a) Patient has high-risk disease, AND b) Patient is not a candidate for transplant, AND c) Patient has tried Jakafi (ruxolitinib tablets) or Inrebic (fedratinib capsules) OR (C) patient has myelofibrosis-associated anemia with symptomatic splenomegaly and/or constitutional symptoms.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# VOSEVI

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## Products Affected

- VOSEVI

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Genotype, prescriber specialty, other medications tried or used in combination with requested medication
Age Restrictions	18 years or older
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a gastroenterologist, hepatologist, infectious diseases physician, or a liver transplant physician
Coverage Duration	Will be c/w AASLD guidance and inclusive of treatment already received for the requested drug
Other Criteria	Criteria will be applied consistent with current AASLD/IDSA guidance.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Indications consistent with current AASLD/IDSA guidance
Part B Prerequisite	No

# VOTRIENT

## Products Affected

- *pazopanib*
- VOTRIENT

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	<p>Soft tissue sarcoma other than GIST-approve if the patient has advanced or metastatic disease and has ONE of the following: alveolar soft part sarcoma, angiosarcoma, desmoid tumors (aggressive fibromatosis, dermatofibrosarcoma protuberans with fibrosarcomatous transformation, non-adipocytic sarcoma or pleomorphic rhabdomyosarcoma.</p> <p>Differentiated (ie, papillary, follicular, Hurthle) thyroid carcinoma, approve if the patient is refractory to radioactive iodine therapy. Uterine sarcoma, approve if the patient has recurrent or metastatic disease. Renal Cell Carcinoma, Clear Cell or non-Clear Cell histology-approved if the patient has relapsed or advanced disease or VonHippel-Lindau disease. Ovarian Cancer (ie, Epithelial Ovarian, Fallopian Tube, or Primary Peritoneal Cancer) - approve if the patient has persistent or recurrent disease. GIST - approve if the patient has succinate dehydrogenase (SDH)-deficient GIST OR the patient has tried TWO of the following: Gleevec, Ayvakit, Sutent, Sprycel, Qinlock or Stivarga. Medullary Thyroid Carcinoma, approve if the patient has tried at least one systemic therapy. Bone cancer-approve if the patient has chondrosarcoma and has metastatic widespread disease.</p>
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Differentiated (ie, papillary, follicular, Hurthle cell) thyroid carcinoma. Uterine sarcoma, Epithelial Ovarian, Fallopian Tube, or Primary Peritoneal



<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
	Cancer, Gastrointestinal Stromal Tumor (GIST), Medullary thyroid carcinoma, bone cancer.
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# VUMERITY

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## Products Affected

- VUMERITY

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Concurrent use with other disease-modifying agents used for multiple sclerosis (MS)
Required Medical Information	Relapsing form of Multiple Sclerosis (MS), to include, clinically-isolated syndrome, relapsing-remitting disease, and active secondary progressive disease.
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist or a physician who specializes in the treatment of MS.
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	Cont tx-approve if the patient has been established on Vumerity.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# WELIREG

## Products Affected

- WELIREG

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Renal Cell Carcinoma- approve if pt has advanced disease AND has tried at least one programmed death receptor-1 (PD-1) or programmed death-ligand 1 (PD-L1) inhibitor AND has tried at least one a vascular endothelial growth factor tyrosine kinase inhibitor (VEGF-TKI). [Note: Examples of PD-1 inhibitor or PD-L1 inhibitor include: Keytruda (pembrolizumab intravenous infusion), Opdivo (nivolumab intravenous infusion), and Bavencio (avelumab intravenous infusion). Examples of VEGF-TKI include Cabometyx (cabozantinib tablets), Lenvima (lenvatinib capsules), Inlyta (axitinib tablets), Fotivda (tivozanib capsules), pazopanib, sunitinib, and sorafenib.] Van Hippel-Lindau Disease-approve if the patient meets the following (A, B, and C): A) Patient has a von Hippel-Lindau (VHL) germline alteration as detected by genetic testing, B) Does not require immediate surgery and C) Patient requires therapy for ONE of the following conditions (i, ii, iii, or iv): i. Central nervous system hemangioblastomas, OR ii. Pancreatic neuroendocrine tumors, OR iii. Renal cell carcinoma, OR iv. Retinal hemangioblastoma.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# XALKORI

