



# MISSISSIPPI DIVISION OF MEDICAID UNIVERSAL PREFERRED DRUG LIST

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<b>ACNE AGENTS</b>			
<b>ANTI-INFECTIVE</b>			
	clindamycin gel (generic Cleocin-T) clindamycin lotion clindamycin solution	ACZONE (dapson) AKNE-MYCIN (erythromycin) azelaic acid AMZEEQ FOAM (minocycline) AZELEX (azelaic acid) CLEOCIN-T (clindamycin) CLINDAMYCIN PAC (clindamycin) CLINDAGEL (clindamycin) clindamycin foam clindamycin gel daily (generic Clindagel) dapson ERY (erythromycin) ERYGEL (erythromycin) erythromycin gel, swabs, solution EVOCLIN (clindamycin) KLARON (sulfacetamide) sulfacetamide WINLEVI (clascoterone)	<b>Maximum Age Limit</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>21 years</b> – all agents except isotretinoin</li> </ul>
<b>RETINOIDS</b>			
	RETIN-A (tretinoin) tretinoin cream	adapalene AKLIEF (trifarotene) ALTRENO (tretinoin) ARAZLO (tazarotene) ATRALIN (tretinoin) AVITA (tretinoin) DIFFERIN (adapalene)	

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		FABIOR (tazarotene) PLIXDA (adapalene) RETIN-A MICRO (tretinoin) tazarotene TAZORAC (tazarotene) tretinoin gel tretinoin micro	
<b>COMBINATION DRUGS/OTHERS</b>			
	adapalene/benzoyl peroxide (generic EPIDUO) benzoyl peroxide/clindamycin (generic DUAC) sodium sulfacetamide/sulfur foam/gel/suspension SSS 10/5 Cream (sodium sulfacetamide/sulfur)	ACANYA (benzoyl peroxide/clindamycin) adapalene/benzoyl peroxide (generic EPIDUO FORTE) AKTIPAK (erythromycin/benzoyl peroxide) BENZACLIN GEL (benzoyl peroxide/clindamycin) BENZACLIN KIT (benzoyl peroxide/ clindamycin) BENZAMYCIN PAK (benzoyl peroxide/ erythromycin) CABTREO (clindamycin phosphate/adapalene/ benzoyl peroxide) DUAC (benzoyl peroxide/clindamycin) EPIDUO (adapalene/benzoyl peroxide) EPIDUO FORTE (adapalene/benzoyl peroxide) EPSOLAY (benzoyl peroxide) erythromycin/benzoyl peroxide INOVA 4/1 (benzoyl peroxide/salicylic acid) INOVA 8/2 (benzoyl peroxide/salicylic acid) NEUAC (benzoyl peroxide/clindamycin) ONEXTON (benzoyl peroxide/clindamycin) PRASCION (sulfacetamide sodium/sulfur) ROSANIL (sulfacetamide sodium/sulfur)	

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		SE BPO (benzoyl peroxide) sodium sulfacetamide/sulfur cleanser/cream/lotion/pads sodium sulfacetamide/sulfur/meratan SSS 10/5 Foam (sodium sulfacetamide/sulfur) sulfacetamide sodium/sulfur/urea VELTIN (clindamycin/tretinoin) ZENCIA WASH (sulfacetamide sodium/sulfur) ZIANA (clindamycin/tretinoin)	
<b>KERATOLYTICS (BENZOYL PEROXIDES)</b>			
	benzoyl peroxide bar, cleanser, cream, gel, lotion, wash <sup>Rx &amp; OTC</sup>	benzoyl peroxide foam <sup>Rx &amp; OTC</sup> BP 5.5% (benzoyl peroxide) BPO (benzoyl peroxide) <sup>Rx &amp; OTC</sup> INOVA (benzoyl peroxide) LAVOCLEN (benzoyl peroxide) PANOXYL BAR 10% (benzoyl peroxide) <sup>OTC</sup> PANOXYL CREAM 3% (benzoyl peroxide) <sup>OTC</sup> OC8 GEL (benzoyl peroxide) <sup>OTC</sup>	
<b>ISOTRETINOIN</b>			
	ACUTANE (isotretinoin) AMNESTEEM (isotretinoin) CLARAVIS (isotretinoin) isotretinoin MYORISAN (isotretinoin) ZENATANE (isotretinoin)	ABSORICA (isotretinoin) ABSORICA LD (isotretinoin)	Available for all ages
<b>ALPHA-1 PROTEINASE INHIBITORS</b>			
	ARALAST (alpha-1 proteinase inhibitor) GLASSIA (alpha-1 proteinase inhibitor) PROLASTIN C (alpha-1 proteinase inhibitor)		

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	ZEMAIRA (alpha-1 proteinase inhibitor)			
<b>ALZHEIMER'S AGENTS</b> <sup>DUR+</sup>				
<b>CHOLINESTERASE INHIBITORS</b>				
	donepezil (tablets and ODT) 5mg, 10mg galantamine galantamine ER rivastigmine capsules rivastigmine patches	ADLARITY (donepezil) ARICEPT (donepezil) ARICEPT 23 MG (donepezil) ARICEPT ODT (donepezil) donepezil 23mg EXELON Capsules (rivastigmine) EXELON Patches (rivastigmine) EXELON Solution (rivastigmine) RAZADYNE (galantamine) RAZADYNE ER (galantamine)	<p><b>All Agents</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis for both preferred and non-preferred</li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months</li> </ul>	
<b>NMDA RECEPTOR ANTAGONIST</b>				
	memantine	NAMENDA TABS (memantine) NAMENDA SOLUTION (memantine) NAMENDA XR (memantine) memantine XR		
<b>COMBINATION AGENTS</b>				
		NAMZARIC (memantine/donepezil)	<p><b>Namzaric</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis <b>AND</b></li> <li>• 30 days of concurrent therapy with donepezil + memantine in the past 6 months</li> </ul>	
<b>ANALGESICS, OPIOID- SHORT ACTING</b> <sup>DUR+</sup>				
	acetaminophen/codeine benzhydrocodone/APAP codeine	ABSTRAL (fentanyl) ACTIQ (fentanyl) APADAZ (benzhydrocodone/APAP)	<p><b>MS DOM Opioid Initiative</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Short-Acting Opioids</li> <li>• Long-Acting Opioids</li> </ul>	

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	dihydrocodeine/APAP/caffeine ENDOCET (oxycodone/APAP) hydrocodone/APAP hydromorphone morphine oxycodone capsules oxycodone liquid oxycodone tablets oxycodone/APAP oxycodone/aspirin oxycodone/ibuprofen pentazocine/APAP tramadol tramadol/APAP	butalbital/APAP/caffeine/codeine butalbital/ASA/caffeine/codeine butorphanol tartrate (nasal) DEMEROL (meperidine) DILAUDID (hydromorphone) DVORAH (dihydrocodeine/ APAP/caffeine) fentanyl FENTORA (fentanyl) FIORICET W/ CODEINE (butalbital/APAP/caffeine/codeine) FIORINAL W/ CODEINE (butalbital/ASA/caffeine/codeine) hydrocodone/ibuprofen IBUDONE (hydrocodone/ibuprofen) LAZANDA NASAL SPRAY (fentanyl) levorphanol LORCET (hydrocodone/APAP) LORTAB (hydrocodone/APAP) MAGNACET (oxycodone/APAP) meperidine solution meperidine tablet NALOCET (oxycodone/APAP) NORCO (hydrocodone/APAP) NUCYNTA (tapentadol) ONSOLIS (fentanyl) OPANA (oxymorphone) OXAYDO (oxycodone) oxymorphone pentazocine/naloxone	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Morphine Equivalent Daily Dose</li> <li>• Concomitant use of Opioids and Benzodiazepines</li> </ul> <p><a href="#">Criteria details found here</a></p> <p><b>Minimum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>18 years</b> – tramadol and codeine products</li> </ul> <p><b>Quantity Limit</b></p> <p>Applicable <u>quantity limit</u> in 31 rolling days</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>62 tablets</b> – butalbital/codeine combinations, codeine, dihydrocodeine combinations, fentanyl, hydromorphone, levorphanol, meperidine, morphine, oxycodone, oxycodone/ibuprofen, oxymorphone, pentazocine, tapentadol, tramadol</li> <li>• <b>62 tablets CUMULATIVE</b> – hydrocodone combinations, oxycodone combinations</li> <li>• <b>186 tablets</b> –butalbital/APAP 300, butalbital/APAP 325, butalbital/ASA 325</li> <li>• <b>5mL (2 x 2.5 bottles)</b> – butorphanol nasal</li> <li>• <b>180 mL CUMULATIVE</b> – oxycodone liquids</li> <li>• <b>280 mL CUMULATIVE</b> – Qdolo</li> </ul>

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		PERCO CET (oxycodone/APAP) PERCODAN (oxycodone/ASA) PRIMLEV (oxycodone/APAP) PROLATE (oxycodone/APAP) QDOLO (tramadol) REPRESAINE (hydrocodone/ibuprofen) ROXICET (oxycodone/acetaminophen) ROXICODONE (oxycodone) ROXYBOND (oxycodone) SEGLENTIS (tramadol/celecoxib) SUBSYS (fentanyl) SYNALGOS-DC (dihydrocodeine/ aspirin/caffeine) TYLENOL W/CODEINE (APAP/codeine) TYLOX (oxycodone/APAP) ULTRACET (tramadol/APAP) ULTRAM (tramadol) VICODIN (hydrocodone/APAP) VICOPROFEN (hydrocodone/ibuprofen) XODOL (hydrocodone/acetaminophen) ZAMICET (hydrocodone/APAP) ZOLVIT (hydrocodone/APAP) ZYDONE (hydrocodone/acetaminophen)	
<b>ANALGESICS, OPIOID - LONG ACTING <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
	BUTRANS (buprenorphine) fentanyl patches morphine ER tablets	ARYMO ER (morphine) BELBUCA (buprenorphine) buprenorphine patch CONZIP ER (tramadol) DOLOPHINE (methadone) DURAGESIC (fentanyl)	<b>MS DOM Opioid Initiative</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Short-Acting Opioids</li> <li>• Long-Acting Opioids</li> <li>• Morphine Equivalent Daily Dose</li> <li>• Concomitant use of Opioids and Benzodiazepines</li> </ul>

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		EXALGO (hydromorphone) hydromorphone ER HYSINGLA ER (hydrocodone) KADIAN (morphine) methadone morphine ER capsules MS CONTIN (morphine) NUCYNTA ER (tapentadol) OPANA ER (oxymorphone) oxycodone ER OXYCONTIN (oxycodone) oxymorphone ER RYZOLT (tramadol) tramadol ER ULTRAM ER (tramadol) XTAMPZA (oxycodone myristate)	<p><a href="#">Criteria details found here</a></p> <p><b>Minimum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>18 years</b> – Butrans, tramadol products</li> </ul> <p><b>Quantity Limit</b></p> <p>Applicable <u>quantity limit</u> per rolling days</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>31 tablets/31 days</b> - Conzip ER, Exalgo ER, Hysingla ER, Ryzolt, Ultram ER</li> <li>• <b>62 tablets/31 days</b> – Arymo ER, Belbuca, Kadian, methadone, morphine ER, Nucynta ER, Opana ER, oxycodone ER, Oxycontin, Xtampza ER</li> <li>• <b>10 patches/31 days</b> – Duragesic</li> <li>• <b>4 patches/31 days</b> – Butrans</li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis of cancer <b>OR</b> Antineoplastic therapy <b>AND</b></li> <li>• 90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul>

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	diclofenac sodium 1% gel diclofenac sodium 1.5% solution lidocaine 4% cream <sup>OTC</sup> lidocaine 5% ointment lidocaine 5% patch	capsaicin diclofenac epolamine patch <sup>DUR+</sup> diclofenac sodium 3% gel FLECTOR Patch (diclofenac epolamine) <sup>DUR+</sup> FROTEK (ketoprofen) LICART (diclofenac epolamine) LIDAMANTLE HC (lidocaine/hydrocortisone) LIDO TRANS PAK (lidocaine) lidocaine/prilocaine LIDODERM (lidocaine) <sup>DUR+</sup> LIDTOPIC MAX (lidocaine) PENNSAID 2% Solution (diclofenac sodium) <sup>DUR+</sup> SYNERA (lidocaine/tetracaine) TRANZAREL (lidocaine) VENNGEL ONE 1% kit (diclofenac sodium) VOLTAREN Gel (diclofenac sodium) <sup>DUR+</sup> XRYLIDERM (lidocaine) xylocaine ZOSTRIX (capsaicin) ZTIido (lidocaine)	<p><b>Quantity Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 bottle/31 days – Diclofenac 2% solution pump</li> <li>• 1 bottle/31 days – Diclofenac 1.5% solution</li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 1 preferred agent in the past 6 months</li> </ul> <p><b>Lidocaine 5% Patch</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of Herpetic Neuralgia <b>OR</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis of Diabetic Neuropathy</li> </ul> <p><b>ZTIido</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of Herpetic Neuralgia</li> </ul>
<b>ANDROGENIC AGENTS <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
	ANDRODERM (testosterone patch) testosterone gel packet	ANDROGEL (testosterone gel) ANDROXY (fluoxymesterone) AXIRON (testosterone gel) FORTESTSA (testosterone gel) JATENZO (testosterone undecanoate) NATESTO (testosterone)	<p><b>All Agents</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Limited to male gender</li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months</li> </ul>

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<b>ANGIOTENSIN MODULATORS <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
<b>ACE INHIBITORS</b>			
	benazepril captopril enalapril fosinopril lisinopril quinapril ramipril trandolapril	ACCUPRIL (quinapril) ACEON (perindopril) ALTACE (ramipril) EPANED (enalapril) LOTENSIN (benazepril) MAVIK (trandolapril) moexipril perindopril PRINIVIL (lisinopril) QBRELIS (lisinopril) UNIVASC (moexipril) VASOTEC (enalapril) ZESTRIL (lisinopril)	<b>Minimum Age Limit</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>≤ 6 years – Epaned DUR + <i>will automatically be issued for this age</i></li> </ul> <b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have tried 2 different preferred <i>single entity</i> agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul>
<b>ACE INHIBITOR COMBINATIONS</b>			
	benazepril/amlodipine benazepril/HCTZ captopril/HCTZ enalapril/HCTZ fosinopril/HCTZ lisinopril/HCTZ	ACCURETIC (quinapril/HCTZ) CAPOZIDE (captopril/HCTZ) LOTENSIN HCT (benazepril/HCTZ) LOTREL (benazepril/amlodipine) moexipril/HCTZ PRESTALIA (perindopril/amlodipine)	<b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b> <b>ACE Inhibitor/CCB</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have tried 2 different preferred <i>ACEI/CCB</i> agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> </ul>

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	quinapril/HCTZ trandolapril/verapamil	PRINZIDE (lisinopril/HCTZ) TARKA (trandolapril/verapamil) UNIRETIC (moexipril/HCTZ) VASERETIC (enalapril/HCTZ) ZESTORETIC (lisinopril/HCTZ)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul> <p><b>ACE Inhibitor/Diuretic</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have tried 2 different preferred <u>ACEI/Diuretic</u> agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul>
<b>ANGIOTENSIN II RECEPTOR BLOCKERS (ARBs)</b>			
	irbesartan losartan olmesartan telmisartan valsartan	ATACAND (candesartan) AVAPRO (irbesartan) BENICAR (olmesartan) candesartan COZAAR (losartan) DIOVAN (valsartan) EDARBI (azilsartan) eprosartan MICARDIS (telmisartan) TEVETEN (eprosartan)	<p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have tried 2 different preferred <u>single entity</u> agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul>
<b>ARB COMBINATIONS</b>			
	ENTRESTO (valsartan/sacubitril) <sup>DUR +</sup> irbesartan/HCTZ losartan/HCTZ olmesartan/amlodipine olmesartan/HCTZ telmisartan/HCTZ	ATACAND-HCT (candesartan/HCTZ) AVALIDE (irbesartan/HCTZ) AZOR (olmesartan/amlodipine) BENICAR-HCT (olmesartan/HCTZ) BYVALSON (nebivolol/valsartan) candesartan/HCTZ	<p><b>Entresto</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Age ≥ 18 years <b>AND</b></li> <li>Documented diagnosis of heart failure <b>OR</b></li> <li>Age ≥ 1 year <b>AND</b></li> </ul>

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	valsartan/amlodipine valsartan/amlodipine/HCTZ valsartan/HCTZ	DIOVAN-HCT (valsartan/HCTZ) EDARBYCLOR (azilsartan/chlorthalidone) EXFORGE (valsartan/amlodipine) EXFORGE HCT (valsartan/amlodipine/HCTZ) HYZAAR (losartan/HCTZ) MICARDIS-HCT (telmisartan/HCTZ) olmesartan/amlodipine/HCTZ telmisartan/amlodipine TEVETEN-HCT (eprosartan/HCTZ) TRIBENZOR (olmesartan/amlodipine/HCTZ) TWYNSTA (telmisartan/amlodipine)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Documented diagnosis of heart failure with systemic ventricular systolic dysfunction</li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria ARB/Beta Blocker, ARB/CCB or ARB/CCB/Diuretic</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have tried 1 preferred <u>ARB/CCB</u> agent in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul> <p><b>ARB/Diuretic</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have tried 2 different preferred <u>ARB/Diuretic</u> products in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul>
<b>DIRECT RENIN INHIBITORS</b>			
		TEKTURNA (aliskiren) aliskiren	<p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Documented diagnosis of hypertension <b>AND</b></li> <li>Have tried 2 different preferred <u>ACEI or ARB single-entity</u> products in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> </ul>

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		AMTURNIDE (aliskiren/amlodipine/hctz) TEKAMLO (aliskiren/amlodipine) TEKTRUNA-HCT (aliskiren/hctz) VALTURNA (aliskiren/valsartan)	
<b>ANTIBIOTICS (GI) &amp; RELATED AGENTS</b>			
	FIRVANQ (vancomycin) metronidazole neomycin tinidazole	AEMCOLO (rifaximin) DIFICID (fidaxomicin) FLAGYL (metronidazole) FLAGYL ER (metronidazole) LIKMEZ (metronidazole) metronidazole capsules paromomycin REBYOTA (fecal microbiota) TINDAMAX (tinidazole) VANCOCIN (vancomycin) vancomycin VOWST (fecal microbiota) XIFAXAN (rifaximin)	
<b>ANTIBIOTICS (MISCELLANEOUS)</b>			

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	<b>KETOLIDES</b>		
		KETEK (telithromycin)	
	<b>LINCOSAMIDE ANTIBIOTICS</b>		
	clindamycin capsules clindamycin solution	CLEOCIN (clindamycin) CLEOCIN SOLUTION (clindamycin)	
	<b>MACROLIDES</b>		
	azithromycin clarithromycin ER clarithromycin IR clarithromycin suspension ERY-TAB (erythromycin) erythromycin erythromycin ethylsuccinate	BIAXIN (clarithromycin) BIAXIN SUSPENSION (clarithromycin) BIAXIN XL (clarithromycin) E.E.S. FILM TAB (erythromycin ethylsuccinate) E.E.S. Suspension (erythromycin ethylsuccinate) E-MYCIN (erythromycin) ERYC (erythromycin) ERYPED Suspension (erythromycin ethylsuccinate) ERYTHROCIN (erythromycin stearate) erythromycin estolate PCE (erythromycin) ZITHROMAX (azithromycin) ZMAX (azithromycin)	
	<b>NITROFURAN DERIVATIVES</b>		
	nitrofurantoin nitrofurantoin monohydrate macrocrystals	FURADANTIN (nitrofurantoin) MACROBID (nitrofurantoin monohydrate macrocrystals) MACRODANTIN (nitrofurantoin)	
	<b>OXAZOLIDINONES</b>		

