Prior Authorization Group Description

KAZANO

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to Tradjenta or Jentadueto AND Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: Januvia, Janumet, Janumet XR.

Prior Authorization Group Description

KERYDIN

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to terbinafine tablets unless contraindicated.

Prior Authorization Group Description

KETOROLAC TROMETHAMINE

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Patients with active peptic ulcer disease. Advanced renal impairment or at risk for renal failure due to volume depletion. Suspected or confirmed cerebrovascular bleeding, hemorrhagic diathesis, incomplete hemostasis and those at high risk for bleeding. Patient currently receiving aspirin or NSAIDs (Non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs). Patient currently receiving Probenecid or pentoxifylline.

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prior authorization is required for patients 65 years and older. Prior authorization is not required for patients 64 years and younger.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

5 days

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

KEVEYIS

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

KEVZARA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with a rheumatologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: methotrexate, sulfasalazine, hydroxychloroquine, d-penicillamine, azathioprine, or auranofin.

Prior Authorization Group Description

KEYTRUDA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

KINERET

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: methotrexate, sulfasalazine, hydroxychloroquine, d-penicillamine, azathioprine or auranofin AND Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: Enbrel, Humira, Remicade, Cimzia, Simponi or Simponi Aria.

Prior Authorization Group Description

KISQALI (includes Kisqali Femara Co-Pack)

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Will be used in combination with an aromatase inhibitor (e.g., letrozole, anastrozole or exemestane) as initial endocrine-based therapy.

Prior Authorization Group Description

KOMBIGLYZE XR

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to Tradjenta or Jentadueto AND Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: Januvia, Janumet, Janumet XR.

Prior Authorization Group Description

KORLYM

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Pregnancy.

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

KUVAN

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response, demonstrated by a reduction of blood phenylalanine levels from baseline.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

Initial: 2 months. Reauthorization: Through the end of the Plan contract year.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

KYNAMRO

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to Repatha 420 mg (unless contraindicated).

Prior Authorization Group Description

LATUDA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Schizophrenia: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to two of the following generic atypical antipsychotics: risperidone, olanzapine, quetiapine, ziprasidone, aripiprazole.

Prior Authorization Group Description

LAZANDA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Age 18 or greater

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

Through the end of the Plan contract year.

Other Criteria:

Patient is already taking and is tolerant to around-the-clock opioid therapy. Patients are considered opioid tolerant when taking another opioid daily for a week or longer (for example, at least 60 mg of oral morphine per day or an equianalgesic dose of another opioid).

Prior Authorization Group Description

LEMTRADA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to two of the following: Aubagio, Tecfidera, Gilenya, Avonex, Betaseron, Plegridy, Copaxone, Glatopa, Extavia or Rebif.

Prior Authorization Group Description

LENVIMA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D. Medullary thyroid carcinoma.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Renal Cell Carcinoma: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: Sutent, Nexavar, Votrient, Inlyta, Avastin in combination with Intron-A, Proleukin, Torisel AND Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to Opdivo or Cabometyx AND Must be used in combination with everolimus (Afinitor).

Prior Authorization Group Description

LEUKINE

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Use Following Induction Chemotherapy in Acute Myelogenous Leukemia, Use in Mobilization and Following Transplantation of Autologous Peripheral Blood Progentior Cells, Use in Myeloid Reconstitution After Autologous or Allogeneic Bone Marrow Transplantation: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to Neupogen.

Prior Authorization Group Description

LIDODERM

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D. Diabetic peripheral neuropathy. Cancer-related neuropathic pain.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

LONSURF

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Documentation that the patient does or does not have the KRAS wild type gene. CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: 5-fluorouracil, capecitabine, oxaliplatin, irinotecan, Avastin, Cyramza, Zaltrap. If tumor expresses the KRAS wild type gene, failure or clinically significant adverse effects to Erbitux or Vectibix.

Prior Authorization Group Description

LOTRONEX

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Male patients.

Required Medical Information:

Female patient with irritable bowel symptoms persisting for at least 6 months.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

LUNESTA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prior authorization is required for patients 65 years and older. Prior authorization is not required for patients 64 years and younger.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to two of the following: Rozerem, Silenor 6 mg/day or less, trazodone or temazepam.

Prior Authorization Group Description

LYNPARZA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Treatment of ovarian cancer: Mutations in the BRCA genes as detected by an FDA approved test.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

LYNPARZA TABLET

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Treatment of ovarian cancer: Mutations in the BRCA genes as detected by an FDA approved test.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

For maintenance therapy: Completed two or more platinum-based chemotherapy regimens and is in a complete or partial response.

Prior Authorization Group Description

MACRODANTIN

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prior authorization is required for patients 65 years and older. Prior authorization is not required for patients 64 years and younger.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Urinary tract infectious disease, Acute treament: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to ONE of the following: sulfamethoxazole/trimethoprim or ciprofloxacin. Urinary tract infectious disease, Prophylaxis: Patient is continuing on this medication without adverse effects.

Prior Authorization Group Description

MAVYRET

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Treatment-experienced patients with both NS3/4A protease inhibitor and NS5A inhibitor.

Required Medical Information:

If cirrhosis is present, confirmation of Child-Pugh A status. Refer to the document, "Recommendations for Testing, Managing, and Treating Hepatitis C," by AASLD-IDSA available at http://www.hcvguidelines.org for drug regimen and duration of treatment based on genotype, treatment status, previous drug regimens used, past medical history and comorbidities.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with a gastroenterologist, hepatologist or infectious disease physician.

Coverage Duration:

8 to 16 weeks based on genotype, cirrhosis status, prior treatment regimen.

Other Criteria:

If patient has been previously treated with an HCV regimen containing NS5A inhibitor or an NS3/4A protease inhibitor, but not both, member has genotype 1.

