

Executive Office of Health and Human Services

Rhode Island Medicaid Fee for Service Preferred Drug List



The Preferred Drug List (PDL) is a listing of therapeutic classes and associated drugs that are managed by the Medicaid Fee-for-Service Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee. It is not an all inclusive list of covered medications in the Medicaid Fee-for-Service program. If you have an NDC, please check the NDC lookup on the EOHHS healthcare portal to determine coverage.

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PA Requests

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The general rule to receive a non-preferred agent is to try a preferred agent in the same therapeutic class in the past 90 days.

The exceptions to this general rule are drugs that require a clinical prior authorization of some kind or a step edit. These drugs are identified below in the appropriate class listing and are highlighted in green.

Classes that were reviewed and drugs that have a change in status from the prior preferred drug list are highlighted in tan below.

Classes new to the Preferred Drug List are highlighted in blue below.

Prior Authorization Program Forms

<http://www.eohhs.ri.gov/ProvidersPartners/GeneralInformation/ProviderDirectories/Pharmacy/PharmacyPriorAuthorizationProgram.aspx>

[Request for a Non-Preferred Drug Prior Authorization Form](#)

^{NR} indicates that a product has not been reviewed by the P & T Committee, but EOHHS policy states that new products may be considered non-preferred until reviewed by the committee.

RI Medicaid Fee-for-Service Preferred Drug List
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Acne Agents, Topical	Antidepressants	Bronchodilators
Miscellaneous Topicals	Antidepressants, Other	Beta Agonist
Retnoids	Antidepressants, SSRI	Inhalers, Long Acting
		Inhalers, Short Acting
Alzheimer's Agents	Antiemetics	Nebulizers, Long Acting
Cholinesterase Inhibitors	Serotonin Antagonists	Nebulizers, Short Acting
Miscellaneous Topicals	NK1 Receptor Antagonist	
		Calcium Channel Blockers
Analgesics, Narcotics Long-Acting	Antifungals	Dihydropyridines
		Non-Dihydropyridines
Analgesics, Narcotics Short-Acting	Antihistamines, Minimally Sedating	
Fentanyl Oral Products	Antihistamines	Cephalosporins
	Antihistamine/Decongestant	
Other	Combos	Second Generation
		Third Generation
Androgenic Agents	Antihypertensives, Sympatholytics	
		Colony Stimulating Factors
Angiotensin Modulators	Antihyperuricemics	
Ace Inhibitors		Contraceptives, Other
Ace Inhibitor/Diuretic Combo	Antimigraine Agents	
Angiotensin Receptor Blocker	Triptans	COPD Agents
Ang II Recep/Blocker/Diuretic Combo	Other Related Agents	
Renin Inhibitor		Cytokine & CAM Antagonists
Renin Inhibitor/Diuretic Combo	Antiparkinson's Agents	
		Enzyme Replacement, Gauchers Disease
Angiotensin Modulator/Calcium Channel		
Blocker Combinations	Antipsoriatics, Topical	
Ace Inhibitor/Calcium Channel Blocker		Epinephrine, Self-Injected
Combos		
Angiotensin II Receptor Blocker/CCB	Antipsychotics, Atypical	Erythropoiesis Stimulating Proteins
Combo		
Anti-Allergens	Antivirals	Fluoroquinolones
	Herpes	
Antianginal & Anti-Ischemic	Influenza Agents	GI Motility Agents
	Antivirals Topical	
Antibiotics, GI		Glucagon Agents
	Beta Blockers	
Antibiotics, Inhaled		Glucocorticoids, Inhaled
	Bile Salts	Glucocorticoids
Antibiotics, Tetracyclines		Glucocorticoid/Beta-Agonist
	Bladder Relaxants	
Antibiotics, Topical		Glucocorticoids, Oral
	Bone Resorption Suppression	
Antibiotics, Vaginal	Bisphosphonates	Growth Hormones
	Other Related Agents	
Anticoagulants		H. Pylori Treatment
	Botulinum Toxins	
Anticonvulsants		HAE Treatments
Carbamazepine Derivatives	BPH Agents	
First Generation	Alpha Blockers, Selective	Hemophilia Treatment
Second Generation	5-Alpha Reductase Inhibitors	Gene Therapy
Other	PDE-5	