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		SIVEXTRO (tedizolid) ZYVOX (linezolid)	<b>Sivextro – <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b> <b>Zyvox - <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b>  <b>Quantity Limit</b> • 6 tablets/month – Sivextro
<b>PLEUROMUTLINS</b>			
		XENLETA (lefamulin)	
<b>ANTIBIOTICS (Topical)</b>			
	bacitracin <sup>OTC</sup> bacitracin/polymixin <sup>OTC</sup> gentamicin sulfate mupirocin ointment neomycin/bacitracin/polymyxin <sup>OTC</sup>	ALTABAX (retapamulin) CORTISPORIN (bacitracin/neomycin/ polymyxin/HC) mupirocin cream NEOSPORIN (neomycin/bacitracin/polymyxin) <sup>OTC</sup> XEPI (ozenoxacin)	
<b>ANTIBIOTICS (VAGINAL)</b>			
	CLEOCIN OVULES (clindamycin) CLINDESSE (clindamycin) metronidazole vaginal	AVC (sulfanilamide) CLEOCIN CREAM (clindamycin) clindamycin cream METROGEL (metronidazole) NUVESSA (metronidazole) SOLOSEC (secnidazole) VANDAZOLE (metronidazole) XACIATO GEL (clindamycin)	
<b>ANTICOAGULANTS</b>			
<b>ORAL</b>			

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	COUMADIN (warfarin) ELIQUIS (apixaban) PRADAXA (dabigatran) warfarin XARELTO (rivaroxaban)	BEVYXXA (betrixaban) PRADAXA PELLETS (dabigatran) SAVAYSA (edoxaban tosylate)	<b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>1 claim with the requested agent in the past 90 days</li> </ul>
<b>LOW MOLECULAR WEIGHT HEPARIN (LMWH)</b>			
	enoxaparin	ARIXTRA (fondaparinux) fondaparinux FRAGMIN (dalteparin) LOVENOX (enoxaparin) Prefilled Syringe	<b>LMWH Non-Preferred Criteria</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have tried 1 different preferred agent in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul>
<b>ANTICONVULSANTS <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
<b>ADJUVANTS</b>			
	carbamazepine carbamazepine suspension carbamazepine ER (generic Carbatrol) DEPAKOTE ER (divalproex) DEPAKOTE SPRINKLE (divalproex) divalproex divalproex ER divalproex sprinkle EPIDIOLEX (cannabidiol) EPITOL (carbamazepine) gabapentin lacosamide lamotrigine	APTIOM (eslicarbazepine) BANZEL (rufinamide) BRIVIACT (brivaracetam) carbamazepine XR CARBATROL (carbamazepine) DEPAKENE (valproic acid) DEPAKOTE (divalproex) DIACOMIT (stiripentol) ELEPSIA XR (levetiracetam) EPRONTIA (topiramate solution) EQUETRO (carbamazepine) felbamate FELBATOL (felbamate)	<b>Minimum Age Limit</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>6 months-- Diacomit</li> <li>1 year – Banzel, Epidiolex</li> <li>2 years –Onfi, Sympazan</li> </ul> <b>Epidiolex</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Documented diagnosis of Dravet syndrome. Lennox Gastaut syndrome or seizures associated with tuberous sclerosis complex</li> </ul> <b>OR</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 claim for the requested agent in the past 30 days</li> </ul>

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levetiracetam levetiracetam ER oxcarbazepine oxcarbazepine suspension tiagabine topiramate tablet topiramate sprinkle capsule valproic acid zonisamide		FINTEPLA (fenfluramine) FYCOMPA (perampanel) GABITRIL (tiagabine) KEPPRA (levetiracetam) KEPPRA XR (levetiracetam) LAMICTAL (lamotrigine) LAMICTAL CHEWABLE (lamotrigine) LAMICTAL ODT (lamotrigine) LAMICTAL XR (lamotrigine) lamotrigine ER/XR lamotrigine ODT MOTPOLY XR (lacosamide) NEURONTIN (gabapentin) OXTELLAR XR (oxcarbazepine) QUDEXY XR (topiramate) ROWEEPRA (levetiracetam) rufinamide SABRIL (vigabatrin) SPRITAM (levetiracetam) STAVZOR (valproic acid) TEGRETOL (carbamazepine) TEGRETOL SUSPENSION (carbamazepine) TEGRETOL XR (carbamazepine) TOPAMAX TABLET (topiramate) TOPAMAX Sprinkle (topiramate) topiramate ER (generic Qudexy XR) <sup>Step Edit</sup> TRILEPTAL Tablets (oxcarbazepine) TRILEPTAL Suspension (oxcarbazepine) TROKENDI XR (topiramate)	<p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis of seizure</li> </ul> <p><b>Banzel, Onfi, Sympazan</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of Lennox-Gastaut <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Have tried 1 different preferred agent for Lennox-Gastaut in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis of seizure</li> </ul> <p><b>Diacomit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of Dravet syndrome <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Active claim for clobazam</li> </ul> <p><b>Fintepla</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requires clinical review</li> </ul> <p><b>Sabril Powder for Oral Solution</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of infantile spasms <b>OR</b></li> </ul>

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		vigabatrin VIMPAT (lacosamide) XCOPRI (cenobamate) ZONISADE (zonisamide suspension) ZTALMY (ganaxolone)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days <b>AND</b></li> <li>Documented diagnosis of seizure</li> </ul> <p><b>Topiramate ER – Step Edit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days <b>AND</b></li> <li>Documented diagnosis of seizure <b>OR</b></li> <li>30-day trial with topiramate IR in the past 6 months</li> </ul>
<b>SELECTED BENZODIAZEPINES</b>			
	clobazam diazepam rectal gel NAYZILAM (midazolam) VALTOCO (diazepam)	DIASTAT (diazepam rectal) DIASTAT ACCUDIAL (diazepam rectal) ONFI (clobazam) ONFI SUSPENSION (clobazam) SYMPAZAN (clobazam)	<p><b>Minimum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>12 years</b> – Nayzilam</li> <li><b>6 years</b> – Valtoco</li> </ul> <p><b>Quantity Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>2 Twin Packs/31 days</b> – Diastat</li> <li><b>2 Packages /31 days</b> – Nayzilam</li> <li><b>2 Cartons/31 days</b> - Valtoco</li> </ul>
<b>HYDANTOINS</b>			
	DILANTIN (phenytoin) PHENYTEK (phenytoin) phenytoin	PEGANONE (ethotoin)	
<b>SUCCINIMIDES</b>			

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geodon	ethosuximide	CELONTIN (methsuximide) ZARONTIN (ethosuximide)	
<b>ANTIDEPRESSANTS, OTHER DUR+</b>			
	bupropion bupropion SR bupropion XL TRINTELLIX (vortioxetine) mirtazapine trazodone venlafaxine venlafaxine ER capsules VIIBRYD (vilazodone)	APLENZIN (bupropion HBr) AUVELITY (dextromethorphan/bupropion) desvenlafaxine ER desvenlafaxine fumarate ER DESYREL (trazodone) DRIZALMA SPRINKLE (duloxetine DR) EFFEXOR (venlafaxine) EFFEXOR XR (venlafaxine) EMSAM (selegiline transdermal) FETZIMA ER (levomilnacipran) FORFIVO XL (bupropion) KHEDEZLA ER (desvenlafaxine) MARPLAN (isocarboxazid) NARDIL (phenelzine) nefazodone OLEPTRO ER (trazodone) PARNATE (tranylcypromine) phenelzine PRISTIQ (desvenlafaxine) REMERON (mirtazapine) tranylcypromine venlafaxine XR venlafaxine ER tablets vilazodone	<p><b>Minimum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>7-11 years</b> – Drizalma Sprinkle DUR + will automatically be issued for this age range with a diagnosis of generalized anxiety disorder</li> <li>• <b>7-17 years</b> – duloxetine DUR + will automatically be issued for this age range with a diagnosis of generalized anxiety disorder</li> <li>• <b>18 years</b> – all other Antidepressants</li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred '<u>Antidepressants, Other</u>' Class in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• Have tried BOTH a preferred '<u>Antidepressant, SSRI</u>' and '<u>Antidepressants, Other</u>' in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul> <p><b>Auvelity</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requires clinical review</li> </ul>

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		ZURZUVAE (zuranolone)	<b>Cymbalta and Irenka (see Fibromyalgia Agents)</b>
<b>ANTIDEPRESSANTS, SSRIs <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
	citalopram escitalopram fluoxetine capsules	CELEXA (citalopram) fluoxetine DR fluvoxamine ER	<b>Minimum Age Limit</b> • <b>6 years</b> – Zoloft • <b>7 years</b> – Lexapro, Prozac

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	fluvoxamine paroxetine CR paroxetine IR sertraline	LEXAPRO (escitalopram) LUVOX (fluvoxamine) LUVOX CR (fluvoxamine) paroxetine suspension PAXIL CR (paroxetine) PAXIL SUSPENSION (paroxetine) PAXIL Tablets (paroxetine) PEXEVA (paroxetine) PROZAC (fluoxetine) SARAFEM (fluoxetine) ZOLOFT (sertraline)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>8 years</b> – Luvox</li> <li>• <b>18 years</b> – Celexa, Luvox CR, Paxil, Pexeva, Prozac 90 mg</li> </ul> <p><b>Maximum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>60 years</b> – Celexa</li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul>
<b>ANTIEMETICS DUR+</b>			
<b>5HT3 RECEPTOR BLOCKERS</b>			
	ondansetron ondansetron ODT ondansetron solution	ANZEMET (dolasetron) granisetron SANCUSO (granisetron) ZOFRAN (ondansetron) ZOFRAN ODT (ondansetron) ZUPLENZ (ondansetron)	<p><b>Quantity Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>6 tablets/31 days</b> – Akynzeo</li> <li>• <b>30 tablets/31 days</b> – Zofran tablets/ODT</li> <li>• <b>100 ml/31 days</b> – Zofran solution</li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred Agents</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 1 preferred agent in the past 6 months</li> </ul> <p>Injectables in this class closed to point of sale. PA required if not administered in clinic/hospital</p>
<b>ANTIEMETIC COMBINATIONS</b>			

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		AKYNZEO (netupitant/palonosetron) BONJESTA (doxylamine/pyridoxine) DICLEGIS (doxylamine/pyridoxine) doxylamine/pyridoxine	<b>Akynzeo - <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b>
		<b>CANNABINOIDS</b>	
		CESAMET (nabilone) MARINOL (dronabinol) dronabinol SYNDROS (dronabinol)	
		<b>NMDA RECEPTOR ANTAGONIST</b>	
	aprepitant	EMEND (aprepitant)	
<b>ANTIFUNGALS (Oral) <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
	clotrimazole fluconazole griseofulvin microsize suspension nystatin terbinafine	ANCOBON (flucytosine) ^ BREXAFEMME (ibrexafungerp) CRESEMBA (isavuconazonium) DIFLUCAN (fluconazole) flucytosine GRIFULVIN V (griseofulvin, microsize) griseofulvin microsize tablets griseofulvin ultramicrosize tablet GRIS-PEG (griseofulvin) itraconazole ^ ketoconazole LAMISIL (terbinafine) NOXAFIL (posaconazole) ^ ONMEL (itraconazole) ^	<p><b>Minimum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>12-17 years</b> – griseofulvin tablets <i><u>Dur + will automatically be issued for this age range</u></i></li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months</li> </ul> <p><b>HIV opportunistic infection</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Non-Preferred agent indicated for treatment (^) <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis of HIV</li> </ul> <p><b>Cresemba - <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minimum age limit &gt; 18 years <b>AND</b></li> </ul>

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		posaconazole <sup>^</sup> SPORANOX (itraconazole) <sup>^</sup> TERBINEX Kit (terbinafine/ciclopirox) TOLSURA (itraconazole) VFEND (voriconazole) <sup>^</sup> VIVJOA (oteseconazole) voriconazole <sup>^</sup>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of invasive aspergillosis <b>OR</b> invasive mucormycosis <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Prescriber is an oncologist/hematologist or infectious disease specialist</li> </ul> <p><b>Sporanox</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• HIV opportunistic infection criteria <b>OR</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis of a transplant <b>OR</b></li> <li>• History of an immunosuppressant in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months</li> </ul>
<b>ANTIFUNGALS (Topical) <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
	<b>ANTIFUNGALS</b>		
	ciclopirox cream/gel/solution/suspension clotrimazole cream/solution <sup>Rx &amp; OTC</sup> ketoconazole shampoo LUZU (luliconazole) miconazole cream/powder <sup>OTC</sup> nystatin terbinafine cream/spray <sup>OTC</sup> tolnaftate cream/powder/spray <sup>OTC</sup>	BENSAL HP (benzoic acid/salicylic acid) butenafine CICLODAN KIT (ciclopirox kit) ciclopirox kit/shampoo CNL 8 (ciclopirox) econazole ERTACZO (sertaconazole) EXELDERM (sulconazole) EXTINA (ketoconazole) JUBLIA (efinaconazole) KERYDIN (tavaborole)	<p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months</li> </ul>

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		ketoconazole cream ketoconazole foam LAMISIL (terbinafine) solution LOPROX (ciclopirox) luliconazole MENTAX (butenafine) naftifine NAFTIN (naftifine) NIZORAL (ketoconazole) oxiconazole OXISTAT (oxiconazole) PEDIADERM AF (nystatin) PENLAC (ciclopirox) VUSION (miconazole/petrolatum/zinc oxide)	
<b>ANTIFUNGAL/STEROID COMBINATIONS</b>			
	clotrimazole/betamethasone cream nystatin/triamcinolone	clotrimazole/betamethasone lotion LOTRISONE (clotrimazole/betamethasone)	
<b>ANTIFUNGALS (VAGINAL)</b>			
	clotrimazole vaginal cream <sup>OTC</sup> miconazole 1, 7cream <sup>OTC</sup> miconazole 3 vaginal cream, suppository <sup>OTC</sup> TERAZOL 3 Cream (terconazole) – currently unavailable from manufacturer terconazole cream tioconazole	GYNAZOLE 1 (butoconazole) TERAZOL 3 Suppository (terconazole) TERAZOL 7 (terconazole) terconazole suppository	

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<b>ANTIHISTAMINES, MINIMALLY SEDATING AND COMBINATIONS</b> <sup>DUR+</sup>			
<b>MINIMALLY SEDATING ANTIHISTAMINES</b>			
	cetirizine tablets <sup>OTC</sup> cetirizine syrup <sup>Rx &amp; OTC</sup> loratadine odt <sup>OTC</sup> loratadine syrup <sup>OTC</sup> loratadine tablet <sup>OTC</sup>	cetirizine chewable <sup>OTC</sup> CLARINEX (desloratadine) desloratadine ODT desloratadine tablet fexofenadine syrup fexofenadine table levocetirizine syrup levocetirizine tablet XYZAL Solution (levocetirizine) XYZAL Tablets (levocetirizine)	<b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of allergy or urticaria <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 12 months</li> </ul>
<b>MINIMALLY SEDATING ANTIHISTAMINE/DECONGESTANT COMBINATIONS</b>			
	cetirizine/pseudoephedrine loratadine/pseudoephedrine	ALLEGRA-D (fexofenadine/ pseudoephedrine) CLARITIN-D (loratadine/pseudoephedrine) CLARINEX-D (desloratadine/ pseudoephedrine) fexofenadine/pseudoephedrine ZYRTEC-D (cetirizine/pseudoephedrine)	
<b>ANTIMIGRAINE AGENTS, ACUTE TREATMENT</b>			
<b>CGRP ORAL AND NASAL</b>			
	NURTEC ODT (rimegepant)	UBRELVY (ubrogepant) ZAVZPRET (zavegepant)	<b>Minimum Age Limit</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>18 years</b> – Nurtec ODT, Ubrelyv</li> </ul>

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			<p><b>Quantity Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>8 tablets/31 day</b> – Nurtec ODT</li> <li>• <b>16 tablets/31 day</b> – Ubrelvy</li> </ul> <p><b>Nurtec ODT</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of migraine <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Have tried 2 different triptans in the past 6 months <b>AND</b></li> <li>• No concurrent therapy with another CGRP agent</li> </ul> <p><b>Ubrelvy</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of migraine <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Have tried 2 different triptans in the past 6 months <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Have tried preferred Nurtec ODT in the past 6 months <b>AND</b></li> <li>• No concurrent therapy with another CGRP agent <b>AND</b></li> <li>• No concurrent therapy with a strong CYP3A4 inhibitor</li> </ul>
<b>TRIPTANS &amp; RELATED AGENTS ORAL <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
	naratriptan rizatriptan rizatriptan ODT sumatriptan tablets zolmitriptan zolmitriptan ODT	almotriptan AMERGE (naratriptan) AXERT (almotriptan) eletriptan FROVA (frovatriptan) frovatriptan	<p><b>Minimum Age Limit – ALL FORMULATIONS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>6 years</b> – Maxalt</li> <li>• <b>12-17 years</b> – Axert, Treximet, Zomig nasal spray <i>Dur + will</i></li> </ul>

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		IMITREX (sumatriptan) MAXALT (rizatriptan) MAXALT MLT (rizatriptan) RELPAX (eletriptan) REYVOW (lasmiditan) TREXIMET (sumatriptan/naproxen) ZOMIG (zolmitriptan)	<p><i>automatically be issued for this age range</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>18 years</b> – Amerge, Frova, Imitrex, Onzetra Xsail, Relpax, Reyvow, Tosymra, Zembrace Symtouch, Zomig tablets</li> </ul> <p><b>Quantity Limit - ORAL</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>4 tablets/31 days</b> – Reyvow 50 mg</li> <li>• <b>6 tablets/31 days</b> - Axert, Relpax Zomig</li> <li>• <b>8 tablets/31 days</b> – Reyvow 100 mg</li> <li>• <b>9 tablets/31 days</b> - Amerge, Frova, Imitrex, Treximet</li> <li>• <b>12 tablets/31 days</b> – Maxalt</li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria - ORAL</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 preferred oral agents in the past 90 days</li> </ul> <p><b>Reyvow</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of migraine <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Have tried 2 different triptans in the past 90 days <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Have tried preferred Nurtec ODT in the past 90 days</li> </ul>
	<b>NASAL</b>		<p><b>Quantity Limit - NASAL</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>1 box/31 days</b></li> </ul>
	sumatriptan	IMITREX (sumatriptan)	

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		ONZETRA Xsail (sumatriptan) TOSYMRA (sumatriptan) zolmitriptan ZOMIG (zolmitriptan)	<b>Non-Preferred Criteria - NASAL</b> • Have tried 2 preferred oral agents in the past 90 days <b>AND</b> • Have tried a preferred nasal agent in the past 90 days
<b>INJECTABLES</b>			
	sumatriptan	IMITREX (sumatriptan) ZEMBRACE (sumatriptan)	<b>CUMULATIVE Quantity Limit - INJECTION</b> <b>4 injections/31 days</b>
<b>ANTIMIGRAINE AGENTS, PROPHYLAXIS</b>			
<b>INJECTIBLES</b>			
	AIMOVIG AUTOINJECTOR (erenumab-aooe) AJOVY AUTOINJECTOR (fremanezumab-vfrm) AJOVY SYRINGE (fremanezumab-vfrm) EMGALITY PEN 120mg/mL (galcanezumab-gnlm) EMGALITY SYRINGE 120mg/mL (galcanezumab-gnlm)	EMGALITY SYRINGE 100mg/mL (galcanezumab-gnlm) VYEPTI (eptinezumab-jjmr)	<b>Aimovig - <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b> <b>Ajovy - <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b> <b>Emgality - <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b> <b>Vyepti - <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b>
<b>ORAL</b>			
		NURTEC ODT (rimegepant) QULIPTA (atogepant)	• See Antimigraine Agents, Acute
<b>*ANTINEOPLASTICS – SELECTED SYSTEMIC ENZYME INHIBITORS</b>			
	BOSULIF (bosutinib) CAPRELSA (vandetanib) COMETRIQ (cabozantinib) COTELLIC (cobimetinib) GILOTRIF (afatanib)	AFINITOR (everolimus) AKEEGA (niraparib / abiraterone) ALECENSA (alectinib) ALUNBRIG (brigatinib) AUGTYRO (reprotrectinib)	<b>Farydak - <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b> • Documented diagnosis of multiple myeloma <b>AND</b>