Prior Authorization Group Description

MEGACE

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D. Cachexia associated with cystic fibrosis. Cachexia associated with cancer.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Breast Cancer: Megestrol acetate is being used for palliative treatment.

Age Restrictions:

Prior authorization is required for patients 65 years and older. Prior authorization is not required for patients 64 years and younger.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Anorexia and cachexia associated with AIDS: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to oxandrolone and dronabinol.

Prior Authorization Group Description

MEGACE ES

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D. Cachexia associated with cystic fibrosis. Cachexia associated with cancer.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Breast Cancer: Megestrol acetate is being used for palliative treatment.

Age Restrictions:

Prior authorization is required for patients 65 years and older. Prior authorization is not required for patients 64 years and younger.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Anorexia and cachexia associated with AIDS: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to oxandrolone and dronabinol.

Prior Authorization Group Description

MEKINIST

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D. Uveal melanoma.

Exclusion Criteria:

MELANOMA: Monotherapy for patients who have disease progression on prior BRAF inhibitor therapy.

Required Medical Information:

MELANOMA: Positive for the BRAF V600E or V600K mutation detected by an FDA-approved test. NON-SMALL CELL LUNG CANCER, ANAPLASTIC THYROID CANCER: Positive for BRAF V600E mutation.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

NON-SMALL CELL LUNG CANCER, ANAPLASTIC THYROID CANCER: Used in combination with Tafinlar.

Prior Authorization Group Description

MEKTOVI

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Positive for BRAF V600E or V600K mutation as detected by an FDA-approved test.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prescribed in combination with Braftovi.

Prior Authorization Group Description

MEPERIDINE

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prior authorization is required for patients 65 years and older. Prior authorization is not required for patients 64 years and younger.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to two of the following: codeine, hydromorphone, morphine, oxymorphone, hydrocodone/acetaminophen or oxycodone. Demerol injection only - all other FDA approved indications: patient is continuing on this medication without adverse effects.

Prior Authorization Group Description

MEPROBAMATE

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prior authorization is required for patients 65 years and older. Prior authorization is not required for patients 64 years and younger.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: venlafaxine, buspirone, duloxetine or escitalopram.

Prior Authorization Group Description

METHAMPHETAMINE

Covered Uses:

All medically accepted indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Treatment of obesity.

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

METHOCARBAMOL

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Patient is continuing on this medication without adverse effects.

Age Restrictions:

Prior authorization is required for patients 65 years and older. Prior authorization is not required for patients 64 years and younger.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

METHOTREXATE INJ (Otrexup, Rasuvo)

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to generic methotrexate injection.

Prior Authorization Group Description

METHYLDOPA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prior authorization is required for patients 65 years and older. Prior authorization is not required for patients 64 years and younger.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to two of the following: amlodipine/benazepril, benazepril, benazepril/hydrochlorothiazide, captopril, captopril/hydrochlorothiazide, fosinopril, fosinopril/hydrochlorothiazide, lisinopril, lisinopril/hydrochlorothiazide, quinapril, quinapril/hydrochlorothiazide, losartan, losartan/hydrochlorothiazide, valsartan, valsartan/hydrochlorothiazide, irbesartan, irbesartan/hydrochlorothiazide, candesartan, candesartan/hydrochlorothiazide, carvedilol, labetalol, acebutolol, atenolol, bisoprolol, bisoprolol/hydrochlorothiazide, timolol, nadolol, propranolol, metoprolol, metoprolol/hydrochlorothiazide, pindolol, nifedipine SR, amlodipine, nicardipine.

Prior Authorization Group Description

MIRCERA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to Procrit (epoetin alfa).

Prior Authorization Group Description

MIRVASO

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Diagnosis of persistent facial erythema of rosacea with papules and pustules of rosacea: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to topical metronidazole, Finacea or oral doxycycline.

Prior Authorization Group Description

MOZOBIL

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Documentation of patient's current weight and absolute neutrophil count (ANC dated within 30 days prior to the request.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist or hematologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Documented failure to reach and/or maintain a target absolute neutrophil count (ANC) with an adequate trial of Neupogen alone. Must be administered in combination with a granulocyte-colony stimulating factor (G-CSF) (i.e., filgrastim, filgrastim-sndz, or tbo-filgrastim).

Prior Authorization Group Description

NAMENDA (includes Namenda XR)

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D. Vascular dementia.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prior authorization is required for patients 59 years and younger. Prior authorization is not required for patients 60 years and older.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

NATPARA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

NERLYNX

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months total duration of therapy.

Other Criteria:

Documentation of previous treatment with Herceptin (trastuzumab) as adjuvant therapy.

Prior Authorization Group Description

NESINA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to Tradjenta or Jentadueto AND Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: Januvia, Janumet, Janumet XR.

Prior Authorization Group Description

NEULASTA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D. Mobilization of peripheral-blood progenitor cells prior to autologous transplantation.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

NEUPOGEN

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D. Myelodysplastic syndrome. Neutropenia in patients with HIV/AIDS.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

NINLARO

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one prior therapy [e.g., Velcade (bortezomib), cyclophosphamide (Cytoxan), doxorubicin, Revlimid (lenalidomide), Thalomid (thalidomide), Alkeran (melphalan)]. Ninlaro must be used in combination with dexamethasone.

Prior Authorization Group Description

NORPACE

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Patient is continuing on this medication without adverse effects.

Age Restrictions:

Prior authorization is required for patients 65 years and older. Prior authorization is not required for patients 64 years and younger.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

NORPACE CR

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Patient is continuing on this medication without adverse effects.

Age Restrictions:

Prior authorization is required for patients 65 years and older. Prior authorization is not required for patients 64 years and younger.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

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Prior Authorization Group Description

NORTHERA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

NUCALA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Patient has a blood eosinophil count of greater than or equal to 150 cells/mcL within the past 3 months.
CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Patient is 12 years of age or older.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an allergist, pulmonologist, or immunologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Must be used in combination with ONE inhaled corticosteroid (e.g., beclomethasone, budesonide, flunisolide, fluticasone, mometasone, ciclesonide) AND must be used in combination with ONE long-acting beta-agonist (e.g., salmeterol, formoterol, vilanterol), unless contraindicated.