## Products Affected

- XALKORI

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	Anaplastic large cell lymphoma/IMT-patients greater than or equal to 1 year of age. All other diagnoses-18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Metastatic non-small cell lung cancer-approve if the patient has anaplastic lymphoma kinase (ALK)-positive disease, as detected by an approved test and patients new to therapy must have a trial of Alecensa prior to approval of Xalkori. Metastatic non-small cell lung cancer, approve if the patient has ROS1 rearrangement positive disease, as detected by an approved test. Anaplastic Large Cell Lymphoma-approve if the patient has anaplastic lymphoma kinase (ALK)-positive disease AND (i or ii): (i) the medication is used for palliative-intent therapy, or (ii) pt has received at least one prior systemic treatment. Histiocytic neoplasm-approve if the patient has ALK rearrangement/fusion-positive disease and meets one of the following criteria (i, ii, or iii): (i. Patient has Langerhans cell histiocytosis, OR ii. Patient has Erdheim-Chester disease OR iii. Patient has Rosai-Dorfman disease. NSCLC with MET mutation-approve if the patient has high level MET amplification or MET exon 14 skipping mutation. Inflammatory Myofibroblastic Tumor-approve if the patient has ALK positive disease and the patient has advanced, recurrent or metastatic disease or the tumor is inoperable. Melanoma, cutaneous-approve if the patient has ALK fusion disease or ROS1 fusion disease.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	NSCLC with high level MET amplification or MET Exon 14 skipping mutation, Histiocytic neoplasms, melanoma, cutaneous.
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# XATMEP

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## Products Affected

- XATMEP

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	12 months
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# XCOPRI

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## Products Affected

- XCOPRI 100MG X1), 350 MG/DAY (200 MG X1-150MG X1)
- XCOPRI MAINTENANCE PACK ORAL TABLET 250MG/DAY(150 MG X1-150MG X1)
- XCOPRI TITRATION PACK

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	12 months
Other Criteria	Approve if the patient has tried one other anticonvulsant therapy (eg, carbamazepine, divalproex sodium, lamotrigine, levetiracetam, oxcarbazepine, phenytoin, topiramate, valproic acid).
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# XDEMVY

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## Products Affected

- XDEMVY

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	6 weeks
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No



# XELJANZ PDP

## Products Affected

- XELJANZ
- XELJANZ XR

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Concurrent use with biologic therapy or targeted synthetic DMARD.
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, concurrent medications, previous therapies tried.
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	RA, JIA/JRA, Ankylosing spondylitis, prescribed by or in consultation with a rheumatologist. PsA prescribed by or in consultation with a rheumatologist or a dermatologist. UC-prescribed by or in consultation with a gastroenterologist.
Coverage Duration	End of the plan year
Other Criteria	Initial - Approve if the patient has tried a TNF, JAK or other biologic for at least 3 months. Continuation-approve if the patient has had a response as determined by the prescriber.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# XERMELO

## Products Affected

- XERMELO

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, previous therapy, concomitant therapy
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Initial therapy - approve if the patient meets ALL of the following criteria: 1) patient has been on long-acting somatostatin analog (SSA) therapy (eg, Somatuline Depot [lanreotide for injection]) AND 2) while on long-acting SSA therapy (prior to starting Xermelo), the patient continues to have at least four bowel movements per day, AND 3) Xermelo will be used concomitantly with a long-acting SSA therapy. Continuation therapy - approve if the patient is continuing to take Xermelo concomitantly with a long-acting SSA therapy for carcinoid syndrome diarrhea.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# XGEVA

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## Products Affected

- XGEVA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	12 months
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# XIAFLEX

## Products Affected

- XIAFLEX

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Retreatment (i.e., treatment beyond eight injections for Peyronie's Disease).
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	Diagnosis
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	18 years and older
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	Dupuytren's Contracture-administered by a healthcare provider experienced in injection procedures of the hand and in the treatment of Dupuytren's contracture. Peyronie's Disease -administered by a healthcare provider experienced in the treatment of male urological diseases.
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	Dupuytren's Contracture-3 months, Peyronie's Disease-6 months
<b>Other Criteria</b>	Dupuytren's Contracture-at baseline (prior to initial injection of Xiaflex), the patient had contracture of a metacarpophalangeal (MP) or proximal interphalangeal (PIP) joint of at least 20 degrees AND the patient will not be treated with more than a total of three injections (maximum) per affected cord as part of the current treatment course. Peyronie's Disease-the patient meets ONE of the following (i or ii): i. at baseline (prior to use of Xiaflex), the patient has a penile curvature deformity of at least 30 degrees OR in a patient who has received prior treatment with Xiaflex, the patient has a penile curvature deformity of at least 15 degrees AND the patient has not previously been treated with a complete course (8 injections) of Xiaflex for Peyronie's disease.
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# XIFAXAN