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	everolimus ICLUSIG (ponatinib) imatinib mesylate IMBRUVICA (ibrutinib) INLYTA (axitinib) IRESSA (gefitinib) JAKAFI (ruxolitinib) MEKINIST (trametinib dimethyl sulfoxide) NEXAVAR (sorafenib) ROZLYTREK (entrectinib) ROZLYTREK (entrectinib) Pellet Pack SPRYCEL (dasatinib) STIVARGA (regorafenib) SUTENT (sunitinib) TAFINLAR (dabrafenib) TARCEVA (erlotinib) TASIGNA (nilotinib) TURALIO (pexidartinib) TYKERB (lapatinib ditosylate) vandetanib VOTRIENT (pazopanib) XALKORI (crizotinib) XALKORI (crizotinib) Oral Pellets XTANDI (enzalutamide) ZELBORAF (vemurafenib) ZYDELIG (idelalisib) ZYKADIA (ceritinib)	AYWAKIT (avapritinib) BALVERSA (erdafitinib) BRAFTOVI (encorafenib) BRUKINSA (zanubrutinib) CABOMETYX (cabozantinib s-malate) CALQUENCE (acalabrutinib) COPIKTRA (duvelisib) DAURISMO (glasdegib) ERIVEDGE (vismodegib) ERLEADA (apalutamide) erlotinib EXKIVITY (mobocertinib) FARYDAK (panobinostat) FOTIVDA (tivozanib) FRUZAQLA (fruquintinib) GAVRETO (pralsetinib) gefitinib GLEEVEC (imatinib mesylate) GLEOSTINE (lomustine) IBRANCE (palbociclib) <sup>DUR+</sup> IDHIFA (enasidenib) INQOVI (cedazuridine/decitabine) INREBIC (fedratinib) IWILFIN (eflornithine) <sup>NR</sup> JAYPIRCA (pirtobrutinib) KRAZATI (adagrasib) KISQALI (ribociclib) KOSELUGO (selumetinib) lapatinib ditosylate LENVIMA (lenvatinib) <sup>DUR+</sup> LORBRENA (lorlatinib) LUMAKRAS (sotorasib)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Used in combination with bortezomib and dexamethasone per <b>PI AND</b></li> <li>History of 2 prior regimens including bortezomib and an immunomodulatory agent</li> </ul> <p><b>Ibrance</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Documented diagnosis of WD-DDLS for retroperitoneal sarcoma <b>OR</b></li> <li>All other indications evaluated through clinical review</li> </ul> <p><b>Lenvima</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Documented diagnosis of thyroid cancer <b>OR</b></li> <li>Documented diagnosis of hepatocellular carcinoma <b>OR</b></li> <li>Documented diagnosis of renal cell carcinoma <b>AND</b></li> <li>History of 1 claim for everolimus in the past 30 days <b>AND</b></li> <li>History of 1 anti-angiogenic agent in the past 2 years <b>OR</b></li> <li>All other indications evaluated through clinical review</li> </ul> <p><b>Lynparza Tablets</b></p>

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		LYNPARZA (olaparib) <sup>DUR+</sup> LYTGOBI (futibatinib) MEKTOVI (binimetnib) NERLYNX (neratinib maleate) NUBEQA (darolutamide) ODOMZO (sonidegib) OGSIVEO (nirgacestat) <sup>NR</sup> OJJAARA (mometotinib) ONUREG (azacitidine) ORGOVYX (relugolix) pazopanib <sup>NR</sup> PEMAZYRE (pemigatinib) PIQRAY (alpelisib) QINLOCK (ripretinib) REZLIDHIA (lutasidenib) RETEVMO (selpercatinib) RUBRACA (rucaparib) RYDAPT (midostaurin) SCEMBLIX (asciminib) sunitinib TABRECTA (capmatinib) TAGRISSO (osimertinib) TALZENNA (talazoparib) TAZVERIK (tazemetostat) TEPMETKO (tepotinib) TIBSOVO (ivosidenib) TRUSELTIQ (infigratinib) TRUQAP (capivasertib) TUKYSA (tucatinib) UKONIQ (umbralisib) VANFLYTA (quizartinib) VERZENIO (abemaciclib)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Documented diagnosis of ovarian cancer, fallopian tube or peritoneal cancer <b>AND</b></li> <li>History of platinum-based chemotherapy in the past 2 years <b>OR</b></li> <li>All other indications evaluated through clinical review</li> </ul>

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		VITRAKVI (larotrectinib) VIZIMPRO (dacomitinib) VONJO (pacritinib) WELIREG (belzutifan) XATMEP (methotrexate) XOSPATA (gilteritinib) XPOVIO (selinexor) ZEJULA (niraparib)	
<b>ANTIOBESITY SELECT AGENTS</b>			
	SAXENDA (liraglutide) WEGOVY (semaglutide)	orlistat XENICAL (orlistat)	All agents require <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a>
<b>ANTIPARASITICS (Topical) <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
		<b>PEDICULICIDES</b>	
	permethrin 1% <sup>OTC</sup> NATROBA (spinosad)	lindane malathion OVIDE (malathion) SKLICE (ivermectin) spinosad VANALICE (piperonyl butoxide/pyrethrins)	<p><b>Minimum Age/Weight Limit for Pediculicides</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>50 kg</b> – lindane shampoo</li> <li>• <b>2 months</b> – permethrin 1%(OTC)</li> <li>• <b>6 months</b> – Natroba, Sklice</li> <li>• <b>2 years</b> – piperonyl/pyrethrins (OTC)</li> <li>• <b>6 years</b> – Ovide</li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 preferred topical lice agents in the past 90 days</li> </ul>
		<b>SCABICIDES</b>	
	permethrin 5%	ELIMITE (permethrin)	<b>Minimum Age/Weight Limit for Topical Scabicides</b>

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	ivermectin	EURAX CREAM (crotamiton) EURAX LOTION (crotamiton) STROMEKTOL Tablet (ivermectin)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>50 kg</b> – lindane lotion</li> <li>• <b>2 months</b> – permethrin 5%</li> <li>• <b>4 years</b> – Natroba</li> <li>• <b>18 years</b> – Eurax</li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• History of permethrin 5% in the past 90 days</li> </ul>
<b>ANTIPARKINSON'S AGENTS (Oral) <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
<b>ANTICHOLINERGICS</b>			
	benztropine trihexyphenidyl	COGENTIN (benztropine)	<p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of Parkinson's disease <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul>
<b>COMT INHIBITORS</b>			
	entacapone	COMTAN (entacapone) ONGENTYS (opicapone) TASMAR (tolcapone) tolcapone	
<b>DOPAMINE AGONISTS</b>			

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	ropinirole	KYNMOBI FILM (apomorphine) MIRAPEX (pramipexole) MIRAPEX ER (pramipexole) NEUPRO (rotigotine) pramipexole pramipexole ER REQUIP (ropinirole) REQUIP XL (ropinirole) ropinirole ER	
<b>MAO-B INHIBITORS</b>			
	selegiline	AZILECT (rasagiline) ELDEPRYL (selegiline) rasagiline XADAGO (safinamide) ZELAPAR (selegiline)	<b>Xadago</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of Parkinson's disease <b>AND</b></li> <li>• History of a preferred carbidopa/levodopa combination product in the past 30 days <b>AND</b></li> <li>• History of selegiline product in the past 45 days</li> </ul>
<b>OTHERS</b>			
	amantadine bromocriptine carbidopa levodopa/carbidopa	DUOPA (levodopa/carbidopa) GOCOVRI (amantadine) INBRIJA (levodopa) levodopa/carbidopa ODT levodopa/carbidopa/entacapone LODOSYN (carbidopa) NOURIANZ (istradefylline) OSMOLEX ER (amantadine) PARCOPA (levodopa/carbidopa) PARLODEL (bromocriptine) RYTARY ER (levodopa/carbidopa)	<b>Lodosyn and Inbrija</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of Parkinson's disease <b>AND</b></li> <li>• History of a carbidopa/levodopa combination product in the past 45 days</li> </ul> <b>Nourianz</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of Parkinson's Disease <b>AND</b></li> </ul>

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		SINEMET (levodopa/carbidopa) SINEMET CR (levodopa/carbidopa) STALEVO (levodopa/carbidopa/entacapone)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>History of a preferred carbidopa/levodopa combination product in the past 30 days <b>AND</b></li> <li>History of 30 days therapy with a preferred adjunctive therapy in the past 45 days</li> </ul>
<b>ANTIPSYCHOTICS</b> DUR+			
<b>ORAL</b>			
	amitriptyline/perphenazine aripiprazole asenapine clozapine fluphenazine haloperidol olanzapine olanzapine ODT perphenazine quetiapine quetiapine XR risperidone risperidone ODT thioridazine thiothixene trifluoperazine VRAYLAR (cariprazine) ziprasidone	ABILIFY (aripiprazole) ABILIFY MYCITE (aripiprazole) ADASUVE (loxapine) aripiprazole solution aripiprazole ODT CAPLYTA (lumateperone) chlorpromazine clozapine ODT CLOZARIL (clozapine) FANAPT (iloperidone) FAZACLO (clozapine) GEODON (ziprasidone) HALDOL (haloperidol) INVEGA ER (paliperidone) LATUDA (lurasidone) lurasidone LYBALVI (olanzapine/samidorphan) NUPLAZID (pimavanserin) olanzapine/fluoxetine paliperidone ER	<p><b>Minimum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>3 years</b> – Haldol</li> <li><b>5 years</b> – Risperdal, thioridazine</li> <li><b>6 years</b> – Abilify, trifluoperazine</li> <li><b>10 years</b> – Latuda, Saphris, Seroquel, Symbyax</li> <li><b>12 years</b> – Invega, molindone, perphenazine, pimozide, thiothixene</li> <li><b>13 years</b> – Rexulti, Zyprexa</li> <li><b>18 years</b> – Abilify Mycite, Amitriptyline/perphenazine, Caplyta, Clozaril, Fanapt, fluphenazine, Geodon, loxapine, Lybalvi, Nuplazid, Secuado, Vraylar</li> </ul> <p><b>Concurrent Therapy Limit – Ages 0-17 years</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>90 days with 2 or more antipsychotics in the last 120 days will require a Manual PA</li> </ul> <p><b>Vraylar</b></p>

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		REXULTI (brexpiprazole) RISPERDAL (risperidone) SAPHRIS (asenapine) SEROQUEL (quetiapine) SEROQUEL XR (quetiapine) SYMBYAX (olanzapine/fluoxetine) VERSACLOZ (clnazpine) ZYPREXA (olanzapine)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Documented diagnosis of schizophrenia or schizoaffective disorder <b>OR</b></li> <li>Documented diagnosis of bipolar disorder <b>OR</b></li> <li>Documented diagnosis of major depressive disorder <b>AND</b></li> <li>30 days of therapy with an antidepressant in the past 45 days <b>OR</b></li> <li>1 claim for a 90-day supply of an antidepressant in the past 105 days</li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria- Atypical Agents</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have tried 2 preferred atypical antipsychotic agents in the past 12 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>30 consecutive days on the requested atypical agent in the past 180 days</li> </ul> <p><b>Nuplazid</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Documented diagnosis of Parkinson's disease</li> </ul>
	<b>INJECTABLE, ATYPICALS <sup>DUR+</sup></b>		
	ABILIFY ASIMTUFII (aripiprazole) ABILIFY MAINTENA (aripiprazole) ARISTADA ER (aripiprazole lauroxil)	ABILIFY (aripiprazole) GEODON (ziprasidone) olanzapine	<p><b>Minimum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>18 years</b> – all injectable agents</li> </ul> <p><b>Quantity Limit</b></p>

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	ARISTADA INITIO (aripiprazole lauroxil) INVEGA HAFYERA (paliperidone) INVEGA SUSTENNA (paliperidone palmitate) INVEGA TRINZA (paliperidone) PERSERIS (risperidone) RISPERDAL CONSTA (risperidone) UZEDY (risperidone)	ZYPREXA (olanzapine) ZYPREXA RELPREVV (olanzapine) risperidone RYKINDO (risperidone)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>3 syringes/year</b> – Aristada Initio</li> </ul> <p><b>Long-Acting Injectable Agents All Agents</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of schizophrenia or schizoaffective disorder</li> </ul> <p><b>Abilify Maintena, Risperdal Consta and Rykindo ER</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of schizophrenia or schizoaffective disorder <b>OR</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis of bipolar disorder</li> </ul> <p><b>Invega Hafyera</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of schizophrenia or schizoaffective disorder <b>AND</b></li> <li>• 4 claims for Invega Sustenna in the past year <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 1 claim for Invega Trinza in the past year <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 1 claim for Invega Hafyera in the past year</li> </ul>
	<b>TRANSDERMAL, ATYPICALS</b>		
		SECUADO (asenapine)	

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<b>SINGLE PRODUCT REGIMENS</b>				
	BIKTARVY (bictegravir/emtricitabine/tenofovir) CABENUVA (cabotegravir/rilpivirine) DELSTRIGO (doravirine/lamivudine/tenofovir) DOVATO (dolutegravir/lamivudine) efavirenz/emtricitabine/tenofovir labeler GENVOYA (elvitegravir/cobicistat/emtricitabine/tenofovir) ODEFSEY (emtricitabine/rilpivirine/tenofovir AF) SYMFI (efavirenz/lamivudine/tenofovir) SYMFI-LO (efavirenz/lamivudine/tenofovir) TRIUMEQ (abacavir/lamivudine/ dolutegravir)	ATRIPLA (efavirenz/emtricitabine/tenofovir) COMPLERA (emtricitabine/rilpivirine/tenofovir) efavirenz/lamivudine/tenofovir efavirenz/lamivudine/tenofovir lo JULUCA (dolutegravir/rilpivirine) STRIBILD (elvitegravir/cobicistat/emtricitabine/tenofovir) SYMTUZA (darunavir/cobicistat/ emtricitabine/tenofovir)	<p><b>Stribild – MANUAL PA</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Genotype testing supporting resistance to other regimens <b>OR</b></li> <li>• Intolerance or contraindication to preferred combination of drugs <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Medical reasoning beyond convenience or enhanced compliance over preferred agents <b>AND</b></li> <li>• CrCl &gt; 70mL/min to initiate therapy <b>OR</b> CrCl &gt;50mL/min to continue therapy</li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 claim with the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul>	
<b>INTEGRASE STRAND TRANSFER INHIBITORS</b>				
	APRETUDE ER (cabotegravir) ISENTRESS (raltegravir potassium) TIVICAY (dolutegravir sodium) TIVICAY PD (dolutegravir sodium)	ISENTRESS HD (raltegravir potassium) VITEKTA (elvitegravir)		
<b>NUCLEOSIDE REVERSE TRANSCRIPTASE INHIBITORS (NRTI)</b>				
	abacavir sulfate EMTRIVA (emtricitabine) EMTRIVA SOLUTION (emtricitabine) lamivudine tenofovir disoproxil fumarate ZIAGEN Solution (abacavir sulfate) zidovudine	didanosine DR capsule emtricitabine EPIVIR (lamivudine) RETROVIR (zidovudine) stavudine VIDEX EC (didanosine) VIDEX SOLUTION (didanosine) VIREAD (tenofovir disoproxil fumarate)		

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		ZIAGEN Tablet (abacavir sulfate)	
		<b>NON-NUCLEOSIDE REVERSE TRANSCRIPTASE INHIBITOR (NNRTI)</b>	
	EDURANT (rilpivirine) efavirenz	INTELENCE (etravirine) nevirapine nevirapine ER PIFELTRO (doravirine) RESCRIPTOR (delavirdine mesylate) SUSTIVA (efavirenz) VIRAMUNE (nevirapine) VIRAMUNE ER (nevirapine)	
		<b>PHARMACOENHANCER – CYTOCHROME P450 INHIBITOR</b>	
		TYBOST (cobicistat)	Tybost - <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a>
		<b>PROTEASE INHIBITORS (PEPTIDIC)</b>	
	atazanavir EVOTAZ (atazanavir/cobicistat) NORVIR SOLUTION (ritonavir) ritonavir	CRIXIVAN (indinavir) fosamprenavir INVIRASE (saquinavir mesylate) LEXIVA (fosamprenavir) NORVIR POWDER (ritonavir) NORVIR TABLET (ritonavir) REYATAZ (atazanavir) VIRACEPT (nelfinavir mesylate)	
		<b>PROTEASE INHIBITORS (NON-PEPTIDIC)</b>	
	PREZISTA (darunavir ethanolate)	APTIVUS (tipranavir) darunavir ethanolate PREZCOBIX (darunavir/cobicistat)	

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	<b>ENTRY INHIBITORS – CCR5 CO-RECEPTOR ANTAGONISTS</b>		
		SELZENTRY (maraviroc)	
	<b>ENTRY INHIBITORS – FUSION INHIBITORS</b>		
		FUZEON (enfuvirtide)	
	<b>COMBINATION PRODUCTS - NRTIs</b>		
	abacavir/lamivudine CABENUVA (cabotegravir/rilpivirine) DOVATO (dolutegravir/lamivudine) lamivudine/zidovudine	abacavir/lamivudine/zidovudine COMBIVIR (lamivudine/zidovudine) EPZICOM (abacavir/lamivudine) JULUCA (dolutegravir/rilpivirine) TRIZIVIR (abacavir/lamivudine/zidovudine)	
	<b>COMBINATION PRODUCTS – NUCLEOSIDE &amp; NUCLEOTIDE ANALOG RTIs</b>		
	DESCOVY (emtricitabine/tenofovir alafenam) emtricitabine/tenofovir	TRUVADA (emtricitabine/tenofovir)	
	<b>COMBINATION PRODUCTS – NUCLEOSIDE &amp; NUCLEOTIDE ANALOGS &amp; NON-NUCLEOSIDE RTIs</b>		
	DELSTRIGO (doravirine/lamivudine/tenofovir) efavirenz/emtricitabine/tenofovir ODEFSEY (emtricitabine/rilpivirine/tenofovir AF)	ATRIPLA (efavirenz/emtricitabine/tenofovir) CIMDUO (lamivudine/tenofovir) COMPLERA (emtricitabine/rilpivirine/tenofovir) TEMIXYS (lamivudine/tenofovir)	
	<b>COMBINATION PRODUCTS – PROTEASE INHIBITORS</b>		

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	lopinavir/ritonavir	KALETRA (lopinavir/ritonavir)	
<b>CAPSID INHIBITORS</b>			<b>All agents require clinical review.</b>
		SUNLENCA (lenacapavir)	
<b>CD4 DIRECTED ATTACHMENT INHIBITOR</b>			
		RUKOBIA (fostemsavir tromethamine ER)	
<b>CD4 DIRECTED HIV-1 INHIBITOR</b>			
		TROGARZO (ibalizumab)	
<b>ANTIVIRALS (Oral)</b>			
<b>ANTI-CYTOMEGALOVIRUS AGENTS</b>			
	valganciclovir tablets	LIVTENCITY (maribavir) PREVYMIS (letermovir) VALCYTE (valganciclovir) valganciclovir solution	<p><b>valganciclovir solution</b> – automatic approval for age &lt;12 years</p> <p><b>Prevymis</b> Prevention (prophylaxis) of cytomegalovirus (CMV) infection and disease</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ≥ 18 years <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Post hematopoietic stem cell transplant (HSCT) within the past 28 days <b>AND</b></li> <li>• CMV sero-positive recipient [R+] <b>AND</b></li> </ul>