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Prior Authorization Group Description

NUEDEXTA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

NUPLAZID

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

NUVIGIL

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

OCALIVA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Must be used in combination with ursodeoxycholic acid unless patient is intolerant to ursodeoxycholic acid.

Prior Authorization Group Description

OCREVUS

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Member will not use other disease modifying therapies for MS concurrently. CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Member is maintained on therapy with positive response (e.g., improved or maintained disease control evidenced by decreased or stabilized Expanded Disability Status Scale (EDSS) score or reduction in relapses or MRI lesions).

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with a Neurologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Relapsing Forms Of Multiple Sclerosis: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: Aubagio, Tecfidera, Gilenya, Avonex, Betaseron, Plegridy, Copaxone, Glatopa, Extavia or Rebif.

Prior Authorization Group Description

ODOMZO

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Basal cell carcinoma has recurred following surgery or radiation therapy, or member is not a candidate for surgery or radiation therapy.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

OFEV

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

ONGLYZA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to Tradjenta or Jentadueto AND Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: Januvia, Janumet, Janumet XR.

Prior Authorization Group Description

OPSUMIT

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

ORALAIR

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Severe, unstable or uncontrolled asthma. History of any severe allergic reaction to sublingual allergen immunotherapy.

Required Medical Information:

Positive skin test or in vitro testing for pollen-specific IgE antibodies for Sweet Vernal, Orchard, Perennial Rye, Timothy and Kentucky Blue Grass.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an allergist or immunologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to 2 of the following: antihistamines, leukotriene modifiers or nasal steroids.

Prior Authorization Group Description

ORENCIA CLICKJECT

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: methotrexate, sulfasalazine, hydroxychloroquine, d-penicillamine, azathioprine or auranofin. PSORIATIC ARTHRITIS: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to methotrexate unless contraindicated.

Prior Authorization Group Description

ORENCIA IV

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to Remicade AND one of the following: methotrexate, sulfasalazine, hydroxychloroquine, d-penicillamine, azathioprine or auranofin.

Prior Authorization Group Description

ORENCIA SC

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: methotrexate, sulfasalazine, hydroxychloroquine, d-penicillamine, azathioprine or auranofin. PSORIATIC ARTHRITIS: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to methotrexate unless contraindicated.

Prior Authorization Group Description

ORENITRAM

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

PLEGRIDY

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

PRALUENT

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Heterozygous Familial Hypercholesterolemia : Documentation (e.g., medical records, chart notes, laboratory values) of LDL level suggestive of a diagnosis of heterozygous familial hypercholesterolemia (e.g., Adults: LDL greater than 190 mg/dL). Hypercholesterolemia: Documentation of an LDL of 100 mg/dL or greater AND documented history of clinical atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease defined as one of the following: Acute coronary syndromes, Myocardial Infarction, Stable or unstable angina, Coronary or other arterial revascularization (e.g., percutaneous coronary intervention or coronary artery bypass graft surgery), Stroke, Peripheral artery disease presumed to be of atherosclerotic origin, Transient ischemic attack (TIA), Clinically significant coronary heart disease (CHD) diagnosed by invasive or noninvasive testing (such as coronary angiography, stress test using treadmill, stress echocardiography, or nuclear imaging), Carotid artery occlusion greater than 50% without symptoms, Renal artery stenosis or renal artery stent procedure. Reauthorization requests require documentation of LDL reduction while on Praluent therapy AND, if tolerated, confirmation of continued statin therapy at the maximally tolerated dose.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with a cardiologist, endocrinologist, or lipid specialist.

Coverage Duration:

6 months.

Other Criteria:

Clinically significant adverse effect(s), contraindication(s), intolerance or failure to two of the following at maximally tolerated doses: atorvastatin, rosuvastatin, simvastatin, Vytorin, pitavastatin, pravastatin, fluvastatin, or lovastatin.

Prior Authorization Group Description

PREVYMIS

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Member is receiving pimozide or ergot alkaloids. Member is receiving cyclosporine co-administered with pitavastatin or simvastatin.

Required Medical Information:

Intravenous (IV) Prevymis: Medical justification why the member cannot use oral therapy.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncology, hematology, infectious disease, or transplant specialist.

Coverage Duration:

Through day 100 post-transplantation.

Other Criteria:

Failure of generic valacyclovir or generic ganciclovir, unless contraindicated or clinically significant adverse effects are experienced.

Prior Authorization Group Description

PROCARDIA CAPSULES

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prior authorization is required for patients 65 years and older. Prior authorization is not required for patients 64 years and younger.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

CHRONIC STABLE ANGINA: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to ONE of the following: nifedipine SR, amlodipine or nicardipine. VASOSPASTIC ANGINA: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to ONE of the following: nifedipine SR or amlodipine.

Prior Authorization Group Description

PROLIA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Hyopcalcemia (unless corrected prior to initiating therapy).

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

For men with non-metastatic prostate cancer: Receiving or has received androgen deprivation therapy [i.e. leuprolide (Lupron), bicalutamide (Casodex) or Nilandron]. For women with breast cancer: Receiving or has received adjuvant aromatase inhibitor therapy [i.e. anastrozole (Arimidex), exemestane (Aromasin) or letrozole (Femara)].

Prior Authorization Group Description

PROMACTA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Thrombocytopenia in Chronic Hepatitis C: Documentation of current or planned interferon-based treatment of chronic hepatitis C.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Chronic Immune (Idiopathic) Thrombocytopenia: Failure of a corticosteroid (e.g., oral prednisone, intravenous methylprednisolone or oral dexamethasone), unless contraindicated or clinically significant adverse effects are experienced.