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## Products Affected

- XIFAXAN

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	Hepatic encephalopathy, irritable bowel syndrome - 18 years of age or older. Traveler's diarrhea - 12 years of age or older.
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Hepatic Encephalopathy-6 months, IBS with diarrhea-14 days, Traveler's diarrhea-3 days
Other Criteria	For IBS with diarrhea - customers are limited to 3 courses
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# XOLAIR

## Products Affected

- XOLAIR

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Concurrent use with another monoclonal antibody therapy.
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	Moderate to severe persistent asthma, baseline IgE level of at least 30 IU/mL. For asthma, patient has a baseline positive skin test or in vitro testing (ie, a blood test for allergen-specific IgE antibodies such as an enzyme-linked immunoabsorbant assay (eg, immunoCAP, ELISA) or the RAST) for 1 or more perennial aeroallergens (eg, house dust mite, animal dander [dog, cat], cockroach, feathers, mold spores) and/or for 1 or more seasonal aeroallergens (grass, pollen, weeds). CIU - must have urticaria for more than 6 weeks (prior to treatment with Xolair), with symptoms present more than 3 days/wk despite daily non-sedating H1-antihistamine therapy (e.g., cetirizine, desloratadine, fexofenadine, levocetirizine, loratadine).
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	Moderate to severe persistent asthma-6 years and older. CIU-12 years and older. Polyps-18 years and older. Food Allergy-1 yr and older
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	Moderate to severe persistent asthma if prescribed by, or in consultation with an allergist, immunologist, or pulmonologist. CIU if prescribed by or in consultation with an allergist, immunologist, or dermatologist. Polyps-prescribed by or in consult with an allergist, immunologist, or otolaryngologist. Food allergy- allergist or immunologist
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	asthma/CIU-Initial tx 4 months, Polyps-initial-6 months, continued tx 12 months, Food allergy-1 yr
<b>Other Criteria</b>	Moderate to severe persistent asthma approve if pt meets criteria 1 and 2: 1) pt has received at least 3 months of combination therapy with an inhaled corticosteroid and at least one additional asthma controller or asthma maintenance medication (Examples: LABA, LAMA, leukotriene receptor antagonist, monoclonal antibody therapies for asthma) and 2)patient's asthma is uncontrolled or was uncontrolled prior to receiving Xolair or another monoclonal antibody therapy for asthma as defined by ONE of the following (a, b, c, d, or e): a) The patient experienced two or more asthma exacerbations requiring treatment with systemic corticosteroids in the previous year OR b) The patient experienced one or more asthma exacerbation requiring hospitalization, urgent care visit or an Emergency

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
	<p>Department (ED) visit in the previous year OR c) Patient has a forced expiratory volume in 1 second (FEV1) less than 80% predicted OR d) Patient has an FEV1/forced vital capacity (FVC) less than 0.80 OR e) The patient's asthma worsens upon tapering of oral corticosteroid therapy</p> <p>NOTE: An exception to the requirement for a trial of one additional asthma controller/maintenance medication can be made if the patient has already received anti-IL-4/13 therapy (Dupixent) used concomitantly with an ICS.</p> <p>For continued Tx for asthma - patient has responded to therapy as determined by the prescribing physician and continues to receive therapy with one inhaled corticosteroid or inhaled corticosteroid containing combination product. For CIU cont tx - have responded to therapy as determined by the prescribing physician.</p> <p>Nasal Polyps Initial-Approve if the patient has a baseline (defined as prior to receiving any treatment with Xolair or another monoclonal antibody therapy that may lower IgE) IgE level greater than or equal to 30 IU/ml, patient is experiencing significant rhinosinusitis symptoms such as nasal obstruction, rhinorrhea, or reduction/loss of smell and patient is currently receiving therapy with an intranasal corticosteroid. Nasal polyps continuation-approve if the patient continues to receive therapy with an intranasal corticosteroid and has responded to therapy.</p> <p>IgE-Mediated Food Allergy-approve if pt meets (A, B, C and D): (A) baseline IgE greater than or equal to 30 IU/mL, and (B) positive skin prick test to one or more foods and positive in vitro test for IgE to one or more foods, and (C) history of allergic reaction that met all of the following: pt demonstrated signs and symptoms of a significant systemic allergic reaction, and reaction occurred within a short period of time following a known ingestion of the food, and prescriber deemed this reaction significant enough to require a prescription for an epinephrine auto-injector, and (D) pt has been prescribed an epinephrine auto-injector.</p>
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# XOSPATA