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NO severe (Child-Pugh Class C) hepatic impairment</li> </ul>
<b>ANTI-HERPETIC AGENTS</b>			
	acyclovir valacyclovir	famciclovir FAMVIR (famciclovir) SITAVIG (acyclovir) VALTREX (valacyclovir) ZOVIRAX (acyclovir)	
<b>ANTI-INFLUENZA AGENTS</b>			
	oseltamivir	FLUMADINE (rimantadine) RAPIVAB (peramivir) RELENZA (zanamivir) rimantadine TAMIFLU (oseltamivir) XOFLUZA (baloxavir marboxil)	
<b>ANTIVIRALS (Topical)</b>			
	ZOVIRAX Cream (acyclovir)	acyclovir cream, ointment DENAVIR (penciclovir) XERESE (acyclovir/hydrocortisone) ZOVIRAX Ointment (acyclovir)	
<b>AROMATASE INHIBITORS</b>			
	anastrozole exemestane letrozole	ARIMIDEX (anastrozole) AROMASIN (exemestane) FEMARA (letrozole)	

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<b>ATOPIC DERMATITIS</b> <small>DUR+</small>	ADBRY (tralokinumab) DUPIXENT (dupilumab) ELIDEL (pimecrolimus) PROTOPIC (tacrolimus) tacrolimus	CIBINQO (abrocitinib) EUCRISA (crisaborole) OPZELURA (ruxolitinib) pimecrolimus	<p><b>Minimum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>2 years</b> – Elidel, Protopic 0.03%</li> <li>• <b>16 years</b> – Protopic 0.1%</li> </ul> <p><b>Cibinqo and Opzelura</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requires clinical review</li> </ul> <p><b>Adbry- <u>MANUAL PA</u></b></p> <p><b>Eucrisa</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• History of 28 days of therapy with a calcineurin inhibitor <b>AND</b></li> <li>• History of 28 days of therapy with a topical steroid in the past year <b>OR</b></li> <li>• <b><u>MANUAL PA</u></b></li> </ul> <p><b>Dupixent</b></p> <p>Evaluated through Manual PA according to diagnosis</p> <p><b>Asthma – <u>MANUAL PA</u></b></p> <p><b>Atopic Dermatitis – <u>MANUAL PA</u></b></p>

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			<p><b>Eosinophilic Esophagitis--<u>MANUAL PA</u></b>  <b>Nasal Polyposis – <u>MANUAL PA</u></b>  <b>Prurigo Nodularis <u>MANUAL PA</u></b></p>
<b>BETA BLOCKERS, ANTIANGINALS &amp; SINUS NODE AGENTS<sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
	acebutolol atenolol bisoprolol metoprolol metoprolol ER nadolol nebivolol pindolol propranolol propranolol ER sotalol	AZSRUZYO SPRINKLES (ranolazine) BETAPACE (sotalol) betaxolol BYSTOLIC (nebivolol) CORGARD (nadolol) HEMANGEOL (propranolol) INDERAL LA (propranolol) INDERAL XL (propranolol) INNOPRAN XL (propranolol) KAPSPARGO SPRINKLES (metoprolol) KERLONE (bextaxolol) LEVATOL (penbutolol) LOPRESSOR (metoprolol) SECTRAL (acebutolol) SOTYLIZE (sotalol) TENORMIN (atenolol) TOPROL XL (metoprolol) ZEBETA (bisoprolol)	<p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul>
<b>BETA- AND ALPHA-BLOCKERS</b>			
	carvedilol labetalol	carvedilol CR COREG (carvedilol) COREG CR (carvedilol)	<p><b>Coreg CR</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis for hypertension <b>AND</b></li> </ul>

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		TRANDATE (labetalol)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have tried generic carvedilol <b>AND</b> 1 preferred agent in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul>
<b>BETA BLOCKER/DIURETIC COMBINATIONS</b>			
	atenolol/chlorthalidone bisoprolol/HCTZ metoprolol/HCTZ nadolol/bendroflumethiazide propranolol/HCTZ timolol/HCTZ	CORZIDE (nadolol/bendroflumethiazide) DUTOPROL (metoprolol/HCTZ) LOPRESSOR HCT (metoprolol/HCTZ) TENORETIC (atenolol/chlorthalidone) ZIAC (bisoprolol/HCTZ)	
<b>ANTIANGINALS</b>			
		RANEXA (ranolazine) ranolazine	<p><b>Ranexa</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Documented diagnosis of angina <b>AND</b></li> <li>1 claim for a calcium channel blocker, beta-blocker, nitrate, or combination agent in the past 30 days <b>OR</b></li> <li>90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul>
<b>SINUS NODE AGENTS</b>			
		CORLANOR (ivabradine)	<b>Corlanor - <u>MANUAL PA</u></b>

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<b>BILE SALTS</b>			
	ursodiol	ACTIGALL (ursodiol) BYLVAY (odevixibat) CHENODAL (chenodiol) CHOLBAM (cholic acid) LIVMARLI (maralixibat) OCALIVA (obeticholic acid) URSO (ursodiol) URSO FORTE (ursodiol)	
<b>BLADDER RELAXANT PREPARATIONS <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
	MYRBETRIQ ER (mirabegron) oxybutynin ER oxybutynin IR solifenacin	darifenacin DETROL (tolterodine) DETROL LA (tolterodine) DITROPAN XL (oxybutynin) GELNIQUE (oxybutynin) GEMTESA (vibegron) MYRBETRIQ granules (mirabegron) OXYTROL (oxybutynin) tolterodine tolterodine ER TOVIAZ (fesoterodine fumarate) trospium trospium ER VESICARE (solifenacin) VESICARE LS Suspension (solifenacin)	<b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b> • Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months
<b>BONE RESORPTION SUPPRESSION AND RELATED AGENTS <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
<b>BISPHOSPHONATES</b>			

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	alendronate ibandronate risedronate	ACTONEL (risedronate) ACTONEL WITH CALCIUM (risedronate/calcium) alendronate solution ATELVIA (risedronate) BINOSTO (alendronate) BONIVA (ibandronate) DIDRONEL (etidronate) FOSAMAX (alendronate) FOSAMAX PLUS D (alendronate/vitamin D) risedronate DR Tablet	<b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis for osteoporosis or osteopenia <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months</li> </ul>
<b>OTHERS</b>			
		calcitonin salmon EVENTY (romosozumab-aqqg) EVISTA (raloxifene) FORTEO (teriparatide) MIACALCIN (calcitonin) PROLIA (denosumab) raloxifene TYMLOS (abaloparatide) XGEVA (denosumab)	
<b>BPH AGENTS</b> <small>DUR+</small>			
<b>ALPHA BLOCKERS</b>			
	alfuzosin doxazosin tamsulosin terazosin	CARDURA (doxazosin) CARDURA XL (doxazosin) dutasteride/tamsulosin FLOMAX (tamsulosin) HYTRIN (terazosin)	<b>Female</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cardura, Flomax, Proscar, terazosin, or Uroxatral <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis based on a State accepted diagnosis</li> </ul>

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		JALYN (dutasteride/tamsulosin) RAPAFLO (silodosin) silodosin UROXATRAL (alfuzosin)	<p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria - MALE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul>
	<b>5-ALPHA-REDUCTASE (5AR) INHIBITORS</b>		
	finasteride	AVODART (dutasteride) dutasteride ENTADFI (finasteride/tadalafil) PROSCAR (finasteride)	
	<b>PDE5 INHIBITORS</b>		
		CIALIS (tadalafil)	
<b>BRONCHODILATORS &amp; COPD AGENTS</b>			
	<b>ANTICHOLINERGICS &amp; COPD AGENTS</b>		<p><b>Minimum Age Limit</b> <b>6 years</b> – Spiriva Respimat</p> <p><b>Spiriva Respimat</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Automatic approval for <math>\geq 6</math> years with a diagnosis of asthma</li> </ul>
	ATROVENT HFA (ipratropium) INCRUSE ELLIPTA (umeclidinium) ipratropium SPIRIVA HANDIHALER (tiotropium)	DALIRESP (roflumilast) LONHALA MAGNAIR (glycopyrrolate) roflumilast SEEBRI (glycopyrrolate) SPIRIVA RESPIMAT (tiotropium) <sup>DUR+</sup> TUDORZA PRESSAIR (aclidinium) YUPELRI (revefenacin)	
	<b>ANTICHOLINERGIC-BETA AGONIST COMBINATIONS</b>		
	albuterol/ipratropium ANORO ELLIPTA (umeclidinium/vilanterol)	BEVESPI (glycopyrrolate/formoterol) DUAKLIR PRESSAIR (aclidinium/formoterol)	

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	COMBIVENT RESPIMAT (albuterol/ipratropium) <sup>DUR+</sup> STIOLTO RESPIMAT (tiotropium/olodaterol)		
<b>ANTICHOLINERGIC-BETA AGONIST-GLUCOCORTICOID COMBINATIONS</b>			
		BREZTRI AEROSPHERE (budesonide/glycopyrrolate/formoterol) TRELEGY ELLIPTA (fluticasone furoate/ umeclidinium/vilanterol)	
<b>BRONCHODILATORS, BETA AGONIST</b>			
<b>INHALERS, SHORT-ACTING</b>			
	albuterol HFA PROVENTIL HFA (albuterol) VENTOLIN HFA (albuterol)	levalbuterol HFA PROAIR DIGIHALER (albuterol) PROAIR RESPICLICK (albuterol) XOPENEX HFA (levalbuterol) <sup>DUR+</sup>	<p><b>Minimum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 4 years - Xopenex HFA</li> <li>• 18 years – Airsupra</li> </ul> <p><b>Quantity Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2 inhalers/31 days – Airsupra</li> </ul> <p><b>Xopenex HFA</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 claim for a preferred albuterol inhaler in the past 30 days</li> </ul> <p><b>Airsupra and ProAir Digihaler</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requires clinical review</li> </ul>
<b>INHALERS, LONG ACTING<sup>DUR+</sup></b>			

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	SEREVENT (salmeterol) STRIVERDI RESPIMAT (olodaterol)		<b>Minimum Age Limit</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>4 years</b> – Serevent</li> <li>• <b>18 years</b> -Striverdi Respimat</li> </ul>
<b>INHALATION SOLUTION <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
	albuterol	arformoterol BROVANA (arformoterol) formoterol levalbuterol metaproterenol PERFORMIST (formoterol) XOPENEX (levalbuterol)	<b>Minimum Age Limit</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>6 years</b> – Xopenex</li> <li>• <b>18 years</b> – Brovana, Performist</li> </ul> <b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 claim for a different preferred agent in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 3 claims with the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul> <b>Xopenex</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 claim for a preferred albuterol in the past 30 days</li> </ul>
<b>ORAL</b>			
	albuterol ER albuterol IR metaproterenol terbutaline	VOSPIRE ER (albuterol)	
<b>CALCIUM CHANNEL BLOCKERS <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
<b>SHORT-ACTING</b>			

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	diltiazem nicardipine nifedipine verapamil	CALAN (verapamil) CARDIZEM (diltiazem) isradipine nimodipine NORLIQVA (amlodipine) NYMALIZE SOLUTION (nimodipine) PROCARDIA (nifedipine)	<p><b>Quantity Limit - nimodipine</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 252 tablets/ 21 days</li> <li>• 2520 mL/21 days</li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred <u>Short Acting</u> CCB agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul> <p><b>nimodipine</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of subarachnoid hemorrhage in the past 45 days <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Duration of therapy limited to 21 days</li> </ul>
<b>LONG-ACTING</b>			
	amlodipine DILT XR 24 HR Caps (diltiazem) diltiazem ER Cap 24 HR (generic Cardizem CD) diltiazem ER Cap 24 HR felodipine ER nifedipine ER verapamil ER	ADALAT CC (nifedipine) CALAN SR (verapamil) CARDENE SR (nicardipine) CARDIZEM CD (diltiazem) CARDIZEM LA (diltiazem) DILACOR XR (diltiazem) diltiazem ER Cap 12 HR diltiazem ER Tab 24 HR KATERZIA (amlodipine) nisoldipine NORVASC (amlodipine)	<p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred <u>Long Acting</u> CCB agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul>

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		PROCARDIA XL (nifedipine) SULAR (nisoldipine) TIAZAC (diltiazem) verapamil ER PM VERELAN/VERELAN PM (verapamil)	
<b>CALORIC AGENTS</b>			
	BOOST (includes all Boost) BREAKFAST ESSENTIALS BRIGHT BEGINNINGS DUOCAL ENSURE GLUCERNA NUTREN (includes all Nutren) OSMOLITE PEDIASURE PROMOD RESOURCE SCANDISHAKE TWOCAL HN	All other products (caloric /nutritional agents) not listed as preferred will require a manual prior authorization.	<b>Non-Preferred Agents - <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b>
<b>CEPHALOSPORINS AND RELATED ANTIBIOTICS (Oral)</b>			
<b>BETA LACTAM/BETA-LACTAMASE INHIBITOR COMBINATIONS</b>			
	amoxicillin/clavulanate amoxicillin/clavulanate XR	AUGMENTIN 125 and 250 Suspension (amoxicillin/clavulanate) AUGMENTIN (amoxicillin/clavulanate) Tablets AUGMENTIN XR (amoxicillin/clavulanate) MOXATAG (amoxicillin)	

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<b>CEPHALOSPORINS – First Generation <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			<p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria – all generations</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months</li> </ul>
	cefadroxil cephalixin capsules cephalixin suspensio	cephalixin tablets DAXBIA (cephalexin) KEFLEX (cephalexin)	
<b>CEPHALOSPORINS – Second Generation <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
	cefaclor capsules cefprozil cefuroxime tablets	cefaclor ER cefaclor suspension cefuroxime suspension CEFTIN (cefuroxime)	
<b>CEPHALOSPORINS – Third Generation <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			<p><b>Maximum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>18 years</b> – cefdinir suspension</li> </ul>
	cefdinir suspension cefdinir capsules cefpodoxime	CEDAX (ceftibuten) cefditoren ceftibuten SPECTRACEF (cefditoren) SUPRAX (cefixime)	
COLONY STIMULATING FACTORS			
	FYLNETRA (pegfilgrastim) STIMUFEND (pegfilgrastim-fpgk) NEUPOGEN Syringe (filgrastim) NEUPOGEN Vial (filgrastim)	FULPHILA (pegfilgrastim) GRANIX (tbo-filgrastim) LEUKINE (sargramostim) NEULASTA (pegfilgrastim) NIVESTYM (filgrastim-aafi) NYVEPRIA (pegfilgrastim-appf) RELEUKO (filgrastim) ROLVEDON (eflapegrastim) UDENYCA (pegfilgrastim-cbqv) ZARXIO (filgrastim)	

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		ZIENTENZO (pegfilgrastim-bmez)	
<b>CYSTIC FIBROSIS AGENTS</b> <sup>DUR+</sup>			
	tobramycin (generic TOBI)	BETHKIS (tobramycin) BRONCHITOL (mannitol) CAYSTON (aztreonam) colistimethate COLY-MYCIN M (colistimethate sodium) KALYDECO (ivacaftor) KITABIS (tobramycin) ORKAMBI (lumacaftor/ivacaftor) PULMOZYME (dornase alfa) SYMDEKO (tezacaftor/ivacaftor) TOBI (tobramycin) TOBI PODHALER (tobramycin) tobramycin (generic Bethkis) tobramycin (generic Kitabis) TRIKAFTA (elexacaftor/ tezacaftor/ivacaftor)	<p><b>Minimum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>1 month</b> – Kalydeco Granules</li> <li>• <b>3 months</b> – Pulmozyme</li> <li>• <b>1 year</b> – Orkambi</li> <li>• <b>2 years</b> – Coly-Mycin M, Trikafta Granules</li> <li>• <b>6 years</b> – Bethkis, Kalydeco tablet, Kitabis, Symdeko, TOBI, TOBI Podhaler, Trikafta tablet</li> <li>• <b>7 years</b> – Cayston</li> <li>• <b>18 years</b> - Bronchitol</li> </ul> <p><b>Maximum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>2 years</b> – Orkambi 75-94 mg Granules</li> <li>• <b>5 years</b> – Kalydeco, Orkambi 100-125 mg Granules, Orkambi 200-125 mg Granules, Trikafta Granules</li> <li>• <b>11 years</b> – Trikafta tablets</li> </ul> <p><b>All Agents</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis Cystic Fibrosis</li> </ul> <p><b>Colistimethate</b></p>

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of Cystic Fibrosis <b>OR</b></li> <li>• Requires clinical review</li> </ul> <p><b>Kalydeco</b> – <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a> <b>Orkambi</b> – <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a> <b>Symdeko</b> – <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a> <b>Trikafta</b> – <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></p> <p><b>TOBI Podhaler</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requires clinical review</li> </ul>
<b>CYTOKINE &amp; CAM ANTAGONISTS<sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
	ACTEMRA SYRINGE (tocilizumab) ACTEMRA VIAL(tocilizumab) AVSOLA (infliximab) ENBREL (etanercept) HUMIRA (adalimumab) KINERET (anakinra) methotrexate ORENCIA CLICKJET(abatacept) ORENCIA VIAL(abatacept) OTEZLA (apremilast) SIMPONI (golimumab) TALTZ (ixekizumab) XELJANZ IR (tofacitinib)	ABRILADA (adalimumab-afzb) <sup>NR</sup> ACTEMRA ACTPEN (tocilizumab) AMJEVITA (adalimumab) ARCALYST (rilonacept) BIMZELX (bimekizumab-bkzx) CIMZIA (certolizumab) COSENTYX (secukinumab) COSENTYX VIAL (secukinumab) CYLTEZO (adalimumab-adbm) ENTYVIO (vedolizumab) ENTYVIO SQ (vedolizumab) HADLIMA (adalimumab) HULIO (adalimumab) HYRIMOZ (adalimumab) IDACIO (adalimumab) ILARIS (canakinumab) ILUMYA (tildrakizumab)	<p><b>All preferred agents are subject to approved age and documented diagnosis for appropriate indication.</b></p> <p><b>All Non-Preferred Agents</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Require clinical review</li> </ul> <p><b>IV Administered Agents</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Require clinical review</li> </ul>

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		JYLAMVO (methotrexate) OMVOH (mirikizumab-mrkz)	
<b>ERYTHROPOIESIS STIMULATING PROTEINS</b> <sup>DUR+</sup>			
	EPOGEN (rHuEPO) MIRCERA (methoxy polyethylene glycol-epoetin-beta) RETACRIT (rHuEPO)	ARANESP (darbepoetin) PROCRT (rHuEPO) JESDUVROQ (daprodustat)	<p><b>Mircera</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Documented diagnosis chronic renal failure in the past 2 years</li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Documented diagnosis of cancer or chronic renal failure <b>OR</b> Antineoplastic therapy in the past 6 months <b>AND</b></li> <li>Trial of a preferred Retacrit or Epopgen in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>1 claim for the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul> <p><b>Jesduvroq</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Requires clinical review</li> </ul>
<b>FACTOR DEFICIENCY PRODUCTS</b>			
<b>FACTOR VIII</b>			
	ADVATE AFSTYLA ALPHANATE FEIBA NF HEMOFIL M	ADYNOVATE ALTUVIIIIO ELOCTATE ESPEROCT HEXILATE FS	