Prior Authorization Group Description

PROTOPIC

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Tacrolimus 0.1%: 16 years and older.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure of two medium to high potency topical corticosteroids (e.g., amcinonide, fluticasone propionate, triamcinolone acetonide, betamethasone valerate, fluocinolone acetonide, hydrocortisone butyrate, mometasone furoate, desoximetasone, fluocinonide or betamethasone dipropionate), unless contraindicated or clinically significant adverse effects are experienced.

Prior Authorization Group Description

PROVIGIL

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D. Multiple sclerosis-related fatigue.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

PURIXAN

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D. Lymphoblastic lymphoma.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Member has a documented swallowing disorder or an inability to swallow tablets or capsules. CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with oncologist or hematologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to mercaptopurine tablets.

Prior Authorization Group Description

QUALAQUIN

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D. Babesiosis. Plasmodium vivax malaria.

Exclusion Criteria:

For the treatment or prevention of nocturnal leg cramps.

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

Malaria: 7 days. Babesiosis: 7-10 days

Other Criteria:

Plasmodium vivax malaria: Infection is chloroquine-resistant.

Prior Authorization Group Description

RADICAVA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Forced vital capacity greater than or equal to 80%, disease duration of less than or equal to 2 years, functionally retains most activities of daily living (defined as a baseline revised ALS Functional Rating Scale (ALSFRS-R) score with greater than or equal to 2 points in each of the 12 items, meets diagnostic criteria of definite or probable amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS) based on El Escorial revised criteria. CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Member continues to retain most activities of daily living, forced vital capacity greater than or equal to 80%, and ALSFRS-R score with greater than or equal to 2 points in each of the 12 items.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist.

Coverage Duration:

6 months.

Other Criteria:

Prescribed in combination with riluzole unless contraindicated or clinically significant adverse effects are experienced.

Prior Authorization Group Description

RANEXA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Patients on strong CYP3A inhibitors (e.g., ketoconazole, HIV protease inhibitors, clarithromycin) or CYP3A inducers (e.g., rifampin, phenobarbital).

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

RAYALDEE

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Patient has stage 3 or 4 chronic kidney disease (CKD) and serum total 25-hydroxyvitamin D level less than 30 ng/mL.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

RELISTOR

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to Amitiza and Movantik.

Prior Authorization Group Description

REMICADE

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D. Wegener's Granulomatosis.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS and PLAQUE PSORIASIS: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Psoriatic Arthritis/Plaque Psoriasis: Prescribed by or in consultation with a rheumatologist or dermatologist. Crohn's Disease/Ulcerative Colitis: Prescribed by or in consultation with a gastroenterologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Rheumatoid Arthritis: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: methotrexate, sulfasalazine, hydroxychloroquine, d-penicillamine, azathioprine or auranofin. Plaque Psoriasis: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: methotrexate, cyclosporine or acitretin.

Prior Authorization Group Description

REPATHA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Heterozygous or Homozygous Familial Hypercholesterolemia : Documentation (e.g., medical records, chart notes, laboratory values) of LDL level suggestive of a diagnosis of familial hypercholesterolemia (e.g., Adults: LDL greater than 190 mg/dL). Hypercholesterolemia: Documentation of an LDL of 100 mg/dL or greater AND documented history of clinical atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease defined as one of the following: Acute coronary syndromes, Myocardial Infarction, Stable or unstable angina, Coronary or other arterial revascularization (e.g., percutaneous coronary intervention or coronary artery bypass graft surgery), Stroke, Peripheral artery disease presumed to be of atherosclerotic origin, Transient ischemic attack (TIA), Clinically significant coronary heart disease (CHD) diagnosed by invasive or noninvasive testing (such as coronary angiography, stress test using treadmill, stress echocardiography, or nuclear imaging), Carotid artery occlusion greater than 50% without symptoms, Renal artery stenosis or renal artery stent procedure. Reauthorization requests require documentation of LDL reduction while on Repatha therapy AND, if tolerated, confirmation of continued statin therapy at the maximally tolerated dose.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with a cardiologist, endocrinologist, or lipid specialist.

Coverage Duration:

6 months.

Other Criteria:

Clinically significant adverse effect(s), contraindication(s), intolerance or failure to two of the following at maximally tolerated doses: atorvastatin, rosuvastatin, simvastatin, Vytorin, pitavastatin, pravastatin, fluvastatin, or lovastatin.

Prior Authorization Group Description

REVATIO

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Patients taking nitrates (e.g., Nitrodur, Nitrobid, Nitrostat, Isordil, Ismo). Patients taking a guanylate cyclase stimulator, such as riociguat (Adempas).

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

REVLIMID

Covered Uses:

All medically accepted indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Patients who are pregnant.

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Mantle Cell Lymphoma: Failure of maximally tolerated doses of two prior chemo therapies (e.g., CHOP [cyclophosphamide, doxorubicin, vincristine, and prednisone], hyperCVAD [cyclophosphamide, vincristine, doxorubicin, and dexamethasone]) including Velcade unless contraindicated or clinically significant adverse effects are experienced. Multiple Myeloma: Must be used in combination with dexamethasone unless being used as maintenance therapy following autologous hematopoietic stem cell transplantation or as maintenance therapy for active (symptomatic) myeloma responding to primary myeloma therapy.

Prior Authorization Group Description

REXULTI

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Schizophrenia: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to two of the following generic atypical antipsychotics: risperidone, olanzapine, quetiapine, ziprasidone, aripiprazole.

Prior Authorization Group Description

RITUXAN

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D. Mantle Cell Lymphoma. Waldenstrom macroglobulinemia.

Exclusion Criteria:

Current or prior hepatitis B virus infection. Rheumatoid arthritis, Granulomatosis with polyangiitis, Microscopic polyangiitis: Concurrent use with biologic agents and DMARDs other than methotrexate.