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## Products Affected

- XOSPATA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, FLT3-mutation status
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	AML - approve if the patient has relapsed or refractory disease AND the disease is FLT3-mutation positive as detected by an approved test. Lymphoid, Myeloid Neoplasms-approve if the patient has eosinophilia and the disease is FLT3-mutation positive as detected by an approved test.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Lymphoid, Myeloid Neoplasms
Part B Prerequisite	No



# XPOVIO

## Products Affected

- XPOVIO ORAL TABLET 100 MG/WEEK (50 MG X 2), 40 MG/WEEK (40 MG X 1), 40MG TWICE WEEK (40 MG X 2), 60 MG/WEEK (60 MG X 1), 60MG TWICE WEEK (120 MG/WEEK), 80 MG/WEEK (40 MG X 2), 80MG TWICE WEEK (160 MG/WEEK)

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis, prior therapies
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Multiple Myeloma-Approve if the patient meets the following (A and B): A) The medication will be taken in combination with dexamethasone AND B) Patient meets one of the following (i, ii, or iii): i. Patient has tried at least four prior regimens for multiple myeloma OR ii. Patient meets both of the following (a and b): a) Patient has tried at least one prior regimen for multiple myeloma AND b) The medication will be taken in combination with bortezomib OR iii. Patient meets both of the following (a and b): a) Patient has tried at least one prior regimen for multiple myeloma AND b) The medication will be taken in combination with Darzalex (daratumumab infusion), Darzalex Faspro (daratumumab and hyaluronidase-fihj injection), or Pomalyst (pomalidomide capsules). Note: Examples include bortezomib/Revlimid (lenalidomide capsules)/dexamethasone, Kyprolis (carfilzomib infusion)/Revlimid/dexamethasone, Darzalex (daratumumab injection)/bortezomib or Kyprolis/dexamethasone, or other regimens containing a proteasome inhibitor, immunomodulatory drug, and/or anti-CD38 monoclonal antibody. Diffuse large B-cell lymphoma Note: this includes patients with histologic transformation of indolent lymphomas to diffuse large B-cell lymphoma)-approve if the patient has been treated with at least two prior systemic therapies.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	Treatment of multiple myeloma in combination with daratumumb or pomalidomide
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# XTAMPZA ER

## Products Affected

- XTAMPZA ER

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Acute (ie, non-chronic) pain
Required Medical Information	Pain type (chronic vs acute), prior pain medications/therapies tried, concurrent pain medications/therapies
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 12 months.
Other Criteria	For pain severe enough to require daily, around-the-clock, long-term opioid treatment, approve if all of the following criteria are met: 1) patient is not opioid naive, AND 2) non-opioid therapies have been tried and are being used in conjunction with opioid therapy according to the prescribing physician, AND 3) the prescribing physician has checked the patient's history of controlled substance prescriptions using state prescription drug monitoring program (PDMP), AND 4) the prescribing physician has discussed risks (eg, addiction, overdose) and realistic benefits of opioid therapy with the patient, AND 5) according to the prescriber physician there is a treatment plan (including goals for pain and function) in place and reassessments are scheduled at regular intervals AND 6) patient has tried or has a contraindication to morphine sulfate ER and oxymorphone ER. Patients with cancer, in hospice, sickle cell disease or who reside in a long term care facility are not required to meet above criteria. Clinical criteria incorporated into the quantity limit edits for all oral long-acting opioids require confirmation that the indication is intractable pain (ie, FDA labeled use) prior to reviewing for quantity exception.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Part B Prerequisite	No