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	HUMATE-P KOATE KOGENATE FS KOVALTRY NOVOEIGHT NUWIQ RECOMBINATE WILATE XYNTHA XYNTHA SOLOFUSE	JIVI KCENTRA OBIZUR VONVENDI	
<b>FACTOR IX</b>			
	ALPHANINE SD ALPROLIX BENEFIX IDELVION IXINITY MONONINE PROFILNINE RIXUBIS	REBINYN	
<b>OTHER FACTOR PRODUCTS</b>			
	COAGADEX FIBRYGA HEMLIBRA <sup>DUR+</sup> RIASTAP	CORIFACT NOVOSEVEN RT SEVENFACT TRETEN	<b>Hemlibra</b> • 3 claims with the requested agent in the past 105 days • <b>MANUAL PA</b> – new patients
<b>FIBROMYALGIA/NEUROPATHIC PAIN AGENTS</b>			

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<b>FLUOROQUINOLONES</b> <sup>DUR+</sup>			
	ciprofloxacin tablets levofloxacin tablets	AVELOX (moxifloxacin) BAXDELA (delafloxacin) CIPRO (ciprofloxacin) CIPRO SUSPENSION (ciprofloxacin) CIPRO XR (ciprofloxacin) ciprofloxacin ER ciprofloxacin suspension FACTIVE (gemifloxacin) LEVAQUIN (levofloxacin) levofloxacin solution moxifloxacin NOROXIN (norfloxacin) ofloxacin	<p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 claim for a preferred agent in past 30 days</li> </ul> <p><b>Cipro Suspension for age &lt; 12 years</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Anthrax infection or exposure <b>OR</b></li> <li>• Cystic Fibrosis <b>OR</b></li> <li>• Pneumonic plague <b>OR</b> tularemia <b>AND</b> history of doxycycline in the past 3 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 7 days of therapy with a preferred agent from 2 of the classes below in the past 3 months               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Penicillin, 2nd or 3rd generation cephalosporin, or macrolide</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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			<p><b>Levaquin solution for age &lt; 12 years</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Anthrax infection or exposure <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 7 days of therapy with a preferred agent from 2 of the classes below in the past 3 months               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◦ Penicillin, 2nd or 3rd generation cephalosporin, or macrolide</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>AND</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cipro suspension in the past 3 months</li> </ul>
<b>GAUCHER'S DISEASE</b>			
	ELELYSO (taliglucerase alfa) ZAVESCA (miglustat)	CERDELGA (eliglustat) CEREZYME (imiglucerase) miglustat VPRIV (velaglucerase alfa)	
<b>GENITAL WARTS &amp; ACTINIC KERATOSIS AGENTS</b>			
	CONDYLOX (podofilox) <sup>Age Edit</sup> imiquimod <sup>Age Edit</sup> podofilox <sup>Age Edit</sup>	ALDARA (imiquimod) <sup>Age Edit</sup> CARAC (fluorouracil) diclofenac 3% gel EFUDEX (fluorouracil) fluorouracil 0.5% cream fluorouracil 5% cream PICATO (ingenol) <sup>Age Edit</sup> SOLARAZE (diclofenac) TOLAK (fluorouracil) VEREGEN (sinecatechins) <sup>Age Edit</sup> ZYCLARA (imiquimod) <sup>Age Edit</sup>	<p><b>Minimum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>12 years</b> – Aldara, Zyclara</li> <li>• <b>18 years</b> – Condylox, Picato, Veregen</li> </ul>

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<b>GLUCOCORTICOIDS (Inhaled)</b> <sup>DUR+</sup>			
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	ASMANEX TWISTHALER (mometasone) budesonide 0.25mg and 0.5mg PULMICORT FLEXHALER (budesonide) QVAR REDIHALER (beclomethasone dipropionate)	ALVESCO (ciclesonide) ARMONAIR Digihaler (fluticasone) ARNUITY ELLIPTA (fluticasone) ASMANEX HFA (mometasone) budesonide 1mg fluticasone diskus fluticasone HFA PULMICORT (budesonide) Respules	<p><b>Minimum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>1 year</b> – Pulmicort respules</li> <li>• <b>4 years</b> – Asmanex Twisthaler, fluticasone Diskus, fluticasone HFA, Qvar Redihaler</li> <li>• <b>5 years</b> – Arnuity Ellipta</li> <li>• <b>6 years</b> – Pulmicort Flexhaler</li> <li>• <b>12 years</b> – Alvesco, ArmonAir, Asmanex HFA</li> </ul> <p><b>Fluticasone HFA (generic Flovent HFA)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Automatic approval for ages 4-5 years with a diagnosis of asthma <b>OR</b></li> <li>• Have tried 2 preferred agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> <li>• <i>Note: Age waiver prior authorization submission will be required for Fluticasone HFA for children less than 4 years of age</i></li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 preferred single entity agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> </ul>

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul> <p><b>ArmonAir Digihaler</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Requires clinical review</li> </ul> <p><i>NOTE:</i> Institutional sized products are Non-Preferred</p>
<b>GLUCOCORTICOID/BRONCHODILATOR COMBINATIONS</b>			
	ADVAIR DISKUS (fluticasone/salmeterol) ADVAIR HFA (fluticasone/salmeterol) DULERA (mometasone/formoterol) fluticasone/salmeterol (generic ADVAIR) fluticasone/salmeterol (generic AIRDUO) SYMBICORT (budesonide/formoterol)	AIRDUO Digihaler (fluticasone/salmeterol) AIRDUO Resplick (fluticasone/salmeterol) BREO ELLIPTA (fluticasone/vilanterol) budesonide/formoterol WIXELA INHUB (fluticasone/salmeterol) AIRSUPRA (budesonide/albuterol)	<p><b>Minimum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>4 years</b> – Advair Diskus, Wixela Inhub</li> <li><b>5 years</b> – Breo Ellipta 50-25mcg, Breo Ellipta 100-25mcg</li> <li><b>6 years</b> – Symbicort</li> <li><b>12 years</b> – Advair HFA, AirDuo Digihaler, AirDuo Resplick,</li> <li><b>18 years</b> – Breo Ellipta 200-25mcg</li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have tried 2 preferred combination agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul> <p><b>AirDuo Digihaler and Airsupra</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Requires clinical review</li> </ul>

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<b>GI ULCER THERAPIES</b>			
	<b>H2 RECEPTOR ANTAGONISTS</b>		
	cimetidine solution famotidine solution famotidine tablets nizatidine solution	AXID (nizatidine) cimetidine tablets nizatidine tablets PEPCID (famotidine)	
	<b>PROTON PUMP INHIBITORS</b>		
	esomeprazole magnesium DR Capsule NEXIUM PACKET (esomeprazole) omeprazole Rx pantoprazole	ACIPHEX SPRINKLE (rabeprazole) ACIPHEX Tablet (rabeprazole) DEXILANT (dexlansoprazole) esomeprazole strontium DR Capsule KONVOMEK SUSPENSION (omeprazole/sodium bicarbonate) lansoprazole Rx NEXIUM Rx DR Capsule (esomeprazole) omeprazole sod. bicarb. pantoprazole suspension packet PREVACID Rx (lansoprazole) PREVACID SOLU-TAB (lansoprazole) PRILOSEC RX (omeprazole) PRILOSEC SUSPENSION (omeprazole) PROTONIX DR (pantoprazole) PROTONIX PACKET (pantoprazole) Rabeprazole ZEGERID	<p><b>Prilosec suspension</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Automatic approval for 0 - 2 years</li> </ul>
	<b>OTHER</b>		

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	misoprostol sucralfate suspension sucralfate tablet	CARAFATE SUSPENSION (sucralfate) CARAFATE TABLET (sucralfate) CYTOTEC (misoprostol) DARTISLA ODT (glycopyrrolate) VOQUEZNA (vonoprazan)	
<b>GROWTH HORMONE</b> DUR+			
	GENOTROPIN (somatropin) NORDITROPIN (somatropin) NUTROPIN AQ (somatropin)	HUMATROPE (somatropin) NGENLA (somatrogon-ghla) OMNITROPE (somatropin) SAIZEN (somatropin) SEROSTIM (somatropin) SKYTROFA (lonapegsomatropin) SOGROYA (somapacitan) VOXZOGO (vosoritide) ZOMACTON (somatropin) ZORBTIVE (somatropin)	<p><b>All Agents for Age ≥ 18 years</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Documented diagnosis of craniopharyngioma, panhypopituitarism, Prader-Willi Syndrome, Turner Syndrome or an approvable adult diagnosis <b>OR</b></li> <li>Documented procedure of cranial irradiation</li> </ul> <p><b>All Agents for Age &lt; 18 years</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Documented diagnosis of idiopathic short stature <b>AND</b></li> <li>Documented approvable pediatric diagnosis <b>OR</b></li> <li>Documented approvable pediatric diagnosis</li> </ul> <p><b>Minimum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>3 years – Ngenia</li> </ul> <p><b>Maximum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>18 years - Ngenia</li> </ul>

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			<p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 1 preferred agent in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 84 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul>
<b>H. PYLORI COMBINATION TREATMENTS</b>			
	PYLERA (bismuth subcitrate potassium, metronidazole, tetracycline)	bismuth subcitrate potassium, metronidazole, tetracycline lansoprazole, amoxicillin, clarithromycin OMECLAMOX (omeprazole, clarithromycin, amoxicillin) PREVPAC (lansoprazole, amoxicillin, clarithromycin) TALICIA (omeprazole, amoxicillin, rifabutin) VOQUEZNA DUAL PAK (vonoprazan, amoxicillin) VOQUEZNA TRIPLE PAK (vonoprazan, amoxicillin, clarithromycin)	<p><b>Quantity Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 treatment course/year</li> </ul>
<b>HEPATITIS B TREATMENTS</b>			
	entecavir EPIVIR HBV SOLUTION (lamivudine) lamivudine HBV tenofovir disoproxil fumarate	adefovir dipivoxil BARACLUDE (entecavir) EPIVIR HBV TABLET (lamivudine) HEPSERA (adefovir dipivoxil) TYZEKA (telbivudine) VEMLIDY (tenofovir alafenamide fumarate) VIREAD (tenofovir disoproxil fumarate)	

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<b>HEPATITIS C TREATMENTS</b>			
	MAVYRET (glecaprevir/pibrentasvir) ∞ MAVYRET PELLETS ( glecaprevir/pibrentasvir)∞ PEGASYS (peginterferon alfa-2a) PEG-INTRON (peginterferon alfa-2b) ribavirin tablets sofosbuvir/velpatasvir∞	COPEGUS (ribavirin) EPCLUSA (sofosbuvir/velpatasvir) ∞ HARVONI (ledipasvir/sofosbuvir) ∞ ledipasvir/sofosbuvir∞ MODERIBA (ribavirin) OLYSIO (simeprevir) REBETOL (ribavirin) RIBASPHERE (ribavirin) RIBASPHERE RIBAPAK DOSEPACK (ribavirin) ribavirin capsules SOVALDI (sofosbuvir)∞ TECHNIVIE (ombitasvir/paritaprevir/ritonavir) VIEKIRA (ombitasvir/paritaprevir/ritonavir) VIEKIRA XR (ombitasvir/paritaprevir/ritonavir) VOSEVI (sofosbuvir/velpatasvir/voxilaprevir) ∞ ZEPATIER (elbasvir/grazoprevir) ∞	∞ <b>Epclusa, Harvoni, Mavyret, Sovaldi, Vosevi, Zepatier</b> • Require clinical review  <u>Note:</u> Epclusa, Harvoni, Mavyret and Sovaldi have FDA pediatric indications  <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a>
<b>HEREDITARY ANGIOEDEMA</b>			
		BERINERT (C1 esterase inhibitor) CINRYZE VIAL (C1 esterase inhibitor) FIRAZYR SYRINGE (icatibant acetate) HAEGARDA (C1 esterase inhibitor) icatibant KALBITOR VIAL (ecallantide) ORLADEYO (berotralstat hydrochloride)	

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		RUCONEST VIAL (C1 esterase inhibitor, recombinant) TAKHZYRO (lanadelumab-flyo)	
<b>HYPERURICEMIA &amp; GOUT</b> <sup>DUR+</sup>			
	allopurinol colchicine tablet probenecid probenecid/colchicine	colchicine capsule COLCRYS (colchicine) febuxostat GLOPERBA (colchicine) MITIGARE (colchicine) ULORIC (febuxostat) ZYLOPRIM (allopurinol)	<b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months</li> </ul>
<b>HYPOGLYCEMIA TREATMENT, GLUCAGON</b>			
	lifilSIMI (glucagon) <sup>Step Edit</sup> glucagon vial glucagon labeler 00002 ZEGALOGUE (dasiglucagon) <sup>Step Edit</sup>	glucagon kit (labelers 63323, 00548) GVOKE (glucagon)	<b>Minimum Age Limit</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2 years – Gvoke</li> <li>• 4 years – Baqsimi</li> <li>• 6 years – Zegalogue</li> </ul> <b>Quantity Limit</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2 packs/31 days – Baqsimi</li> <li>• 2 syringes/31 days – Gvoke, Zegalogue</li> <li>• 2 kits/31 days – Glucagon</li> </ul> <b>Gvoke</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 claim with Baqsimi or Zegalogue in the past 30 days</li> </ul> <b>Non-Preferred Glucagons</b>

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have tried 1 different preferred glucagon in the past 30 days</li> </ul>
<b>HYPOGLYCEMICS, BIGUANIDES</b> <sup>DUR+</sup>			
	metformin HCL tablet metformin HCL ER 24HR tablet (generic GlucophageXR)	FORTAMET ER GLUCOPHAGE (metformin) GLUCOPHAGE XR (metformin ER) GLUMETZA (metformin ER) metformin 24HR (generic Fortamet) metformin 24HR (generic Glumetza) RIOMET SOLUTION* (metformin)	
<b>HYPOGLYCEMICS, DPP4s and COMBINATON</b> <sup>DUR+</sup>			
	JANUMET (sitagliptin/metformin) JANUMET XR (sitagliptin/metformin) JANUVIA (sitagliptin) JENTADUETO (linagliptin/metformin) TRADJENTA (linagliptin)	alogliptin alogliptin/metformin alogliptin/pioglitazone JENTADUETO XR (linagliptin/metformin) KAZANO (alogliptin/metformin) KOMBIGLYZE XR (saxagliptin/metformin)* NESINA (alogliptin) ONGLYZA (saxagliptin) *	Concomitant use of a GLP-1 product and a DPP-4 product requires clinical review

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		OSENI (alogliptin/pioglitazone) ZITUVIO (sitagliptin) <sup>NR</sup>	
<b>HYPOGLYCEMICS, INCRETIN MIMETICS/ENHANCERS</b> <sup>DUR+</sup>			
	BYETTA (exenatide) TRULICITY (dulaglutide) VICTOZA (liraglutide)	ADLYXIN (lixisenatide) BYDUREON (exenatide) BYDUREON BCISE (exenatide) MOUNJARO (tirzepatide) OZEMPIC (semaglutide) RYBELSUS (semaglutide) SOLIQUA (insulin glargine/lixisenatide) SYMLIN (pramlintide) XULTOPHY (insulin degludec/ liraglutide)	<p><b>Minimum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>10 years</b> – Bydureon Bcise, Trulicity, Victoza</li> <li>• <b>18 years</b> – Byetta, Mounjaro, Ozempic, Rybelsus</li> </ul> <p><b>Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis for Type 2 Diabetes <b>OR</b></li> <li>• Have history of 84 days of therapy with the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis for Type 2 Diabetes <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Have a history of 84 days of therapy with Trulicity in the past 6 months <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Have a history of 84 days of therapy with 1 of the following preferred single ingredient GLP-1 Agonists in the past 6 months: Byetta or Victoza <b>OR</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis for Type 2 Diabetes <b>AND</b></li> </ul>

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<b>HYPOGLYCEMICS, INSULINS AND RELATED AGENTS</b> <span style="font-weight: normal; color: #4F81BD;">DUR+</span>			
	HUMULIN N, R, 70/30 VIAL <sup>OTC</sup> (insulin) HUMULIN R U500 KWIKPEN HUMULIN R U500 VIAL (insulin) HUMALOG MIX 50/50 VIAL HUMALOG MIX 75/25 VIAL insulin aspart insulin aspart flexpen insulin aspart mix insulin aspart mix flexpen Insulin lispro insulin lispro jr kwikpen insulin lispro kwikpen	AFREZZA (insulin) ADMELOG (insulin lispro) APIDRA (insulin glulisine) APIDRA SOLOSTAR (insulin glulisine) BASAGLAR (insulin glargine) FIASP (insulin aspart) HUMALOG JR (insulin lispro) HUMALOG KWIKPEN U100 (insulin lispro) HUMALOG KWIKPEN U200 (insulin lispro) HUMALOG MIX KWIKPEN (insulin lispro/ lispro protamine) HUMALOG VIAL (insulin lispro)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have a history of 84 days of therapy with the requested agent in the past 105</li> </ul> <p>Note: Single ingredient GLP-1 agonists are not indicated for treatment of obesity. Please refer to the PDL for a list of select anti-obesity agents.</p> <p>Concomitant use of a GLP-1 product and a DPP-4 product requires clinical review</p> <p>Insulin pen formulations are not covered for Long Term Care (LTC) beneficiaries.</p> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Documented diagnosis of Diabetes Mellitus <b>AND</b></li> <li>Have tried 1 preferred product in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>1 claim with the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul>

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	LANTUS SOLOSTAR & VIAL (insulin glargine) LEVEMIR FLEXPEN & VIAL (insulin detemir) TOUJEO (insulin glargine) TOUJEO MAX (insulin glargine)	HUMULIN N, 70/30 KWIKPEN (insulin) <sup>OTC</sup> insulin glargine insulin lispro mix 75/25 kwikpen LYUMJEV KWIKPEN (insulin lispro) LYUMJEV VIAL (insulin lispro) NOVOLIN N, R, 70/30 FLEXPEN (insulin) <sup>OTC</sup> NOVOLIN N, R, 70/30 VIAL (insulin) <sup>OTC</sup> NOVOLOG FLEXPEN & VIAL (insulin aspart) NOVOLOG MIX FLEXPEN & VIAL (insulin aspart/ aspart protamine) REZVOGLAR (insulin glargine) SEMGLEE (insulin glargine) TRESIBA (insulin degludec)	<b>Quantity Limit</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="#">Insulin Quantity Limits found here</a></li> </ul>
<b>HYPOGLYCEMICS, MEGLITINIDES</b> <sup>DUR+</sup>			
	nateglinide repaglinide	PRANDIMET (repaglinide/metformin) PRANDIN (repaglinide) repaglinide/metformin STARLIX (nateglinide)	
<b>HYPOGLYCEMICS, SODIUM GLUCOSE COTRANSPORTER-2 INHIBITORS</b> <sup>DUR+</sup>			
<b>HYPOGLYCEMICS, SODIUM GLUCOSE COTRANSPORTER-2 INHIBITORS</b>			
	FARXIGA (dapagliflozin) INVOKANA (canagliflozin) JARDIANCE (empagliflozin)	INPEFA (sotagliflozin) STEGLATRO (ertugliflozin)	
<b>HYPOGLYCEMICS, SODIUM GLUCOSE COTRANSPORTER-2 INHIBITOR COMBINATIONS</b>			