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response. RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS: At least 16 weeks have elapsed since the last course of therapy.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, Chronic lymphocytic leukemia, Mantle cell lymphoma, Waldenstrom macroglobulinemia: Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist. Rheumatoid arthritis, Granulomatosis with polyangiitis, Microscopic polyangiitis: Prescribed by or in consultation with a rheumatologist.

Coverage Duration:

RA: 3 months. Other indications: 6 months. Renewals: To end of Plan contract year.

Other Criteria:

Rheumatoid Arthritis: Used in combination with methotrexate, unless contraindicated or clinically significant adverse effects were experienced with prior methotrexate therapy AND Failure of Enbrel or Humira, unless contraindicated or clinically significant adverse effects are experienced. Granulomatosis with polyangiitis, Microscopic polyangiitis: Used in combination with a glucocorticoid (e.g. prednisone, prednisolone, dexamethasone). Mantle cell lymphoma: Used in combination with anthracycline-based regimens (e.g., CHOP, hyperCVAD [cyclophosphamide, vincristine, doxorubicin and dexamethasone]).

Prior Authorization Group Description

RUBRACA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Mutations in the BRCA genes as detected by an FDA-approved test or member has a complete or partial response to two or more platinum-based chemotherapy regimens.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

RYDAPT

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Acute Myeloid Leukemia: Positive for the FLT3 mutation as detected by an FDA-approved test (e.g., LeukoStrat CDx FLT3 Mutation Assay). CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Acute Myeloid Leukemia: Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist. Advanced Systemic Mastocytosis: Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist, allergist, or immunologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Acute Myeloid Leukemia: Prescribed in combination with daunorubicin for induction therapy AND in combination with cytarabine for induction and consolidation therapy.

Prior Authorization Group Description

SAVELLA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D. Depression.

Exclusion Criteria:

Use of monoamine oxidase inhibitors concomitantly or in close temporal proximity.

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Fibromyalgia: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to duloxetine or Lyrica. Depression: Failure of one of the following generic antidepressants: bupropion, bupropion SR, bupropion XL, citalopram, desvenlafaxine succinate, duloxetine, escitalopram, fluoxetine, mirtazapine, sertraline, venlafaxine, or venlafaxine XR, unless contraindicated or clinically significant adverse effects are experienced.

Prior Authorization Group Description

SEROQUEL XR

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Schizophrenia: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to two of the following generic atypical antipsychotics: risperidone, olanzapine, quetiapine immediate release, ziprasidone, aripiprazole.

Prior Authorization Group Description

SEROSTIM

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

REAUTHORIZATION: Continued treatment will be approved with documentation of response to therapy.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

6 months.

Other Criteria:

Patient is being treated with concomitant antiretroviral therapy

Prior Authorization Group Description

SILIQ

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with a rheumatologist or dermatologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following as recommended by the American Academy of Dermatology: methotrexate, cyclosporine or acitretin.

Prior Authorization Group Description

SIMPONI

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

PSORIATIC ARTHRITIS: Prescribed by or in consultation with a rheumatologist or dermatologist. ULCERATIVE COLITIS: Prescribed by or in consultation with a gastroenterologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: methotrexate, sulfasalazine, hydroxychloroquine, d-penicillamine, azathioprine or auranofin.

Prior Authorization Group Description

SIMPONI ARIA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: methotrexate, sulfasalazine, hydroxychloroquine, d-penicillamine, azathioprine or auranofin.

Prior Authorization Group Description

SKELAXIN

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Patient is continuing on this medication without adverse effects.

Age Restrictions:

Prior authorization is required for patients 65 years and older. Prior authorization is not required for patients 64 years and younger.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

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Prior Authorization Group Description

SOMA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Patient is continuing on this medication without adverse effects.

Age Restrictions:

Prior authorization is required for patients 65 years and older. Prior authorization is not required for patients 64 years and younger.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

SOMAVERT

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Inadequate response to surgery or radiation therapy, unless surgery or radiation therapy is not appropriate for the patient.

Prior Authorization Group Description

SONATA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prior authorization is required for patients 65 years and older. Prior authorization is not required for patients 64 years and younger.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to two of the following: Rozerem, Silenor 6 mg/day or less, trazodone or temazepam.

Prior Authorization Group Description

SOVALDI

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D. For the treatment of hepatitis C virus genotypes 5 and 6.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Diagnosis of chronic hepatitis C (CHC) and genotype 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6 confirmed by detectable serum hepatitis C virus RNA by quantitative assay OR For treatment of CHC in patients with hepatocellular carcinoma (HCC) meeting Milan criteria (awaiting liver transplantation). Milan criteria is defined as the presence of a tumor 5 cm or less in diameter in patients with single hepatocellular carcinomas and no more than three tumor nodules, each 3 cm or less in diameter in patients with multiple tumors and no extrahepatic manifestations of the cancer or evidence of vascular invasion of tumor. Refer to the document, "Recommendations for Testing, Managing, and Treating Hepatitis C," by AASLD-IDSA available at http://www.hcvguidelines.org for drug regimen and duration of treatment based on genotype, treatment status, previous drug regimens used, past medical history and comorbidities.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with a gastroenterologist, hepatologist or infectious disease physician.

Coverage Duration:

GT 1 to 6: 12 to 24 weeks or HCC with CHC: up to 48 weeks or until liver transplantation

Other Criteria:

For Sovaldi in combination with Daklinza for genotype 1: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to Harvoni (sofosbuvir/ledipasvir). For Sovaldi in combination with Daklinza for genotype 2: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to sofosbuvir/ribavirin. For patients with hepatocellular carcinoma (HCC) meeting Milan criteria (awaiting liver transplantation): must be used in combination with ribavirin.

Prior Authorization Group Description

SPRITAM

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Medical justification must be provided why patient cannot take generic levetiracetam tablets or liquid.