# XTANDI

## Products Affected

- XTANDI

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis for which Xtandi is being used.
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	Prostate cancer-castration-resistant [Metastatic or Non-metastatic] and Prostate cancer-metastatic, castration sensitive-approve if Xtandi will be used concurrently with a gonadotropin-releasing hormone (GnRH) analog [for example: leuprolide acetate, Lupron Depot (leuprolide acetate intramuscular injection), Trelstar (triptorelin pamoate intramuscular injection), Zoladex (goserelin acetate subcutaneous implant), Vantas (histrelin acetate subcutaneous implant), Firmagon (degarelix subcutaneous injection), Orgovyx (relugolix tablets)] or if the patient has had a bilateral orchiectomy. Prostate cancer- Non-Metastatic, Castration-Sensitive - approve if pt has biochemical recurrence and is at high risk for metastasis. [Note: High-risk biochemical recurrence is defined as prostate-specific antigen (PSA) doubling time less than or equal to 9 months.]
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# XYREM

## Products Affected

- SODIUM OXYBATE

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Concomitant use with Xywav, Wakix or Sunosi
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	Medication history (as described in Other Criteria field)
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	7 years and older
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	Prescribed by a sleep specialist physician or a Neurologist
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	12 months.
<b>Other Criteria</b>	For Excessive daytime sleepiness (EDS) in patients with narcolepsy, 18 years and older - approve if the patient has tried one CNS stimulant (e.g., methylphenidate, dextroamphetamine), modafinil, or armodafinil and narcolepsy has been confirmed with polysomnography and a multiple sleep latency test (MSLT). For EDS in patients with narcolepsy, less than 18 years old-approve if the patient has tried one CNS stimulant (e.g., methylphenidate, dextroamphetamine) or modafinil and narcolepsy has been confirmed with polysomnography and a multiple sleep latency test (MSLT). Cataplexy treatment in patients with narcolepsy-approve if narcolepsy has been confirmed with polysomnography and a multiple sleep latency test (MSLT).
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# ZEJULA

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## Products Affected

- ZEJULA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Ovarian, fallopian tube, or primary peritoneal cancer, maintenance therapy - approve if the patient is in complete or partial response after platinum-based chemotherapy regimen and if the patient is in complete or partial response to first-line primary treatment or if the patient has recurrent disease and a BRCA mutation. Uterine leiomyosarcoma-approve if the patient has BRCA2 mutation and has tried one systemic regimen.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Uterine Leiomyosarcoma
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ZELBORAF

## Products Affected

- ZELBORAF

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	BRAFV600 mutation status required.
Age Restrictions	All diagnoses (except CNS cancer)-18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	Melanoma, patient new to therapy must have BRAFV600 mutation for approval AND have unresectable, advanced or metastatic melanoma. HCL - must have tried at least one other systemic therapy for hairy cell leukemia OR is unable to tolerate purine analogs and Zelboraf will be used in combination with Gazyva (obinutuzumab intravenous infusion) as initial therapy. Thyroid Cancer-patient has disease that is refractory to radioactive iodine therapy. Erdheim-Chester disease, in patients with BRAF V600 mutation-approve. Central Nervous System Cancer-approve if the patient has BRAF V600 mutation-positive disease AND medication is being used for one of the following situations (i, ii, or iii): i. Adjuvant treatment of one of the following conditions (a, b, or c): a) Pilocytic astrocytoma OR b) Pleomorphic xanthoastrocytoma OR c) Ganglioglioma OR ii. Recurrent or progressive disease for one of the following conditions (a or b): a) glioma OR b) Glioblastoma OR iii. Melanoma with brain metastases AND the medication will be taken in combination with Cotellic (cobimetinib tablets). Histiocytic Neoplasm-approve if the patient has Langerhans cell histiocytosis and one of the following (i, ii, or iii): i. Multisystem disease OR ii. Pulmonary disease OR iii. Central nervous system lesions AND the patient has BRAF V600-mutation positive disease.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.



PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	Patients with Hairy Cell Leukemia, Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer (NSCLC) with BRAF V600E Mutation, Differentiated thyroid carcinoma (i.e., papillary, follicular, or Hurthle cell) with BRAF-positive disease, Central Nervous System Cancer, Histiocytic Neoplasm
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# ZEPOSIA

## Products Affected

- ZEPOSIA
- ZEPOSIA STARTER KIT (28-DAY)
- ZEPOSIA STARTER PACK (7-DAY)