Hepatitis C Agents Pegylated Interferons Ribavirins Hepatitis C Agents, Other	Lipotropics, Statins Statins Statin Combo	Potassium Binders
HIV/AIDS	Macrolides/Ketolides	Progestins for Cachexia
Hypoglycemics Alpha-Glucosidase Inhibitors Incretin Mimetics/Enhancers Amylin Analogs DPP-IV Inhibitors GLP-1 Receptor Agonists Insulins, Long Acting Insulins, Short Acting Meglitinides Metformins Metformin Combos SGLT2 Sulfonylureas TZDs TZD/Metformin Combo TZD/Sulfonylurea Combo	Methotrexate	Proton Pump Inhibitors
	Movement Disorders	Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension Agents
	Multiple Sclerosis Neuropathic Pain & Select Agents Oral Topical	Rosacea Agents, Topical
	NSAIDs and Combination Products Oral Topical	Sedative Hypnotics
	Ophthalmics Allergic Conjunctivitis Antibiotics Antibiotic-Steroid Combo Anti-Inflammatories Anti-Inflammatory/Immunomodulators	Sickle Cell Anemia Treatments
Immunomodulators, Asthma	Ophthalmics, Glaucoma Alpha-2 Adrenergic Agonists Beta Blocker and Combinations Carbonic Anhydrase Inhibitors Other Prostaglandin Agonists	Skeletal Muscle Relaxants
Immunomodulators, Atopic Dermatitis		Steroids Topical High Topical Low Topical Medium Topical Very High
Immunomodulators, Topical		Stimulants and Related Agents
Intranasal Rhinitis Steroids Antihistamines	Opiate Dependence Treatments	Ulcerative Colitis Oral Topical
Leukotriene Modifiers	Otic Antibiotics	Uterine Disorder Treatments
Lipotropics, Other ACL Inhibitor ANGPTL3 Inhibitor Antihyperlipidemic APOB-100 Synthesis Antihyperlipidemic Combinations Bile Acid Resins Cholesterol Absorption Inhibitors Fibric Acid Derivatives Niacins Omega-3 Fatty Acids MTP Inhibitor	Otic Anti-Infectives & Anesthetics Otic Anti-Inflammatories Pancreatic Enzymes	Vasodilators, Coronary
	Phosphate Binders	Weight Management Agents
	Pituitary Suppressive Agents, LHRH	
	Platelet Inhibitors	

Acne Agents, Topical

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/15/2008

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Miscellaneous Topicals**

clindamycin/benzoyl peroxide (generic Duac)

clindamycin phosphate gel

clindamycin phosphate lotion

clindamycin phosphate med swab

clindamycin phosphate solution

erythromycin solution

Clindacin P

PA Required**Miscellaneous Topicals**

clindamcin/benzoyl peroxide (Acanya)

w/pump

clindamcin/benzoyl

peroxide(Benzaclin)

clindamcin/benzoyl

peroxide(Benzaclin) w/pump

clindamcin/benzoyl peroxide(Onexton)

w/pump

clindamycin phosphate foam

dapsone gel

erythromycin gel

erythromycin med swab

erythromycin-benzoyl peroxide

rosanil cleanser lotion

sulfacetamide products

sulfacetamide/sulfur/urea

sodium sulfacetamide/sulfur products

Acnefree clearing system

Acne medication gel

Akliel

Amzeeq

Avar all formulations

Benzaclin

Benzaclin w/pump

Benzamycin

Benzefoam

BP-10-1

BP Cleansing Wash

Cabtreeo

Cleocin-T lotion

Clindacin Pac Kit

Clindagel

Evoclin

Klaron

Neuac

Onexton w/pump

Ovace/Ovace Plus

Rosula

Sirvana Gel^{NR}

SSS 10-5

Sumadan products

Sumaxin products

Winlevi

ZMA Clear Cleanser

Retinoids and Combinations

Retin-A cream

Retin-A gel

Retinoids and Combinations

adapalene

adapalene-benzoyl peroxide

clindamycin phos-tretinoin

tazarotene

tazarotene foam

tretinoin (Atralin)

tretinoin cream

tretinoin gel(generic Avita/Retin-A)

tretinoin microspheres

tretinoin microspheres gel 0.08% pump

Acanya

Akliel

Altreno

Arazlo

Atralin

Avita

Differin cream/lotion/gel pump

Epiduo Forte gel pump

Fabior

Retin-A Micro

Retin-A Micro Pump

Twynéo

Ziana

Alzheimer's Agents

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 1/15/2008

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

No PA Required**Cholinesterase Inhibitors**

donepezil 5 and 10 mg tablet
donepezil ODT
rivastigmine capsule
Exelon Patch

PA Required**Cholinesterase Inhibitors**

donepezil 23 mg
galantamine ER
galantamine solution
galantamine tablet
rivastigmine transdermal
Adlarity
Aricept/23