Prior Authorization Group Description

SPRYCEL

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Accelerated, or myeloid or lymphoid blast phase Philadelphia chromosome-positive chronic myeloid leukemia (CML) or Philadelphia chromosome-positive acute lymphoblastic leukemia (ALL): Failure of imatinib, unless contraindicated or clinically significant adverse effects are experienced.

Prior Authorization Group Description

STELARA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

PSORIATIC ARTHRITIS, PLAQUE PSORIASIS: Prescribed by or in consultation with a rheumatologist or dermatologist. CROHN'S DISEASE: Prescribed by or in consultation with a gastroenterologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

PLAQUE PSORIASIS: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to ONE of the following: methotrexate, cyclosporine, or acitretin. PSORIATIC ARTHRITIS: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to methotrexate unless contraindicated.

Prior Authorization Group Description

STELARA IV

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with a gastroenterologist.

Coverage Duration:

4 weeks.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

STIVARGA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

METASTATIC COLORECTAL CANCER: Documentation that the patient does or does not have the RAS wild type gene. Documentation that the patient does or does not have the BRAF V600E mutation. CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

METASTATIC COLORECTAL CANCER: If tumor does not have the RAS wild type gene, failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: 5-fluorouracil, capecitabine, oxaliplatin, irinotecan, Cyramza, Avastin, Zaltrap OR If tumor expresses the RAS wild type gene without the BRAF V600E mutation, failure or clinically significant adverse effects to Erbitux or Vectibix. GASTROINTESTINAL STROMAL TUMOR: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: Gleevec or Sutent.

Prior Authorization Group Description

STRENSIQ

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

SUBSYS

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Age 18 or greater

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

Through the end of the Plan contract year.

Other Criteria:

Patient is already taking and is tolerant to around-the-clock opioid therapy. Patients are considered opioid tolerant when taking another opioid daily for a week or longer (for example, at least 60 mg of oral morphine per day or an equianalgesic dose of another opioid).

Prior Authorization Group Description

SUBUTEX

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Patient is pregnant OR Written documentation of intolerance to naloxone.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

Non pregnant: 3 months initial. Pregnant patients: 9 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

SURMONTIL

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D. Irritable bowel syndrome.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prior authorization is required for patients 65 years and older. Prior authorization is not required for patients 64 years and younger.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Depression: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: bupropion, bupropion SR, bupropion XL, citalopram, desvenlafaxine succinate, duloxetine, escitalopram, fluoxetine, mirtazapine, sertraline, venlafaxine, or venlafaxine XR.

Prior Authorization Group Description

SYMDEKO

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Presence of homozygous F508del mutation or at least one mutation in the CFTR gene that is responsive to tezacaftor/ivacaftor.

Age Restrictions:

Age greater than or equal to 12 years.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

SYMLINPEN

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Documentation that the current HbA1c level is greater than 7%.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Diabetes Type 2: Failure of a metformin-containing regimen, unless contraindicated or clinically significant adverse effects are experienced. Diabetes Type 1: Failure of an insulin-containing regimen, unless contraindicated or clinically significant adverse effects are experienced.

Prior Authorization Group Description

TAGRISSO

Covered Uses:

All medically accepted indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Disease is positive for any of the following, as detected by an FDA-approved test: exon 19 deletions, exon 21 L858R mutations, or T790M mutation with progression on or after an EGFR TKI therapy (e.g., Tarceva, Iressa, or Gilotrif).

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

TALTZ

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with a rheumatologist or dermatologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: methotrexate, cyclosporine or acitretin.

Prior Authorization Group Description

TARCEVA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Non-small cell lung cancer: Documentation that the patient has EGFR exon 19 deletions or exon 21 (L858R) substitution mutations as detected by an FDA-approved test.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Pancreatic cancer: Tarceva is being prescribed in combination with gemcitabine.

Prior Authorization Group Description

TASIGNA

Covered Uses:

All medically accepted indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Patients with hypokalemia, hypomagnesemia, or long QT syndrome.

Required Medical Information:

Chronic Myelogenous Leukemia (CML), Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia (ALL): Documentation that the patient has Philadelphia chromosome positive disease.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Soft Tissue Sarcoma Gastrointestinal Stromal Tumor: Failure to imatinib, sunitinib, or regorafenib, unless contraindicated or clinically significant adverse effects are experienced

Prior Authorization Group Description

TAVALISSE

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure of a corticosteroid (e.g., prednisone, methylprednisolone, or dexamethasone), unless contraindicated or clinically significant adverse effects are experienced.

Prior Authorization Group Description

TECENTRIQ

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure of platinum-containing chemotherapy (e.g., cisplatin or carboplatin), OR the patient is not eligible for cisplatin-containing chemotherapy. Non-small cell lung cancer: If a known epidermal growth factor receptor (EGFR) or anaplastic lymphoma kinase (ALK) genomic tumor aberration exists, then for ALK+ disease: prior trial of Xalkori or Alecensa OR for EGFR+ disease: prior trial of Tarceva, Gilotrif or Iressa.

Prior Authorization Group Description

TECFIDERA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

TENEX

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prior authorization is required for patients 65 years and older. Prior authorization is not required for patients 64 years and younger.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to two of the following: amlodipine/benazepril, benazepril, benazepril/hydrochlorothiazide, captopril, captopril/hydrochlorothiazide, fosinopril, fosinopril/hydrochlorothiazide, lisinopril, lisinopril/hydrochlorothiazide, quinapril, quinapril/hydrochlorothiazide, losartan, losartan/hydrochlorothiazide, valsartan, valsartan/hydrochlorothiazide, irbesartan, irbesartan/hydrochlorothiazide, candesartan, candesartan/hydrochlorothiazide, carvedilol, labetalol, acebutolol, atenolol, bisoprolol, bisoprolol/hydrochlorothiazide, timolol, nadolol, propranolol, metoprolol, metoprolol/hydrochlorothiazide, pindolol, nifedipine SR, amlodipine, nicardipine.