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	MS-Concurrent use with other disease-modifying agents used for multiple sclerosis. UC- Concurrent Use with a Biologic or with a Targeted Synthetic Disease-modifying Antirheumatic Drug (DMARD) for Ulcerative Colitis
<b>Required Medical Information</b>	Diagnosis
<b>Age Restrictions</b>	UC-18 years and older
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	MS-Prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist or a physician who specializes in the treatment of multiple sclerosis. UC-Prescribed by or in consultation with a gastroenterologist
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	1 year
<b>Other Criteria</b>	MS-approve. Ulcerative Colitis, initial-approve if the patient has tried a preferred adalimumab product Note-a trial of Simponi SC, a non-preferred adalimumab product or infliximab would also count). Cont tx-approve if the patient has been established on Zeposia. Please Note: preferred adalimumab products include Humira (NDCs starting with -00074), Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with -61314), adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm (NDCs starting with -00597).
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	N/A
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

# ZIEXTENZO

## Products Affected

- ZIEXTENZO

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Cancer patients receiving chemotherapy, if prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist or hematologist. PBPC-prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist, hematologist, or physician that specializes in transplantation
Coverage Duration	Cancer pts receiving chemo-6 mo. PBPC-1 mo
Other Criteria	Cancer patients receiving chemotherapy, approve if-the patient is receiving myelosuppressive anti-cancer medications that are associated with a high risk of febrile neutropenia (the risk is at least 20 percent based on the chemotherapy regimen), OR the patient is receiving myelosuppressive anti-cancer medications that are associated with a risk of febrile neutropenia but the risk is less than 20 percent based on the chemotherapy regimen) and the patient has one or more risk factors for febrile neutropenia according to the prescribing physician (eg, aged greater than or equal to 65 years, prior chemotherapy or radiation therapy, persistent neutropenia, bone marrow involvement by tumor, recent surgery and/or open wounds, liver and/or renal dysfunction, poor performance status or HIV infection, OR the patient has had a neutropenic complication from prior chemotherapy and did not receive prophylaxis with a colony stimulating factor and a reduced dose or frequency of chemotherapy may compromise treatment.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Patients undergoing PBPC collection and therapy
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ZOLINZA

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## Products Affected

- ZOLINZA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Cutaneous T-Cell Lymphoma including Mycosis Fungoides/Sezary Syndrome-approve.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ZTALMY

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## Products Affected

- ZTALMY

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	2 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	Seizures associated with cyclin-dependent kinase-like 5 (CDKL5) deficiency disorder-approve if the patient has a molecularly confirmed pathogenic or likely pathogenic mutation in the CDKL5 gene and patient has tried or is concomitantly receiving two other antiepileptic drugs.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ZTLIDO

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## Products Affected

- ZTLIDO

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 12 months
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Diabetic neuropathic pain, chronic back pain
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ZURZUVAE

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## Products Affected

- ZURZUVAE

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Previous treatment with Zurzuvae during the current episode of postpartum depression
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	Prescribed by or in consultation with a psychiatrist or an obstetrician-gynecologist
Coverage Duration	14 days
Other Criteria	Postpartum depression-approve if the patient meets the following (A, B and C): A.Patient meets BOTH of the following (i and ii): i. Patient has been diagnosed with severe depression, AND ii. Symptom onset began during the third trimester of pregnancy or up to 4 weeks post-delivery, AND B. Patient is less than or equal to 12 months postpartum, AND C. Patient is not currently pregnant.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ZYDELIG

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## Products Affected

- ZYDELIG

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be 1 year
Other Criteria	CLL/SLL-approve if the patient has tried at least one systemic regimen.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	small lymphocytic lymphoma
Part B Prerequisite	No



# ZYKADIA

## Products Affected

- ZYKADIA

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	Erdheim-Chester Disease-approve if the patient has anaplastic lymphoma kinase (ALK) rearrangement/fusion-positive disease. NSCLC, ALK positive-approve if the patient has advanced or metastatic disease that is ALK positive as detected by an approved test and for patients new to therapy must have a trial of Alecensa prior to approval of Zykadia. NSCLC, ROS1 Rearrangement-approve if the patient has advanced or metastatic disease.
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
Off-Label Uses	Inflammatory Myofibroblastic Tumor (IMT) with ALK Translocation. Patients with NSCLC with ROS1 Rearrangement. Erdheim-Chester disease.
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ZYPREXA RELPREVV

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## Products Affected

- ZYPREXA RELPREVV

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	Dementia-related psychosis
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	Patients aged less than 65 years, approve. Patients aged 65 years and older, other criteria apply.
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	1 year
Other Criteria	N/A
Indications	All FDA-approved Indications.
Off-Label Uses	N/A
Part B Prerequisite	No