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	INVOKAMET (canagliflozin/metformin) SYNJARDY (empagliflozin/metformin)	GLYXAMBI (empagliflozin/linagliptin) INVOKAMET XR (canagliflozin/metformin) QTERN (dapagliflozin/saxagliptin) SEGLUROMET (ertugliflozin/metformin) STEGLUJAN (ertugliflozin/sitagliptin) SYNJARDY XR (empagliflozin/metformin) TRIJARDY XR (empagliflozin/linagliptin/metformin) XIGDUO XR (dapagliflozin/metformin)	
<b>HYPOGLYCEMICS, TZDS</b>			
<b>THIAZOLIDINEDIONES</b>			
	pioglitazone	ACTOS (pioglitazone) AVANDIA (rosiglitazone)	
<b>TZD COMBINATIONS</b>			
	pioglitazone/metformin	ACTOPLUS MET (pioglitazone/metformin) ACTOPLUSMET XR (pioglitazone/metformin) AVANDAMET (rosiglitazone/metformin) AVANDARYL (rosiglitazone/glipizide) DUETACT (pioglitazone/glimepiride) pioglitazone/glimepiride	
<b>IDIOPATHIC PULMONARY FIBROSIS <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
	OFEV (nintedanib)	ESBRIET (pirfenidone) pirfenidone	<b>All Agents</b> • Documented diagnosis Idiopathic Pulmonary Fibrosis
<b>IMMUNOSUPPRESSIVE (ORAL) <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
	AZASAN (azathioprine) azathioprine	ASTAGRAF XL (tacrolimus) ENVARUSUS XR (tacrolimus)	<b>Minimum Age Limit</b> • <b>13 years</b> – Rapamune

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	CELLCEPT (mycophenolate) cyclosporine cyclosporine modified everolimus GENGRAF (cyclosporine) IMURAN (azathioprine) mycophenolic acid mycophenolate mofetil NEORAL (cyclosporine) RAPAMUNE (sirolimus) SANDIMMUNE (cyclosporine) sirolimus tacrolimus	HECORIA (tacrolimus) MYFORTIC (mycophenolic acid) PROGRAF (tacrolimus) REZUROCK (belumosudil) ZORTRESS (everolimus)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>18 years</b> – Zortress</li> <li><b>Astagraf, Cellcept, Envarsus XR, Hecoria, Prograf</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis for heart transplant, kidney transplant, liver transplant, lung transplant or a State accepted diagnosis</li> <li><b>Azasan</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis of kidney transplant, RA, or a State accepted diagnosis</li> <li><b>Gengraf, Neoral, Sandimmune</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis of heart transplant, kidney transplant, liver transplant, psoriasis, RA, or a State accepted diagnosis <b>OR</b></li> <li>• Clinical review required for a diagnosis of Kimura's disease or multifocal motor neuropathy</li> <li><b>Myfortic</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis of kidney transplant or psoriasis</li> <li><b>Rapamune</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis of kidney transplant</li> </ul>

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			<b>Zortress</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Documented diagnosis of kidney transplant or liver transplant</li> </ul>
<b>IMMUNE GLOBULINS</b>			
	BIVIGAM CARIMUNE NF FLEBOGAMMA DIF GAMASTAN SD GAMMAGARD GAMMAGARD SD GAMUNEX-C HIZENTRA HYQVIA PANZYGA PRIVIGEN XEMBIFY	ASCENIV CABLIVI CUTAQUIG CUVITRU GAMMAKED GAMMAPLEX OCTAGAM	
<b>IMMUNOLOGIC THERAPIES FOR ASTHMA</b>			
	DUPIXENT (dupilumab)* FASENRA PEN AUTOINJECTOR (benralizumab) FASENRA SYRINGE (benralizumab) XOLAIR SYRINGE (omalizumab) XOLAIR VIAL (omalizumab)	CINQAIR (reslizumab) NUCALA AUTOINJECTOR (mepolizumab)* NUCALA SYRINGE (mepolizumab)* TEZSPIRE (tezepelumab)	<b>All require a clinical review</b>  <b>Dupixent – <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b> <b>Fasenra- <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b> <b>Xolair- <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b>
<b>INTRANASAL RHINITIS AGENTS</b>			
<b>ANTICHOLINERGICS</b>			
	ipratropium	ATROVENT (ipratropium)	
<b>ANTIHISTAMINES</b>			

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	azelastine	ASTEPRO (azelastine) olopatadine PATANASE (olopatadine)	
<b>ANTIHISTAMINE/CORTICOSTEROID COMBINATION <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
		azelastine/fluticasone DYMISTA (azelastine/fluticasone) RYALTRIS (olopatadine/mometasone) TICALAST (azelastine/fluticasone)	
<b>CORTICOSTEROIDS <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
	fluticasone <sup>Rx Only</sup>	BECONASE AQ (beclomethasone) budesonide flunisolide mometasone NASONEX (mometasone) OMNARIS (ciclesonide) QNASL (beclomethasone) TICANASE KIT (flonase kit) triamcinolone VERAMYST (fluticasone) XHANCE (fluticasone) ZETONNA (ciclesonide)	<b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis for allergic rhinitis <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Have tried 1 different preferred agent in the past 6 months</li> </ul>
<b>IRON CHELATING AGENTS</b>			
	deferasirox all strengths (all labelers except those listed as non-preferred) FERRIPROX (deferiprone)	deferasirox (labeler 00093, 16714, 45963, 62332) EXJADE (deferasirox) JADENU (deferasirox) JADENU SPRINKLES (deferasirox)	<b>Jadenu – <u>MANUAL PA</u></b>
<b>IRRITABLE BOWEL SYNDROME/SHORT BOWEL SYNDROME AGENTS/SELECTED GI AGENTS <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			

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	<b>IRRITABLE BOWEL SYNDROME CONSTIPATION</b>		
	AMITIZA (lubiprostone) LINZESS 145mcg, 290mcg (linaclotide)	IBSRELA (tenapanor) LINZESS 72mcg (linaclotide) linaclotide lubiprostone MOTEGRITY (prucalopride) MOVANTIK (naloxegol) RELISTOR (methylnaltrexone) SYMPROIC (naldemedine) TRULANCE (plecanatide) ZELNORM (tegaserod)	<p><b>Minimum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>1 year</b> – Gattex</li> <li>• <b>6 years</b> – Linzess 72mcg</li> <li>• <b>18 years</b> – Amitiza, Ibsrela, Linzess 145mcg &amp; 290mcg, Motegrity, Movantik, Mytesi, Relistor, Symproic, Trulance, Viberzi, Xermelo</li> </ul> <p><b>Gender Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Female</b> – Amitiza 8mcg</li> </ul> <p><b>Chronic Idiopathic Constipation (CIC)</b>            AMITIZA 24MCG, LINZESS 72MCG, LINZESS 145 MCG, MOTEGRITY, TRULANCE</p> <p><b>All CIC Agents</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of CIC in the past year <b>AND</b></li> <li>• No history of GI or bowel obstruction</li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred CIC Agents</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Age 18 years <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis of CIC <b>AND</b></li> <li>• No history of GI or bowel obstruction <b>AND</b></li> </ul>

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 30 days of therapy with 2 preferred agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 1 claim with the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul> <p><b>Linzess 72 mcg</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Age 6-17 years <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis of CIC or pediatric functional constipation in the past year <b>AND</b></li> <li>• No history of GI or bowel obstruction</li> </ul> <p><b>Irritable Bowel Syndrome – Constipation Dominant (IBS-C)</b> AMITIZA 8MCG, IBSRELA, LINZESS 290 MCG, TRULANCE</p> <p><b>All IBS-C Agents</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of IBS-C in the past year <b>AND</b></li> <li>• No history of GI or bowel obstruction</li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred IBS-C Agents</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Above IBS-C criteria <b>AND</b></li> <li>• 30 days of therapy with 2 preferred agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 1 claim with the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul>

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			<p><b>Opioid Induced Constipation (OIC)</b> AMITIZA 24MCG, MOVANTIK, RELISTOR, SYMPROIC</p> <p><b>All OIC Agents</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of OIC in the past year <b>AND</b></li> <li>• 1 claim for an opioid in the past 30 days <b>AND</b></li> <li>• No history of GI or bowel obstruction <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis of chronic pain in the past year</li> </ul> <p><b>Non- Preferred OIC Agents</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Above OIC criteria <b>AND</b></li> <li>• 30 days of therapy with 2 preferred agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 1 claim with the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul> <p><b>Relistor Injection</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Above OIC criteria <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis of active cancer in the past year <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis of palliative care in the past 6 months</li> </ul> <p><b>Viberzi</b></p>
<b>IRRITABLE BOWEL SYNDROME DIARRHEA</b>			
	dicyclomine hyoscyamine	alosetron BENTYL (dicyclomine)	

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		LEVSIN (hyoscyamine) LEVSIN-SL (hyoscyamine) LOTRONEX (alosetron) VIBERZI (eluxadoline)*	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of Irritable Bowel Syndrome – Diarrhea Dominant (IBS-D) in the past year <b>AND</b></li> <li>• 30 days of therapy with 2 preferred agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 1 claim with the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul> <p><b>Lotronex</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 claim for the requested agent in the past 105 days <b>OR</b></li> <li>• <b>MANUAL PA</b> - All new patients require manual review</li> </ul> <p><b>Xifaxan - (see Antibiotics, GI)</b></p>
<b>SHORT BOWEL SYNDROME AND SELECTED GI AGENTS</b>			
		GATTEX (teduglutide) MYTESI (crofelemer) NUTRESTORE POWDER PACK (glutamine) XERMELO (telotristat ethyl) ZORBTIVE (somatropin)	<p><b>Carcinoid Syndrome Agent</b> <b>XERMELO</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of carcinoid syndrome in the past year <b>AND</b></li> <li>• 1 claim for a somatostatin analog in the past 30 days</li> </ul> <p><b>HIV/AIDS Non-infectious Diarrhea</b> <b>MYTESI</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of HIV/AIDS in the past year <b>AND</b></li> </ul>

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of non-infectious diarrhea in the past year <b>AND</b></li> <li>• 1 claim for an antiretroviral in the past 30 days</li> </ul> <p><b>Short Bowel Syndrome (SBS)</b> GATTEX, NUTRESTORE, ZORBTIVE <b>Gattex or Zorbtive</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 claim for the requested agent in the past 105 days <b>OR</b></li> <li>• All new patients require clinical review</li> </ul> <p><b>Nutrestore</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requires clinical review</li> </ul>
<b>LEUKOTRIENE MODIFIERS <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
	montelukast granules montelukast tablets zafirlukast	ACCOLATE (zafirlukast) SINGULAIR Tablets (montelukast) SINGULAR GRANULES (montelukast granules) zileuton ZYFLO CR (zileuton)	<p><b>Minimum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>12 years</b> – Zyflo &amp; Zyflo CR</li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months</li> </ul>
<b>LIPOTROPICS, OTHER (NON-STATINS)</b>			
<b>ACL INHIBITORS AND COMBINATIONS</b>			
		NEXLETOL (bempedoic acid) NEXLIZET (bempedoic acid/ezetimibe)	<p><b>Nexletol and Nexlizet</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requires clinical review</li> </ul>

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<b>ANGIOPHOTIN LIKE 3 INHIBITORS</b>			
		EVKEEZA (evinacumab-dgnb)	<b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b> Have tried 2 different preferred Non-statin Lipotropic agents in the past 6 months
<b>BILE ACID SEQUESTRANTS</b>			
	cholestyramine colestipol	colesevelam COLESTID (colestipol) QUESTRAN (cholestyramine) WELCHOL (colesevelam)	
<b>OMEGA-3 FATTY ACIDS</b>			
	omega 3 acid ethyl esters	icosapent LOVAZA (omega-3-acid ethyl esters) VASCEPA (icosapent ethyl)	
<b>CHOLESTEROL ABSORPTION INHIBITORS</b>			
	ezetimibe	ZETIA (ezetimibe)	
<b>FIBRIC ACID DERIVATIVES</b>			
	fenofibrate nanocrystallized gemfibrozil	ANTARA (fenofibrate, micronized) fenofibrate 40mg tablet fenofibrate, micronized fenofibric acid FENOGLIDE (fenofibrate) FIBRICOR (fenofibric acid) LIPOFEN (fenofibrate) LOFIBRA (fenofibrate)	<b>Fibric Acid Derivative Non-Preferred Criteria</b> • Have tried 2 different fibric acid derivatives in the past 6 months

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		LOPID (gemfibrozil) TRICOR (fenofibrate nanocrystallized) TRIGLIDE (fenofibrate) TRILIPIX (fenofibric acid)	
		<b>MTP INHIBITOR</b>	
		JUXTAPID (lomitapide)	<b>Juxtapid – <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b>
		<b>APOLIPOPROTEIN B-100 SYNTHESIS INHIBITOR</b>	
		KYNAMRO (mipomersen)	<b>Kynamro – <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b>
		<b>NIACIN</b>	
	niacin ER NIACOR (niacin)	NIASPAN (niacin)	
		<b>PCSK-9 INHIBITOR</b>	
	PRALUENT (alirocumab) REPATHA (evolocumab)	LEQVIO (inclisiran)	<b>Leqvio</b> • Requires clinical review  <b>Praluent - <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b>  <b>Repatha - <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b>
<b>LIPOTROPICS, STATINS</b> <sup>DUR+</sup>			
		<b>STATINS</b>	
	atorvastatin lovastatin pravastatin rosuvastatin	ALTOPREV (lovastatin) ATORVALIQ SUSPENSION (atorvastatin) CRESTOR (rosuvastatin) EZALLOR SPRINKLE (rosuvastatin)	<b>Minimum Age Limit</b> • <b>10 years</b> – Atorvaliq suspension  <b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b>

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	simvastatin	FLOLIPID (simvastatin) fluvastatin ER fluvastatin LESCOL (fluvastatin) LESCOL XL (fluvastatin) LIPITOR (atorvastatin) LIVALO (pitavastatin) MEVACOR (lovastatin) pitavastatin <sup>NR</sup> PRAVACHOL (pravastatin) ZOCOR (simvastatin) ZYPITAMAG (pitavastatin)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have tried 2 different preferred statin or statin combination agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul> <p><b>Simvastatin 80mg</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Daily doses of 80mg and greater require clinical review</li> </ul>
<b>STATIN COMBINATIONS</b>			
	ezetimibe/simvastatin SIMCOR (simvastatin/niacin)	ADVICOR (lovastatin/niacin) atorvastatin/amlodipine CADUET (atorvastatin/amlodipine) LIPTRUZET (atorvastatin/ezetimibe) VYTORIN (simvastatin/ezetimibe)	<p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have tried 2 different preferred statin or statin combination agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul>
<b>MISCELLANEOUS BRAND/GENERIC</b>			
<b>EPINEPHRINE</b>			
	epinephrine autoinject pens (labeler 49502) SYMJEPI (epinephrine)	ADRENALICK (epinephrine) AUVI-Q (epinephrine) EPINEPHRINE SNAP EMS KIT (epinephrine) EPIPEN (epinephrine) EPIPEN JR (epinephrine)	<p><b>Quantity Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>2 kits/31 days</b></li> </ul>
<b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>			

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	alprazolam carglumic acid hydroxyzine hcl syrup hydroxyzine hcl tablets hydroxyzine pamoate megestrol suspension 625mg/5mL REVLIMID (lenalidomide)	alprazolam ER CAMZYOS (mavacamten) CARBAGLU (carglumic acid) EVRYSOI (risdiplam) INPEFA (sotagliflozin) <sup>NR</sup> lenalidomide MEGACE ES (megestrol) VERQUOVO (vericiguat) VISTARIL (hydroxyzine pamoate)	<b>Alprazolam ER CUMULATIVE quantity limit</b> • 31 tablets/31 days  <b>Evrysoi - <u>MANUAL PA</u></b>
<b>ALLERGEN EXTRACT IMMUNOTHERAPY</b>			
		GRASTEK ORALAIR PALFORZIA RAGWITEK	
<b>SUBLINGUAL NITROGLYCERIN</b>			
	nitroglycerin lingual 12gm nitroglycerin sublingual NITROLINGUAL PUMPSPRAY (nitroglycerin) 12gm NITROSTAT SUBLINGUAL (nitroglycerin)	nitroglycerin lingual 4.9gm NITROLINGUAL (nitroglycerin) 4.9gm NITROMIST (nitroglycerin)	
<b>MOVEMENT DISORDER AGENTS <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
	AUSTEDO (deutetrabenazine) AUSTEDO XR (deutetrabenazine) INGREZZA (valbenazine) tetrabenazine (all labelers except those listed as non-preferred)	tetrabenazine (labeler 47335, 51224, 60505, 68180, 686820) XENAZINE (tetrabenazine)	<b>Austedo and Austedo XR</b> • Documented diagnosis of Huntington's chorea <b>OR</b> • Documented diagnosis of tardive dyskinesia <b>AND</b> • 90 days therapy with Austedo or Austedo XR in the past 105 days <b>OR</b>

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></li> </ul> <p><b>Ingrezza</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of Huntington's chorea <b>OR</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis of tardive dyskinesia <b>AND</b></li> <li>• 90 days therapy with Ingrezza in the past 105 days <b>OR</b></li> <li>• <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></li> </ul>
<b>MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS AGENTS</b> <sup>DUR+</sup>			
	AVONEX (interferon beta-1a) AVONEX PEN (interferon beta-1a) BETASERON (interferon beta-1b) COPAXONE 20mg (glatiramer) dalfampridine dimethyl fumarate fingolimod GILENYA (fingolimod) REBIF (interferon beta-1a) REBIF REBIDOSE (interferon beta-1a) teriflunomide TYSABRI (natalizumab)	AMPYRA (dalfampridine) AUBAGIO (teriflunomide) BAFIERTAM (monomethyl fumarate) BRIUMVI (ublituximab) COPAXONE 40mg (glatiramer) EXTAVIA (interferon beta-1b) glatiramer GLATOPA (glatiramer) KESIMPTA (ofatumumab) MAVENCLAD (cladribine) MAYZENT (siponimod) OCREVUS (ocrelizumab) PLEGRIDY (interferon beta-1a) PONVORY (ponesimod) TASCENSO ODT (fingolimod) TECFIDERA (dimethyl fumarate)	<p><b>All Agents</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of multiple sclerosis</li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 3 claims with the requested agent in the last 105 days</li> </ul> <p><b>Kesimpta, Ponvory, Tascenso ODT, and Zeposia</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requires clinical review</li> </ul> <p><b>Mavenclad – <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b></p> <p><b>Mayzent – <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b></p>

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		VUMERITY (diroximel fumarate) ZEPOSIA (ozanimod)	<b>Ocrevus – <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b>
<b>MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY AGENTS</b>			
	EMFLAZA (deflazacort)	AMONDYS 45 (casimersen) deflazacort ELEVIDYS (delandistrogene moxeparvovec-rokl) EXONDYS 51 (eteplirsen) VILTEPSO (viltolarsen) VYONDYS 53 (golodirsen)	<b>Emflaza – <a href="#">Clinical Review</a></b> <b>Exondys – <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b> <b>Viltepsos – <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b> <b>Vyondys – <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b>
<b>NSAIDS <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
<b>NON-SELECTIVE</b>			
	diclofenac EC diclofenac IR diclofenac SR etodolac IR tab flurbiprofen ibuprofen ibuprofen suspension <sup>OTC</sup> indomethacin ketoprofen ketorolac nabumetone naproxen 250mg and 500mg naproxen suspension piroxicam sulindac	ADVIL (ibuprofen) ANAPROX (naproxen) CAMBIA (diclofenac potassium) CATAFLAM (diclofenac) DAYPRO (oxaprozin) diclofenac potassium etodolac cap etodolac tab SR FELDENE (piroxicam) FENORTHO (fenoprofen) fenoprofen INDOCIN capsules, suspension & suppositories (indomethacin) indomethacin cap ER ketoprofen ER LOFENA(diclofenac potassium)	<b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b> • Have tried 2 different preferred non-selective or NSAID/GI protectant combination agents in the past 6 months  <b>Quantity Limit</b> • 20 tablets/31 days – ketorolac tablets