Prior Authorization Group Description

TETRABENAZINE

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

TIBSOVO

Covered Uses:

All medically accepted indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Presence of an isocitrate dehydrogenase-1 (IDH1) mutation as detected by an FDA-approved test (e.g., Abbott RealTime IDH1 Assay).

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist or hematologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

For age less than 60 years, disease has relapsed or is refractory following treatment with a first-line chemotherapy regimen (e.g., cytarabine, idarubicin, daunorubicin, cladribine, midostaurin).

Prior Authorization Group Description

TREMFYA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with a rheumatologist or dermatologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to ONE of the following as recommended by the American Academy of Dermatology: methotrexate, cyclosporine, or acitretin.

Prior Authorization Group Description

TRIHEXYPHENIDYL

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prior authorization is required for patients 65 years and older. Prior authorization is not required for patients 64 years and younger.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Parkinsons disease/Parkinsonism: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to two of the following: amantadine, levodopa/carbidopa, entacapone, pramipexole, ropinirole, selegiline. All other FDA-approved indications: Patient is continuing on this medication without adverse effects.

Prior Authorization Group Description

TYMLOS

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response. Tymlos has not been used for more than two years.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure of a bisphosphonate (e.g., alendronate) unless contraindicated or clinically significant adverse effects are experienced.

Prior Authorization Group Description

TYSABRI

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Patients who have or have had progressive multifocal leukoencephalopathy.

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS: Prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist. CROHN'S DISEASE: Prescribed by or in consultation with a GI specialist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

RELAPSING FORMS OF MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: Aubagio, Tecfidera, Gilenya, Avonex, Betaseron, Plegridy, Copaxone, Glatopa, Extavia or Rebif. CROHN'S DISEASE: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to Humira or Remicade.

Prior Authorization Group Description

ULTRAVATE LOTION

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to generic halobetasol propionate and generic clobetasol propionate.

Prior Authorization Group Description

UPTRAVI

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

VALCHLOR

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following skin-directed therapies: topical corticosteroids (e.g., clobetasol, triamcinolone), Targretin gel, Tazorac, or imiquimod. FOR CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Prior Authorization Group Description

VANCOCIN

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with a gastroenterologist, infectious disease specialist or hospitalist.

Coverage Duration:

C. Diff diarrhea: 14 days. Staph enterocolitis: 10 days. Recurrent C. Diff: 10 weeks

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

VENCLEXTA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure of clinically significant adverse effects to one previous therapy (e.g., Imbruvica, Campath, high-dose methylprednisolone with Rituxan).

Prior Authorization Group Description

VERSACLOZ

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D. Psychotic disorder associated with Parkinson's disease.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure of or clinically significant adverse effects to clozapine (Clozaril) or FazaClo.

Prior Authorization Group Description

VERZENIO

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Hormone receptor (HR)-positive, human epidermal growth factor receptor 2 (HER2)-negative advanced or metastatic breast cancer.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

VIBERZI

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to loperamide and either diphenoxylate-atropine or dicyclomine, unless patient is 65 years or older.

Prior Authorization Group Description

VIMOVO

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to pantoprazole, lansoprazole or omeprazole AND For osteoarthritis or rheumatoid arthritis, failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: ibuprofen, diclofenac sodium or potassium, etodolac, fenoprofen, ketoprofen, meloxicam, naproxen, oxaprozin, piroxicam, salsalate, sulindac, tolmetin OR For ankylosing spondylitis: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: diclofenac sodium, naproxen or sulindac.

Prior Authorization Group Description

VINBLASTINE

Covered Uses:

All medically accepted indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Documentation that vinblastine is being used as palliative therapy.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

VINCRISTINE

Covered Uses:

All medically accepted indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Patients with the demyelinating form of Charcot-Marie-Tooth syndrome.

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Hodgkin's disease, non-Hodgkin's malignant lymphomas, rhabdomyosarcoma, neuroblastoma, Wilms' tumor: use in combination with other oncolytic agents.

Prior Authorization Group Description

VOSEVI

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

For members with cirrhosis, documentation of Child-Pugh A status. Refer to the document, "Recommendations for Testing, Managing, and Treating Hepatitis C," by AASLD-IDSA available at http://www.hcvguidelines.org for drug regimen and duration of treatment based on genotype, treatment status, previous drug regimens used, past medical history and comorbidities.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with a gastroenterologist, hepatologist or infectious disease physician.

Coverage Duration:

12 weeks.

Other Criteria:

If HCV genotype 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 or 6, member has previously been treated with an HCV regimen containing one of the following NS5A inhibitors: daclatasvir, elbasvir, ledipasvir, ombitasvir, or velpatasvir. Alternatively, if HCV genotype is 1a or 3, member has previously been treated with an HCV regimen containing sofosbuvir.

Prior Authorization Group Description

VOTRIENT

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

SOFT TISSUE SARCOMA: Member has received prior chemotherapy (e.g., regimens containing doxorubicin or epirubicin).

Prior Authorization Group Description

VRAYLAR

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to TWO of the following atypical antipsychotics: aripiprazole, ziprasidone, quetiapine, olanzapine, risperidone.

Prior Authorization Group Description

VYTORIN 10/80 MG

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Patient has been taking ezetimibe 10 mg/simvastatin 80 mg for 12 months or longer.

Prior Authorization Group Description

XALKORI

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Documentation that the patient is ALK-positive as detected by an FDA-approved test or that the patient is ROS-1 positive as confirmed by a laboratory-developed break-apart FISH or RT-PCR clinical trial assay.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

XATMEP

Covered Uses:

All medically accepted indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Less than 18 years of age.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist (for acute lymphoblastic leukemia) or rheumatologist (for polyarticular juvenile idiopathic arthritis).