NMDA Receptor Antagonist and Combinations

memantine tablet
memantine tablet dose pack

NMDA Receptor Antagonist and Combinations

memantine ER
memantine solution
memantine/donepezil ER (capsules)^{NR}
Namenda dose pack (discontinued)
Namenda tablet (discontinued)
Namenda XR (discontinued)
Namzaric
Namzaric dose pack

Amyloid Beta-directed Antibody

Aduhelm (discontinued)
Kisunla
Leqembi

Analgesics, Narcotics Long-Acting

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/1/2007

Current Review Date: 10/1/2024

[Clinical Prior Authorization Required for Entire Class/Manual PA](#)**No PA Required****Narcotic Analgesics, L/A**

fentanyl transdermal 12,25,20,75,100mg
methadone tab
morphine ER tab
Butrans

PA Required**Narcotic Analgesics, L/A**

buprenorphine (buccal)	Arymo ER
buprenorphine transdermal	Belbuca
fentanyl transdermal 37.5,62.5,87.5mg	Conzip ER
glatopa	Exalgo
hydromorphone ER	Hysingla ER
methadone conc/sol tab/solution	Morphabond ER
morphine ER cap	MS Contin
morphine ER (Avinza)	OxyContin
oxycodone HCL ER	Zohydro ER
oxymorphone ER	
tramadol ER/SR 24H	

Analgesics Narcotics Short-Acting

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 10/15/2009

Current Review Date: 10/1/2024

Some drugs in this class are subject to MME limitations**No PA Required****Fentanyl Oral Products****PA Required****Fentanyl Oral Products**

fentanyl (buccal)
Actiq
Fentora
Ultracet
Ultram

Analgesics Narcotics Short-Acting - continued

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 10/15/2009

Some drugs in this class are subject to MME limitations

Current Review Date: 10/1/2024

Other

APAP/codeine elixir
 APAP/codeine tablet
 hydrocodone/APAP tablet
 hydrocodone/ibuprofen
 hydromorphone tablet
 morphine concentrate solution
 morphine IR tablet
 morphine solution
 morphine sulfate solution (AG)
 oxycodone/APAP tablet
 oxycodone tablet
 tramadol 50mg
 tramadol/APAP

Other

acetamin-caff-dihydrocodeine
 benzhydrocodone-acetaminophen
 butalbital cmpd w/codeine
 butorphanol tartrate (nasal)
 codeine oral
 fentanyl (buccal)
 hydrocodone/APAP solution
 hydromorphone liq/supp
 levorphanol
 meperidine solution/tablet
 morphine suppositories
 oxycodone/APAP tablet/solution
 oxycodone capsule
 oxycodone conc
 oxycodone solution
 oxymorphone

pentazocine/naloxone
 tramadol 75mg^{NR}
 tramadol 100mg
 tramadol HCL solution
 Dilaudid liquid/tablets
 Dsuvia
 Fioricet with codeine
 Nalocet
 Percocet
 Prolate solution
 Prolate tablet
 Roxicodone
 Roxybond
 Seglents^{NR}

Androgenic Agents

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 10/15/2008

Current Review Date: 6/2/2025

No PA Required**Androgenic Agents**

testosterone gel pump (AndroGel) 1.62%
 AndroGel gel pump 1.62%

PA Required**Androgenic Agents**

testosterone
 AndroGel gel packet
 Fortesta
 Natesto
 Testim
 Vogelxo gel
 Vogelxo gel packet
 Vogelxo gel pump

Angiotensin Modulators

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 1/15/2007

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

No PA Required**Ace Inhibitors**

benazepril
 enalapril
 fosinopril
 lisinopril
 quinapril

PA Required**Ace Inhibitors**

captopril
 enalapril solution
 enalapril solution (AG)
 moexipril
 perindopril
 ramipril
 trandolapril