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		meclfenamate mefenamic acid NALFON (fenoprofen) NAPRELAN (naproxen) NAPROSYN (naproxen) naproxen 275mg and 550mg NUPRIN (ibuprofen) oxaprozin PONSTEL (mefenamic acid) PROFENO (fenoprofen) RELAFEN DS (nabumetone) SPRIX NASAL SPRAY (ketorolac) TIVORBEX (indomethacin) tolmetin VOLTAREN XR (diclofenac) ZIPSOR (diclofenac) ZORVOLEX (diclofenac)	
<b>NSAID/GI PROTECTANT COMBINATIONS</b>			
		ARTHROTEC (diclofenac/misoprostol) diclofenac/misoprostol DUEXIS (ibuprofen/famotidine) ibuprofen/famotidine naproxen/esomeprazole VIMOVO (naproxen/esomeprazole)	<b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have tried 2 different preferred non-selective or NSAID/GI protectant combination agents in the past 6 months</li> </ul>
<b>COX II SELECTIVE</b>			
	meloxicam	CELEBREX (celecoxib) celecoxib ELYXYB (celecoxib)	<b>Non-Preferred Criteria – COX II</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Documented diagnosis of Osteoarthritis, Rheumatoid Arthritis,</li> </ul>

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		MOBIC (meloxicam) NULOX (meloxicam) QMIIZ ODT (meloxicam) VIVLODEX (meloxicam)	Familial Adenomatous Polyposis, or Ankylosing Spondylitis <b>AND</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days <b>OR</b></li> <li>• Have tried 1 preferred COX-II Selective and 1 preferred Non-Selective Agent <b>OR</b></li> <li>• Have tried 1 preferred COX-II Selective agent and a documented diagnosis of GI Bleed, GERD, PUD, GI Perforation, or Coagulation Disorder</li> </ul> <b>Elyxyb</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requires clinical review</li> </ul>
<b>OPHTHALMIC ANTIBIOTICS</b>			
	bacitracin/neomycin/gramicidin bacitracin/polymyxin ciprofloxacin erythromycin GENTAK Ointment (gentamicin) gentamicin ILOTYCIN (erythromycin) moxifloxacin ofloxacin polymyxin/trimethoprim tobramycin	AZASITE (azithromycin) bacitracin BESIVANCE (besifloxacin) BLEPH-10 (sulfacetamide) CILOXAN Ointment (ciprofloxacin) CILOXAN Solution (ciprofloxacin) GARAMYCIN (gentamicin) gatifloxacin levofloxacin MOXEZA (moxifloxacin) NATACYN (natamycin)	

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		neomycin/bacitracin/polymyxin b NEO-POLYCIN (neomy/baci/polymyxin b) NEOSPORIN (bacitracin/neomycin/gramicidin) (oxy-tcn/polymyx sul) OCUFLOX (ofloxacin) POLYTRIM (polymyxin/trimethoprim) sulfacetamide TOBEX drops (tobramycin) TOBEX ointment (tobramycin) VIGAMOX (moxifloxacin) ZYMAR (gatifloxacin) ZYMAXID (gatifloxacin)	
<b>ANTIBIOTIC STEROID COMBINATIONS</b>			
	BLEPHAMIDE (sulfacetamide/prednisolone) drops, oint neomycin/bacitracin/polymyxin/hc ointment neomycin/polymyxin/dexamethasone PRED-G (gentamicin/prednisolone) drops, oint sulfacetamide/prednisolone tobramycin/dexamethasone suspension TOBRADEX OINTMENT (tobramycin/dexamethasone) ZYLET (loteprednol/tobramycin)	gatifloxacin/prednisolone MAXITROL (neomycin/polymyxin/dexamethasone) neomycin/polymyxin/gramicidin neomycin/polymyxin/hydrocortisone TOBRADEX ST SUSPENSION (tobramycin/dexamethasone) TOBRADEX SUSPENSION (tobramycin/dexamethasone)	
<b>OPHTHALMIC ANTI-INFLAMMATORIES <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
	dexamethasone diclofenac difluprednate	ACULAR (ketorolac) ACULAR LS (ketorolac) ACUVAIL (ketorolac)	<b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months</li> </ul>

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	FLAREX (fluorometholone) fluorometholone flurbiprofen FML FORTE (fluorometholone) FML SOP (fluorometholone) ketorolac MAXIDEX (dexamethasone) prednisolone acetate prednisolone NA phosphate PRED MILD (prednisolone) VEXOL (rimexolone)	BROMDAY (bromfenac) bromfenac BROMSITE (bromfenac) DUREZOL (difluprednate) FML (fluorometholone) ILEVRO (nepafenac) INVELTYS (loteprednol etabonate) LOTEMAX (loteprednol) LOTEMAX SM (loteprednol) loteprednol etabonate OCUFEN (flurbiprofen) OMNIPRED (prednisolone) NEVANAC (nepafenac) PRED FORTE (prednisolone) PROLENSA (bromfenac) VOLTAREN (diclofenac)	
<b>OPHTHALMICS FOR ALLERGIC CONJUNCTIVITIS <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
	ALREX (loteprednol) azelastine cromolyn ketotifen <sup>OTC</sup> olopatadine 0.1% olopatadine 0.2% ZADITOR (ketotifen) <sup>OTC</sup>	ALOCRIIL (nedocromil) ALOMIDE (Iodoxamide) BEPREVE (bepotastine) epinastine LASTACAFT (alcaftadine) PATADAY (olopatadine) PATANOL (olopatadine) PAZEO (olopatadine) VERKAZIA (cyclosporine) ZERVIAE (cetirizine)	<b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months</li> </ul> <b>Verkazia</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requires clinical review</li> </ul>

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<b>OPHTHALMIC, DRY EYE AGENTS</b>			
	RESTASIS droperette (cyclosporine)	CEQUA (cyclosporine 0.09%) EYSUVIS (loteprednol etabonate) MIEBO (perfluorohexyloctane) RESTASIS Multidose (cyclosporine) TYRVAYA (varaenicine) Nasal VEYVE (cyclosporine ophthalmic solution) XIIDRA (lifitegrast) <sup>DUR+</sup>	<p><b>Minimum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>16 years</b> – Restasis</li> <li>• <b>17 years</b> – Xiidra</li> <li>• <b>18 years</b> – Cequa, Miebo, Vevye</li> </ul> <p><b>Quantity Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>2 ml/31 days</b> – Vevye</li> <li>• <b>3 ml/31 days</b> – Miebo</li> <li>• <b>5.5 mL/31 days</b> – Restasis Multidose</li> <li>• <b>60 units/31 days</b> – Cequa, Restasis droperette, Xiidra</li> </ul> <p><b>Eysuvis, Miebo and Tyrvaya</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requires clinical review</li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• History of 4 claims for Restasis in the past 6 months</li> </ul>
<b>OPHTHALMIC, GLAUCOMA AGENTS <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
<b>BETA BLOCKERS</b>			

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	BETIMOL (timolol) carteolol ISTALOL (timolol) levobunolol metipranolol timolol drops 0.25%, 0.5%	BETAGAN (levobunolol) betaxolol BETOPTIC S (betaxolol) OPTIPRANOLOL (metipranolol) timolol gel timolol daily drop 0.5% (generic Istalol) timolol/pf droperette TIMOPTIC (timolol) TIMOPTIC OCUDOSE (timolol) TIMOPTIC XE (timolol)	<p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul> <p><b>Minimum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>18 years</b> - lyuzeh</li> </ul>
<b>CARBONIC ANHYDRASE INHIBITORS</b>			
	dorzolamide	AZOPT (brinzolamide) brinzolamide TRUSOPT (dorzolamide)	
<b>COMBINATION AGENTS</b>			
	COMBIGAN (brimonidine/timolol) brimonidine/timolol dorzolamide/timolol SIMBRINZA (brinzolamide/brimonidine)	COSOPT (dorzolamide/timolol) COSOPT PF (dorzolamide/timolol)	
<b>PARASYMPATHOMIMETICS</b>			
	pilocarpine	CARBOPTIC (carbachol) ISOPTO CARBACHOL (carbachol) ISOPTO CARPINE (pilocarpine) PHOSPHOLINE IODIDE (echothiophate iodide) PILOPINE HS (pilocarpine)	
<b>PROSTAGLANDIN ANALOGS</b>			

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	latanoprost	bimatoprost IYUZEH (latanoprost) LUMIGAN (bimatoprost) TRAVATAN Z (travoprost) travoprost VYZULTA (latanoprostene bunod) XALATAN (latanoprost) XELPROS (latanoprost) ZIOPTAN (tafluprost)	
<b>RHO KINASE INHIBITORS/COMBINATIONS</b>			
	RHOPRESSA (netarsudil) ROCKLATAN (netarsudil/latanoprost)		
<b>SYMPATHOMIMETICS</b>			
	ALPHAGAN P 0.1% (brimonidine) ALPHAGAN P 0.15% (brimonidine) brimonidine 0.2%	brimonidine 0.15% brimonidine 0.1% dipivefrin PROPINE (dipivefrin)	
<b>OPIATE DEPENDENCE TREATMENTS</b>			
<b>DEPENDENCE</b>			
	buprenorphine/naloxone tablets naltrexone tablets SUBOXONE FILM(buprenorphine/naloxone) <sup>DUR+</sup>	BRIXADI (buprenorphine) buprenorphine tablets buprenorphine/naloxone films LUCEMYRA (lofexidine) PROBUPHINE (buprenorphine) SUBLOCADE (buprenorphine) VIVITROL (naltrexone) ZUBSOLV (buprenorphine/naloxone)	Buprenorphine/naloxone provider summary found <a href="#">here</a>  <b>Probuphine – <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b> <b>Sublocade – <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b> <b>Vivitrol - <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b>

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<b>TREATMENT</b>			
	KLOXXADO (naloxone) naloxone injection NARCAN NASAL SPRAY (naloxone) OPVEE (nalmefene) ZIMHI (naloxone)	EVZIO (naloxone)	
<b>OTIC ANTIBIOTICS</b>			
	CIPRODEX (ciprofloxacin/dexamethasone) CIPRO HC (ciprofloxacin/hydrocortisone) <small>Age Edit</small> CORTISPORIN-TC (colistin/neomycin/hydrocortisone) neomycin/polymyxin/hydrocortisone ofloxacin	ciprofloxacin ciprofloxacin/dexamethasone ciprofloxacin/fluocinolone DERMOTIC (fluocinolone) FLAC OIL DROP (fluocinolone oil) hydrocortisone/acetic acid drop fluocinolone oil OTIPRIO (ciprofloxacin) OTOVEL (ciprofloxacin/fluocinolone)	<b>Maximum Age Limit</b> • 9 years - Cipro HC
<b>PANCREATIC ENZYMES <small>DUR+</small></b>			
	CREON (pancreatin) ZENPEP (pancrelipase)	PANCREAZE (pancrelipase) PERTZYE (pancrelipase) VIOKACE (pancrelipase)	<b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b> • Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months
<b>PARATHYROID AGENTS</b>			
	calcitriol ergocalciferol paricalcitol ROCALTROL (calcitriol) ZEMPLAR (paricalcitol)	cinacalcet doxercalciferol DRISDOL (ergocalciferol) HECTOROL (doxercalciferol) NATPARA (parathyroid hormone)	

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		RAYALDEE (calcifediol) SENSIPAR (cinacalcet)	
<b>PHOSPHATE BINDERS</b>			
	calcium acetate ELIPHOS (calcium acetate) PHOSLYRA (calcium acetate) sevelamer carbonate tablets	AURYXIA (ferric citrate) FOSRENOL (lanthanum) lanthanum PHOSLO (calcium acetate) RENAGEL (sevelamer HCl) RENVELA (sevelamer carbonate) sevelamer carbonate powder packets sevelamer HCl VELPHORO (sucroferric oxyhydroxide) XPHOZAH (tenapanor)	
<b>PLATELET AGGREGATION INHIBITORS <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
	BRILINTA (ticagrelor) cilostazol clopidogrel dipyridamole dipyridamole/aspirin pentoxifylline prasugrel	DURLAZA ER (aspirin) EFFIENT (prasugrel) omeprazole/aspirin PERSANTINE (dipyridamole) PLAVIX (clopidogrel) PLETAL (cilostazol) ticlopidine YOSPRALA (aspirin/omeprazole) ZONTIVITY (vorapaxar)	<b>Zontivity – <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b>  <b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul>
<b>PLATELET STIMULATING AGENTS</b>			
	NPLATE (romiplostim) PROMACTA (eltrombopag olamine)	DOPTELET (avatrombopag maleate) MULPLETA (lusutrombopag)	

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		PROMACTA powder pack (eltrombopag olamine) TAVALISSE (fostamatinib disodium)	
<b>POTASSIUM REMOVING AGENTS</b>			
	LOKELMA (sodium zirconium cyclosilicate)	sodium polystyrene sulfonate SPS ENEMA (sodium polystyrene sulfonate) SPS SUSPENSION (sodium polystyrene sulfonate) VELTASSA (patiomer calcium sorbitex)	<b>Lokelma</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Requires clinical review</li> </ul>
<b>PRENATAL VITAMINS</b>			
	COMPLETE NATAL DHA COMPLETENATE CHEW Tablet M-NATAL PLUS Tablet NESTABS DHA COMBO PKG NIVA PLUS Tablet PNV 29-1 Tablet PNV 95/Fe/FA Tablet (labeler 00536) PNV 137/Fe/FA Tablet (labeler 009040) PNV-DHA Softgel Capsule PRENATAL VITAMIN PLUS LOW IRON Tablet PRENATAL PLUS IRON/FA PREPLUS Ca/Fe27/FA 1 Tablet PRETAB Tablet SE-NATAL19 CHEW Tablet SE-NATAL19 Tablet THRIVITE RX Tablet TRINATAL Rx 1 Tablet VIRT C DHA Capsule VIRT-NATE DHA Softgel Capsule VP-PNV-DHA Softgel Capsule WESTAB PLUS Tablet	Products not listed are assumed to be Non-Preferred.	

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<b>PSEUDOBLBAR AFFECT AGENTS<sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
		NUEDEXTA (dextromethorphan/quinidine)	<p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days <b>OR</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis of Pseudobulbar Affect</li> </ul>
<b>PULMONARY ANTIHYPERTENSIVES<sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
<b>ENDOTHELIN RECEPTOR ANTAGONIST</b>			
	ambrisentan (all labelers except those listed as non-preferred) bosentan tablets	ambrisentan (labeler 42794, 47335, 498840) LETAIRIS (ambrisentan)* OPSUMIT (macitentan) TRACLEER (bosentan)	<p><b>All PAH Agents</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of pulmonary hypertension</li> </ul> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 1 preferred PAH agent in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul>
<b>PDE5's</b>			
	sildenafil (generic Revatio) tablet tadalafil	ADCIRCA (tadalafil) LIQREV (sildenafil) suspension REVATIO (sildenafil) tablet REVATIO (sildenafil) suspension sildenafil (generic Revatio) suspension TADLIQ (tadalafil) suspension	<p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 1 preferred PAH agent in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul> <p><b>Revatio suspension</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• &lt; 12 years of age <b>AND</b></li> </ul>

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of Pulmonary Hypertension, Patent Ductus Arteriosus, or Persistent Fetal Circulation or history of heart transplant <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul> <p><b>Revatio tablets</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>&lt; 1 year</b> of age <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis of Pulmonary Hypertension, Patent Ductus Arteriosus, or Persistent Fetal Circulation <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days <b>OR</b></li> <li>• <b>&gt; 1 years</b> of age <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis of Pulmonary Hypertension</li> </ul>
<b>PROSTACYCLINS</b>			
		ORENITRAM ER (treprostinil) TYVASO (treprostinil) VENTAVIS (iloprost)	<p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 1 preferred PAH agent in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul>
<b>SELECTIVE PROSTACYCLIN RECEPTOR AGONISTS</b>			
		UPTRAVI (selexipag)	<b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b>

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<b>SOLUBLE GUANYLATE CYCLASE STIMULATORS</b>			
		ADEMPAS (riociguat)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 1 preferred PAH agent in the past 6 months <b>OR</b> 90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul> <p><b>Adempas</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented WHO Group 1 diagnosis of secondary pulmonary arterial hypertension <b>OR</b></li> <li>• Documented WHO Group 4 diagnosis of pulmonary hypertension due to chronic thrombotic embolic disease <b>OR</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis of pulmonary hypertension <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Have tried 1 preferred PAH agent in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul>
<b>ROSACEA TREATMENTS</b>			
	metronidazole (cream, gel, lotion)	AVAR (sulfacetamide sodium/sulfur) FINACEA (azelaic acid) FINACEA FOAM (azelaic acid) METROCREAM (metronidazole cream) METROGEL (metronidazole gel) METROLOTION (metronidazole lotion) MIRVASO (brimonidine) NORITATE (metronidazole)	Topical Sulfonamides used for Rosacea will require a manual PA for ≥21 years. Other labeled indications are limited to <21 years.