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Medical justification as to why member cannot use methotrexate tablets.

Prior Authorization Group Description

XELJANZ (includes Xeljanz XR)

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one of the following: methotrexate, sulfasalazine, hydroxychloroquine, d-penicillamine, azathioprine or auranofin.

Prior Authorization Group Description

XEOMIN

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

XERMELO

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Prescribed in combination with a somatostatin analog (e.g., octreotide, lanreotide) unless contraindicated or clinically significant adverse effects are experienced. CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response (e.g., reduction in bowel movement frequency, reduction in urinary 5-HIAA levels).

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure to a trial of a somatostatin analog (e.g., octreotide, lanreotide) unless contraindicated or clinically significant adverse effects are experienced.

Prior Authorization Group Description

XOLAIR

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Moderate to severe persistent asthma: Patient has a positive skin test or in vitro reactivity to a perennial aeroallergen AND Patient has a confirmed total serum IgE level greater than 30 IU/ml. CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Asthma: Patient is 6 years of age or older. Chronic Idiopathic Urticaria: Patient is 12 years of age or older.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Asthma: Prescribed by or in consultation with a pulmonologist, immunologist, or allergist. Urticaria: Prescribed by or in consultation with an allergist, dermatologist, or immunologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Moderate to severe persistent asthma: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one inhaled corticosteroid (e.g., beclomethasone, budesonide, flunisolide, fluticasone, mometasone, ciclesonide). Chronic Idiopathic Urticaria: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to one H1 Antihistamine (e.g., levocetirizine or desloratadine).

Prior Authorization Group Description

XTANDI

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

For patients without visceral metastases: failure or clinically significant adverse effects to Zytiga.

Prior Authorization Group Description

YERVOY

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D. Small cell lung cancer.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Small cell lung cancer: Disease relapse within 6 months following complete or partial response or stable disease.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Small cell lung cancer: Disease relapse with initial treatment (e.g., cisplatin, carboplatin containing regimen).

Prior Authorization Group Description

YONSA

Covered Uses:

All medically accepted indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist or urologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prescribed in combination with methylprednisolone. Member has previously had bilateral orchiectomy, failed androgen deprivation therapy (ADT) or will use ADT concurrently with Yonsa.

Prior Authorization Group Description

ZALTRAP

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Colorectal cancer is resistant or has progressed following an oxaliplatin-containing regimen AND Zaltrap will be used in combination with 5-fluorouracil, leucovorin, and irinotecan (FOLFIRI).

Prior Authorization Group Description

ZARXIO

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D. Myelodysplastic syndrome. Neutropenia in patients with HIV/AIDS. Hematopoietic syndrome of acute radiation syndrome.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

ZEJULA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Completed two or more platinum-based chemotherapy regimens and are in a complete or partial response.

Prior Authorization Group Description

ZELBORAF

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D. Non-small cell lung cancer. Hairy Cell Leukemia.

Exclusion Criteria:

MELANOMA: Patients with wild-type BRAF melanoma.

Required Medical Information:

MELANOMA, NON-SMALL CELL LUNG CANCER: Positive for the BRAF V600E mutation detected by an FDA-approved test.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

HAIRY CELL LEUKEMIA: Condition is non-responsive to purine analog therapy (e.g., pentostatin, cladribine).

Prior Authorization Group Description

ZEPATIER

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Refer to the document, "Recommendations for Testing, Managing, and Treating Hepatitis C," by AASLD-IDSA available at http://www.hcvguidelines.org for drug regimen and duration of treatment based on genotype, treatment status, previous drug regimens used, past medical history and comorbidities.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with a gastroenterologist, hepatologist or infectious disease physician.

Coverage Duration:

12 to 16 wks based on genotype,presence of NS5A resistance-associated polymorphisms,prior treatment.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

ZINPLAVA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Documentation of positive Clostridium difficile test.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

4 weeks.

Other Criteria:

Will receive or is currently receiving antibacterial drug treatment for Clostridium difficile infection (e.g., metronidazole, vancomycin, fidaxomicin) concomitantly with Zinplava. Has received appropriate treatment for past CDI recurrences, including a pulsed vancomycin regimen.

Prior Authorization Group Description

ZOLPIDEM (Ambien, Ambien CR, Edluar, Zolpimist)

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prior authorization is required for patients 65 years and older. Prior authorization is not required for patients 64 years and younger.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to two of the following: Rozerem, Silenor 6 mg/day or less, trazodone or temazepam.

Prior Authorization Group Description

ZURAMPIC

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to allopurinol or Uloric AND Must be used in combination with allopurinol or Uloric.

Prior Authorization Group Description

ZYDELIG

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D. MALT lymphoma (gastric and nongastric). Splenic Marginal Zone Lymphoma. Primary Cutaneous Marginal Zone B-Cell Lymphoma. Nodal Marginal Zone Lymphoma.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with a hematologist or oncologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

For relapsed follicular B-cell non-Hodgkin lymphoma (FL) or relapsed small lymphocytic lymphoma (SLL): failure or clinically significant adverse effects to two prior systemic therapies (e.g., For FL: Leukeran, Rituxan, Treanda, R-CHOP, R-CVP, FCMR or for SL: Leukeran, Gazyva, FCR, FR, BR or PCR).

Prior Authorization Group Description

ZYKADIA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D. Soft tissue sarcoma - inflammatory myofibroblastic tumor.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Documentation that the patient does or does not have anaplastic lymphoma kinase (ALK)-positive disease. CONTINUATION OF THERAPY: Maintained on therapy with positive response.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist.

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Prior Authorization Group Description

ZYTIGA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.

Exclusion Criteria:

Required Medical Information:

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

12 months.

Other Criteria:

Must be used in combination with prednisone.

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