# ZYTIGA

## Products Affected

- *abiraterone*

PA Criteria	Criteria Details
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	18 years and older
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Authorization will be for 1 year.
Other Criteria	Prostate Cancer-Metastatic, Castration-Resistant (mCRPC)-Approve if abiraterone is being used in combination with prednisone or dexamethasone and the medication is used concurrently used with a gonadotropin-releasing hormone (GnRH) agonist, or the medication is concurrently used with Firmagon or the patient has had a bilateral orchiectomy. Prostate cancer-metastatic, castration-sensitive (mCSPC)-approve if the medication is used in combination with prednisone and the medication is concurrently used with a gonadotropin-releasing hormone agonist or concurrently used with Firmagon or the patient has had a bilateral orchiectomy. Prostate Cancer - Regional Risk Group - Approve if the patient meets all of the following criteria (A, B, and C): A) abiraterone is used in combination with prednisone AND B) Patient has regional lymph node metastases and no distant metastases AND C) Patient meets one of the following criteria (i, ii or iii): i. abiraterone with prednisone is used in combination with gonadotropin-releasing hormone (GnRH) agonist OR ii. Patient has had a bilateral orchiectomy OR iii. the medication is used in combination with Firmagon. Prostate cancer-very-high-risk-group-approve if according to the prescriber the patient is in the very-high-risk group, the medication will be used in combination with prednisone, the medication will be used in combination with external beam radiation therapy and the patient meets one of the following criteria (i, ii or iii): i. abiraterone is used in combination with gonadotropin-releasing hormone (GnRH) agonist OR

<b>PA Criteria</b>	<b>Criteria Details</b>
	ii. Patient has had a bilateral orchiectomy OR iii. the medication is used in combination with Firmagon. Prostate cancer-radical prostatectomy-approve if the medication is used in combination with prednisone, the patient has prostate specific antigen (PSA) persistence or recurrence following radical prostatectomy, patient has pelvic recurrence, the medication will be used concurrently with GnRH agonist, Firmagon or the patient has had a bilateral orchiectomy.
<b>Indications</b>	All FDA-approved Indications, Some Medically-accepted Indications.
<b>Off-Label Uses</b>	Prostate Cancer-Regional Risk Group, Prostate cancer-very-high-risk group, Prostate cancer-radical prostatectomy
<b>Part B Prerequisite</b>	No

## PART B VERSUS PART D

### Products Affected

- *acetylcysteine*
- *acyclovir sodium intravenous solution*
- *albuterol sulfate inhalation solution for nebulization*
- *amiodarone intravenous solution*
- *aprepitant*
- *arformoterol*
- *arsenic trioxide*
- ATGAM
- *azacitidine*
- *azathioprine oral tablet 50 mg*
- *azathioprine sodium*
- BELEODAQ
- *bendamustine*
- BENDEKA
- *bleomycin*
- BLINCYTO INTRAVENOUS KIT
- *budesonide inhalation*
- BUSULFAN
- *carboplatin intravenous solution*
- *carmustine intravenous recon soln 100 mg*
- *cisplatin intravenous solution*
- *cladribine*
- CLINIMIX 5%/D15W SULFITE FREE
- CLINIMIX 4.25%/D10W SULF FREE
- CLINIMIX 4.25%/D5W SULFIT FREE
- CLINIMIX 5%-D20W(SULFITE-FREE)
- CLINIMIX 6%-D5W (SULFITE-FREE)
- CLINIMIX 8%-D10W(SULFITE-FREE)
- CLINIMIX 8%-D14W(SULFITE-FREE)
- CLINIMIX E 4.25%/D10W SUL FREE
- *clinisol sf 15 %*
- *clofarabine*
- *cromolyn inhalation*
- *cyclophosphamide intravenous recon soln*
- CYCLOPHOSPHAMIDE INTRAVENOUS SOLUTION 100 MG/ML, 200 MG/ML
- *cyclophosphamide intravenous solution 500 mg/ml*
- *cyclophosphamide oral capsule*
- *cyclophosphamide oral tablet 25 mg*
- CYCLOPHOSPHAMIDE ORAL TABLET 50 MG
- *cyclosporine intravenous*
- *cyclosporine modified*
- *cyclosporine oral capsule*
- *cytarabine*
- *cytarabine (pf)*
- *dacarbazine*
- *dactinomycin*
- *daunorubicin*
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