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		OVACE (sulfacetamide sodium) RHOFADÉ (oxymetazoline HCl) ROSULA (sodium sulfacetamide/sulfur) sodium sulfacetamide/sulfur (cleanser, pads, suspension) SOOLANTRA (ivermectin) SUMADAN (sodium sulfacetamide/sulfur wash) SUMAXIN (sodium sulfacetamide/sulfur pads) SUMAXIN TS (sodium sulfacetamide/sulfur suspension) ZILXI AEROSOL (minocycline)	
<b>SEDATIVE HYPNOTICS</b>			
<b>BENZODIAZEPINES <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
	estazolam flurazepam temazepam (15mg and 30mg)	DALMANE (flurazepam) DORAL (quazepam) HALCION (triazolam) quazepam RESTORIL (temazepam) temazepam (7.5mg and 22.5mg) triazolam	Single source benzodiazepines and barbiturates are NOT covered – NO PA's will be issued for these drugs.  <b>MS DOM Opioid Initiative</b> • Concomitant use of Opioids and Benzodiazepines <a href="#">Criteria details found here</a>  <b>Quantity Limit – CUMULATIVE</b> Quantity limit per rolling days for all strengths. <i>DUR+ will allow an early refill override for one dose or therapy change per year.</i> • <b>31 units/31 days</b> - all strengths <b>Triazolam – CUMULATIVE</b>

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		<b>OTHERS DUR+</b>	Quantity limit per rolling days for all strengths <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 10 units/31 days</li> <li>• 60 units/365 days</li> </ul>
	zaleplon zolpidem	AMBIEN (zolpidem) AMBIEN CR (zolpidem) BELSOMRA (sovorexant) DAYVIGO (lemborexant) doxepin 3mg, 6mg EDLUAR (zolpidem) eszopiclone HETLIOZ (tasimelteon) INTERMEZZO (zolpidem) LUNESTA (eszopiclone) ramelteon ROZEREM (ramelteon) QUVIVIQ (daridorexant) SILENOR (doxepin) SONATA (zaleplon) tasimelteon zolpidem ER zolpidem SL ZOLPIMIST (zolpidem)	<p style="color: red;"><b>Maximum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 64 years – zolpidem 7.5 mg, zolpidem 10 mg, zolpidem 12.5 mg</li> </ul> <p style="color: red;"><b>Quantity Limit – CUMULATIVE</b></p> Quantity limit per rolling days for all strengths. <i>DUR+ will allow an early refill override for one dose or therapy change per year.</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 31 units/31 days</li> <li>• 1 canister/31 days – Zolpimist &amp; male</li> <li>• 1 canister/62 days – Zolpimist &amp; female</li> <li>• 1 bottle/31 days (48 ml or 158 ml) – Hetlioz liquid</li> </ul> <p style="color: red;"><b>Gender and Dose Limit for zolpidem</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Female</b> – Ambien 5mg, Ambien CR 6.25mg, Intermezzo 1.75 mg</li> <li>• <b>Male</b> – all zolpidem strengths</li> </ul>

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			<p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months</li> </ul> <p><b>Hetlioz capsules</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of circadian rhythm sleep disorder <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis indicating total blindness of the patient <b>OR</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis of Magenis-Smith syndrome</li> </ul> <p><b>Hetlioz liquid</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of Smith-Magenis syndrome <b>AND</b></li> <li>• 3 - 15 years of age</li> </ul>
<b>SELECT CONTRACEPTIVE PRODUCTS</b>			
<b>INJECTABLE CONTRACEPTIVES</b>			
	medroxyprogesterone acetate IM	DEPO-PROVERA IM (medroxyprogesterone acetate) DEPO-SUBQ PROVERA 104 (medroxyprogesterone acetate)	<p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1 claim with the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul>
<b>INTRAVAGINAL CONTRACEPTIVES</b>			
	ANNOVERA (segesterone/ethinyl estradiol) etonogestrel/ethinyl estradiol NUVARING (etonogestrel/ethinyl estradiol)	PHEXXI (lactic acid, citric acid, potassium bitartrate)	

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	<b>ORAL CONTRACEPTIVES <sup>DUR+</sup></b>		
	ALL CONTRACEPTIVES ARE PREFERRED EXCEPT FOR THOSE SPECIFICALLY INDICATED AS NON-PREFERRED	AMETHIA (levonorgestrel/ethinyl estradiol) AMETHYST (levonorgestrel/ethinyl estradiol) BALCOLTRA (levonorgestrel/ethinyl estradiol/iron) BEYAZ (ethinyl estradiol / drospirenone/levomefolate) CAMRESE (levonorgestrel/ethinyl estradiol) CAMRESE LO (levonorgestrel/ethinyl estradiol) GENERESS FE (norethindrone/ethinyl estradiol/fe) GIANVI (ethinyl estradiol/drospirenone) JOLESSA (levonorgestrel/ethinyl estradiol) levonorgestrel/ethinyl estradiol LO LOESTRIN FE (norethindrone/ethinyl estradiol) LOESTRIN (norethindrone acetate/ethinyl estradiol) LOESTRIN FE (norethindrone/ethinyl estradiol/iron) MINASTRIN 24 FE (norethindrone/ethinyl estradiol/iron) NATAZIA (estradiol valerate/dienogest) NEXTSTELLIS (drospirenone/estetrol) OCELLA (ethinyl estradiol/drospirenone) SAFYRAL (ethinyl estradiol/ drospirenone/levomefolate) SIMPESS (levonorgestrel/ethinyl estradiol) TAYTULLA (norethindrone/ethinyl estradiol/iron)	

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		TYDEMY (ethinyl estradiol/drospirenone/levomefolate calcium) YASMIN (ethinyl estradiol/drospirenone) YAZ (ethinyl estradiol/drospirenone)	
<b>TRANSDERMAL CONTRACEPTIVES</b>			
	XULANE (norelgestromin and ethinyl estradiol)	ZAFEMY (norelgestromin and ethinyl estradiol) TWIRLA (levonorgestrel and ethinyl estradiol) norelgestromin and ethinyl estradiol <sup>NR</sup>	
<b>SICKLE CELL AGENTS</b>			
	DROXIA (hydroxyurea) hydroxyurea	ADAKVEO (crizanlizumab) ENDARI (glutamine) HYDREA (hydroxyurea) OXBRYTA (voxelotor) SIKLOS (hydroxyurea)	<b>Endari – <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b> <b>Oxbryta – <a href="#">MANUAL PA</a></b>
<b>SKELETAL MUSCLE RELAXANTS <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
	baclofen chlorzoxazone cyclobenzaprine 5mg, 10mg methocarbamol tizanidine tablets	AMRIX (cyclobenzaprine ER) baclofen suspension (generic FLEQSUVY) carisoprodol carisoprodol compound cyclobenzaprine 7.5mg, 15mg cyclobenzaprine ER DANTRIUM (dantrolene) dantrolene FLEQSUVY (baclofen) FEXMID (cyclobenzaprine) FLEXERIL (cyclobenzaprine)	<b>Non-Preferred Agents</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis for an approvable indication <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months</li> </ul> <b>Baclofen granules, solution, and suspension</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requires clinical review</li> </ul> <b>Carisoprodol</b>

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		LORZONE (chlorzoxazone) LYVISPAN (baclofen granules) metaxalone NORGESIC FORTE (orphenadrine) orphenadrine orphenadrine compound orphenadrine ER PARAFON FORTE DSC (chlorzoxazone) ROBAXIN (methocarbamol) SKELAXIN (metaxalone) SOMA (carisoprodol) tizanidine capsules ZANAFLEX (tizanidine)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of acute musculoskeletal condition <b>AND</b></li> <li>• NO history with meprobamate in the past 90 days <b>AND</b></li> <li>• 1 claim for cyclobenzaprine in the past 21 days <b>OR</b> a documented intolerance to cyclobenzaprine <b>AND</b></li> <li>• <b>Quantity Limit</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ 18 tablets - to allow tapering off</li> <li>○ 84 tablets/6 months</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>Carisoprodol with codeine</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requires clinical review</li> </ul>
<b>SMOKING DETERRENT</b>			
<b>NICOTINE TYPE</b>			
	nicotine gum <sup>OTC</sup> nicotine lozenge <sup>OTC</sup> nicotine mini lozenge <sup>OTC</sup> nicotine patch <sup>OTC</sup>	NICODERM CQ PATCH <sup>OTC</sup> NICORETTE GUM <sup>OTC</sup> NICORETTE LOZENGE <sup>OTC</sup> NICORETTE MINI LOZENGE <sup>OTC</sup> NICOTROL INHALER CARTRIDGE NICOTROL NASAL SPRAY	
<b>NON-NICOTINE TYPE</b>			
	bupropion ER CHANTIX (varenicline) varenicline	ZYBAN (bupropion)	<p><b>Minimum Age Limit - Chantix</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 18 years</li> </ul> <p><b>Quantity Limit</b></p>

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>336 tablets/year</b> – Chantix 0.5mg, 1mg tablets and continuing pack</li> <li>• <b>2 treatment courses/year</b> – Chantix Starter Pack</li> </ul>
<b>STEROIDS (Topical) <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
<b>LOW POTENCY</b>			
	CAPEX (fluocinolone) desonide hydrocortisone cr, oint, soln.	alclometasone DERMA-SMOOTH-FS (fluocinolone) DESONATE (desonide) DESOWEN (desonide) fluocinolone oil hydrocortisone lotion PEDIACARE HC (hydrocortisone) PEDIADERM (hydrocortisone) VERDESO (desonide)	<b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred low potency agents in the past 6 months</li> </ul>
<b>MEDIUM POTENCY</b>			
	fluocinolone hydrocortisone mometasone cr, oint. prednicarbate cr PANDEL (hydrocortisone probutate)	betamethasone valerate foam CLODERM (clocortolone) CUTIVATE (fluticasone) DERMATOP (prednicarbate) ELOCON (mometasone) fluticasone LUXIQ (betamethasone) mometasone solution MOMEXIN (mometasone) prednicarbate oint SYNALAR (fluocinolone)	<b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred medium potency agents in the past 6 months</li> </ul>
<b>HIGH POTENCY</b>			

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	amcinonide cr, lot betamethasone dipropionate cr, gel, lotion betamethasone valerate cr, lotion, oint. fluocinolone triamcinolone	amcinonide oint betameth diprop/prop gly cr, lot, oint betamethasone dipropionate oint. BETA-VAL (betamethasone valerate) desoximetasone diflorasone DIPROLENE AF (betamethasone diprop/prop gly) ELOCON (mometasone) fluocinonide HALOG (halcinonide) KENALOG (triamcinolone) PEDIADERM TA (triamcinolone) SERNIVO (betamethasone dipropionate) TOPICORT (desoximetasone) TRIANEX (triamcinolone) VANOS (fluocinonide)	<b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have tried 2 different preferred high potency agents in the past 6 months</li> </ul>
<b>VERY HIGH POTENCY</b>			
	clobetasol lotion clobetasol shampoo, spray clobetasol propionate cream clobetasol propionate ointment halobetasol cream halobetasol ointment	BRYHALI (halobetasol) clobetasol emollient clobetasol propionate foam, ge CLOBEX (clobetasol) DIPROLENE (betamethasone diprop/prop gly) DUOBRII LOTION (halobetasol prop/tazarotene) halobetasol foam IMPEKLO (clobetasol) LEXETTE (halobetasol propionate)	<b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Have tried 2 different preferred very high potency agents in the past 6 months</li> </ul>

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		OLUX (clobetasol) OLUX-E (clobetasol) TEMOVATE Cream (clobetasol propionate) TEMOVATE Ointment (clobetasol propionate) TOVET Foam (clobetasol) ULTRAVATE Lotion (halobetasol)	
<b>STIMULANTS AND RELATED AGENTS <sup>DUR+</sup></b>			
		<b>SHORT-ACTING</b>	
	amphetamine salt combination dexmethylphenidate IR dextroamphetamine IR methylphenidate IR methylphenidate solution PROCENTRA (dextroamphetamine)	ADDERALL (amphetamine salt combination) amphetamine sulfate (generic EVEKO) DESOXYN (methamphetamine) dextroamphetamine/amphetamine ER <sup>NR</sup> dextroamphetamine solution EVEKEO (amphetamine) EVEKEO ODT (amphetamine) FOCALIN (dexmethylphenidate) methamphetamine METHYLIN solution (methylphenidate) methylphenidate chewable RITALIN (methylphenidate) ZENZEDI (dextroamphetamine)	<p><b>Minimum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>3 years</b> - Adderall, Evekeo, Procentra, Zenzedi</li> <li>• <b>6 years</b> – Desoxyn, Evekeo ODT, Focalin, Methylin</li> </ul> <p><b>Maximum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>18 years</b> – Evekeo ODT</li> </ul> <p><b>Quantity Limit</b></p> <p>Applicable quantity limit per rolling days</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>62 tablets/31 days</b> – Adderall, Desoxyn, Evekeo, Focalin, Methylin, Zenzedi</li> <li>• <b>310 mL/31 days</b> – Methylin solution, Procentra</li> </ul> <p><b>Documented diagnosis of ADHD</b> ALL Short Acting Agents</p> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria ADD/ADHD</b></p>

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<b>LONG-ACTING</b>			
	ADDERALL XR (amphetamine salt combination) amphetamine salt combination ER CONCERTA (methylphenidate) dexmethylphenidate ER dextroamphetamine ER DYANAVEL XR SUSPENSION(amphetamine) lisdexamfetamine (generic Vyvanse) lisdexamfetamine (generic Vyvanse Chewable) methylphenidate CD (generic Metadate CD) methylphenidate ER (generic Concerta) methylphenidate ER Tabs (generic Ritalin SR) methylphenidate ER/LA Caps (generic Ritalin LA)	ADHANSIA XR (methylphenidate) ADZENYS XR ODT (amphetamine) ADZENYS ER SUSPENSION (amphetamine) amphetamine susp 24 hr (generic ADZENYS ER) APTENSIO XR (methylphenidate) AZSTARYS (serdexmethylphen/dexmethylphen) COTEMPLA XR-ODT (methylphenidate) DAYTRANA (methylphenidate) DEXEDRINE (dextroamphetamine) DYANAVEL XR tablet(amphetamine) FOCALIN XR (dexmethylphenidate) JORNAY PM (methylphenidate)	<p><b>Minimum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>6 years</b> – Adderall XR, Adhansia XR, Adzenys ER Suspension, Adzenys XR ODT, Aptensio XR, Azstarys, Concerta, Cotempla XR ODT, Daytrana, Dexedrine, Dyanavel XR Focalin XR, Jornay PM, Metadate, CD, methylphenidate ER 72mg, Quillichew, Quillivant XR, Relexxii, Ritalin LA, Vyvanse, Xelstrym</li> <li>• <b>13 years</b> – Mydayis</li> <li>• <b>16 years</b> – Provigil</li> <li>• <b>18 years</b> – Nuvigil, Sunosi</li> </ul>

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	QUILLICHEW (methylphenidate) QUILLIVANT XR (methylphenidate)	methylphenidate ER caps (generic Aptensio XR) methylphenidate ER (generic Relexxi) methylphenidate patch (generic Daytrana) MYDAYIS (amphetamine salt combination) RELEXXI (methylphenidate) RITALIN LA (methylphenidate) RITALIN SR (methylphenidate) VYVANSE (lisdexamfetamine)* VYVANSE CHEWABLE (lisdexamfetamine)* XELSTRYM patch (dextroamphetamine)	<p><b>Maximum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>18 years</b> – Cotempla XR ODT, Daytrana</li> </ul> <p><b>Vyvanse</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of binge eating disorder <b>OR</b></li> <li>• Documented diagnosis of ADD/ADHD</li> </ul> <p><b>Quantity Limit</b>  <b>Applicable quantity limit per rolling days</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>31 tablets/31 days</b> – Adderall XR, Adhansia XR, Adzenys XR ODT, Aptensio XR, Azstarys, Concerta 18, 27, &amp; 54 mg, Cotempla XR-ODT 8.6 mg, Daytrana, Dexedrine Spansule, Dyanavel XR Tablet, Focalin XR, Jornay PM, Metadate CD, Methylin ER, Mydayis 37.5mg &amp; 50mg, Nuvigil 150, 200 &amp; 250 mg, Provigil 200mg, Quillichew, Relexxii, Ritalin LA &amp; SR, Vyvanse, Sunosi, Xelstrym</li> <li>• <b>46.5 tablets/31 days</b> – Provigil 100 mg</li> <li>• <b>62 tablets/31 days</b> – Concerta 36mg, Cotempla XR-ODT 17.3 &amp; 25.9 mg, Nuvigil 50mg</li> </ul>

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 248 mL/31 days – Dyanavel XR Suspension</li> <li>• 372 mL/31 days – Quillivant XR</li> </ul> <p><b>Documented diagnosis of ADHD</b> ALL Long-Acting Agents</p> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria ADD/ADHD</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of ADD/ADHD <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred Long-Acting agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 1 claim for a 30-day supply with the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul>
<b>NARCOLEPSY</b>			
	armodafinil modafinil SUNOSI (solriamfetol)	LUMRYZ (sodium oxybate) <sup>NR</sup> NUVIGIL (armodafinil) PROVIGIL (modafinil) sodium oxybate WAKIX (pitolisant) XYREM (sodium oxybate) XYWAV (calcium, magnesium, potassium and sodium oxybates)	<p><b>Documented diagnosis of narcolepsy –</b> ADDERALL XR, APTENSIO XR, CONCERTA ER, DEXEDRINE, METADATE CD, METHYLIN ER, MYDAYIS, NUVIGIL, PROVIGIL, QUILLICHEW, QUILLIVANT XR, RITALIN LA, SUNOSI</p> <p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria narcolepsy</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of narcolepsy <b>AND</b></li> </ul>

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 30 days of therapy with preferred modafinil or armodafinil in the past 6 months <b>AND</b></li> <li>• 1 different preferred Long-Acting agent indicated for narcolepsy in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 1 claim for a 30-day supply with the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul> <p><b>Nuvigil</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of narcolepsy, obstructive sleep apnea, shift work sleep disorder or bipolar depression</li> </ul> <p><b>Provigil</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of narcolepsy, obstructive sleep apnea, shift work sleep disorder, depression, sleep deprivation or Steinert Myotonic Dystrophy Syndrome</li> </ul> <p><b>Sunosi</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of narcolepsy or obstructive sleep apnea <b>AND</b></li> <li>• 30 days of therapy with preferred modafinil or armodafinil in the past 6 months</li> </ul>

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			<p><b>Wakix</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Documented diagnosis of narcolepsy with or without cataplexy <b>AND</b></li> <li>30 days of therapy with preferred modafinil or armodafinil in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>Documented diagnosis of narcolepsy without cataplexy or substance abuse disorder</li> </ul> <p><b>Xyrem and Xywav</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Requires clinical review</li> </ul>
<b>NON-STIMULANTS</b>			
	atomoxetine clonidine ER guanfacine ER	INTUNIV (guanfacine ER) QELBREE (viloxazine) STRATTERA (atomoxetine)	<p><b>Minimum Age Limit</b>  <b>6 years</b> – Intuniv, Clonidine ER, Qelbree, Strattera  <b>18 years</b> – Wakix</p> <p><b>Maximum Age Limit</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>18 years</b> – Intuniv, Clonidine ER, Qelbree</li> <li><b>21 years</b> – diagnosis of ADD/ADHD is required for Strattera</li> </ul> <p><b>Quantity Limit</b>            Applicable quantity limit per rolling days</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>31 tablets/31 days</b> – Intuniv, Qelbree 100 mg, Strattera</li> </ul>

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			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>62 tablets/31days</b> – Qelbree 150 mg and 200 mg, Wakix</li> <li>• <b>124 tablets/31 days</b> – Clonidine ER</li> </ul> <p><b>Intuniv</b> Documented diagnosis of ADD or ADHD</p> <p><b>Clonidine ER</b> • Documented diagnosis of ADD or ADHD</p> <p><b>Qelbree</b> • Documented diagnosis of ADD or ADHD <b>AND</b> • 1 claim for a 30-day supply with atomoxetine in the past 105 days</p>
<b>TETRACYCLINES</b> <sup>DUR+</sup>			
	doxycycline hyclate caps/tabs doxycycline monohydrate caps (50mg & 100mg) minocycline caps IR tetracycline	ACTICLATE (doxycycline) ADOXA (doxycycline monohydrate) demeclocycline doxycycline hyclate (generic Doryx) doxycycline hyclate (generic Periostat) doxycycline monohydrate caps (75mg & 150mg) doxycycline monohydrate tabs DORYX (doxycycline hyclate) DYNACIN (minocycline) MINOCIN (minocycline) MINOLIRA (minocycline)	<p><b>Non-Preferred Agents</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months</li> </ul> <p><b>Demeclocycline</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis of SIADH will allow automatic approval</li> </ul>

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		minocycline ER minocycline tabs MONODOX (doxycycline monohydrate) NUZYRA (omadacycline tosylate) OKEBO (doxycycline) ORACEA (doxycycline) SEYSARA (sarecycline) SOLODYN (minocycline) TARGADOX (doxycycline) VIBRAMYCIN cap/susp/syrup XIMINO (minocycline)	
<b>ULCERATIVE COLITIS and CROHN'S AGENTS</b> <sup>DUR+</sup> *See Cytokine & CAM Antagonists Class for additional agents			
	APRISO (mesalamine) balsalazide budesonide EC LIALDA (mesalamine) mesalamine tablet (generic Apriso) PENTASA 250mg (mesalamine) PENTASA 500mg (mesalamine) sulfasalazine UCERIS (budesonide)	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>ORAL</b></p> ASACOL HD (mesalamine) AZULFIDINE (sulfasalazine) AZULFIDINE ER (sulfasalazine) COLAZAL (balsalazide) DELZICOL (mesalamine) DIPENTUM (olsalazine) ENTOCORT EC (budesonide) GIAZO (balsalazide) mesalamine tablet (generic Asacol HD) mesalamine tablet (generic Delzicol) ORTIKOS (budesonide) VELSIPITY (etrasimod)	<p><b>Non-Preferred Criteria</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Documented diagnosis for Ulcerative Colitis <b>AND</b></li> <li>• Have tried 2 different preferred agents in the past 6 months <b>OR</b></li> <li>• 90 consecutive days on the requested agent in the past 105 days</li> </ul> <p><b>Ortikos ER</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requires clinical review</li> </ul> <p><b>Velsipity</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requires clinical review</li> </ul>

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	mesalamine suppository	budesonide foam CANASA (mesalamine) ROWASA (mesalamine) SF-ROWASA (mesalamine) UCERIS Foam (budesonide)	

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