Accupril
 Altace
 Epaned
 Epaned solution
 Lotensin
 Qbrellis
 Vasotec
 Zestril

Angiotensin Modulators - Continued

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 1/15/2007

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

No PA Required**ACE Inhibitor/Diuretic**

enalapril HCTZ

lisinopril HCTZ

quinapril HCTZ

PA Required**ACE Inhibitor/Diuretic**

benazepril HCTZ

captopril HCTZ

fosinopril HCTZ

Accuretic

Lotensin HCT

Vaseretic

Zestoretic

Angiotensin Receptor Blockers

irbesartan

losartan

valsartan

Angiotensin Receptor Blockers

candesartan

eprosartan

olmesartan medoxomil

telmisartan

valsartan solution

Atacand

Avapro

Benicar

Cozaar

Diovan

Edarbi

Micardis (discontinued)

Angiotensin II Receptor**Blocker/Diuretic**

irbesartan HCTZ

losartan HCTZ

valsartan HCTZ

Angiotensin II Receptor Blocker/Diuretic

candesartan HCTZ

olmesartan HCTZ

olmesartan-medoxomil HCTZ

telmisartan HCTZ

Atacand HCT

Avalide

Benicar HCT

Diovan HCT

Edarbyclor

Hyzaar

Micardis HCTZ (discontinued)

No PA Required**Renin Inhibitor****PA Required (failure of ARB)****Renin Inhibitor**

aliskiren

Tekturna

Renin Inhibitor Combinations**Renin Inhibitor Combinations**

Tekturna HCT

Angiotensin Modulators/Calcium Channel Blocker Combinations

Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 1/15/2007

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

No PA Required**Ace Inhibitor/Calcium Channel Blocker Combo**

amlodipine/benazepril

PA Required**Ace Inhibitor/Calcium Channel Blocker Combo**trandolapril/verapamil ER
Lotrel**Angiotensin II Receptor**amlodipine/olmesartan
amlodipine/valsartan
amlodipine/valsartan HCTZ
Entresto**Angiotensin II Receptor**olmesartan/amlodipine HCTZ
sacubitril/valsartan tablet
telmisartan/amlodipine
Azor
Entresto sprinkle cap
Exforge/HCT
Tribenzor
Twynsta**Anti-Allergens**

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/5/2017

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Anti-Allergens****PA Required****Anti-Allergens**Grastek
Odactra
Oralair
Palforzia
Ragwitek**Antianginal & Anti-Ischemic Agents**

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 1/3/2014

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

No PA Required**Antianginal & Anti-Ischemic Agents**

ranolazine ER

PA Required**Antianginal & Anti-Ischemic Agents**

Aspruzo Sprinkle ER

Antibiotics, GI

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/1/2013

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Antibiotics, GI**

metronidazole tablet

neomycin

tinidazole

vancomycin capsule

PA Required**Antibiotics, GI**

metronidazole capsule

metronidazole 125mg tablet^{NR}

nitazoxanide

paromomycin

vancomycin solution

vancomycin solution (AG)

Aemcolo

Difcid

Difcid suspension

Firvanq

Flagyl capsule

Flagyl ER

Likmez suspension^{NR}

Rebyota enema

Solosec

Vancocin

Vowst Capsule

Xifaxan *

* Diagnosis of Hepatic Encephalopathy and 1 paid claim for lactulose in the past 30 days or inadequate response or contraindication to lactulose documented

Antibiotics, Inhaled

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/11/2012

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Antibiotics, Inhaled**

Bethkis

Kitabis Pak

PA Required**Antibiotics, Inhaled**

tobramycin pak (AG)

tobramycin solution

Arikayce

Cayston

Tobi

Tobi Podhaler

Antibiotics, Tetracyclines

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/1/2013

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Antibiotics, Tetracyclines**

doxycycline hyclate capsule

doxycycline hyclate tablet

doxycycline monohydrate tablet

doxycycline monohydrate 100mg generic capsule

doxycycline monohydrate 50mg generic capsule

minocycline capsules

tetracycline

Morgidox 100mg capsule

PA Required**Antibiotics, Tetracyclines**

demeclocycline

doxycycline hyclate tablet DR

doxycycline monohydrate 50mg brand capsule

doxycycline monohydrate 150mg capsule

doxycycline monohydrate 75mg capsule

doxycycline monohydrate suspension

minocycline ER/tablet

Doryx

Doryx/MPC

Lymepak

Morgidox kit

Nuzyra

Oracea

Solodyn

Antibiotics, Topical

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/1/2013

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Antibiotics, Topical**

mupirocin ointment

PA Required**Antibiotics, Topical**gentamicin cream
gentamicin ointment
mupirocin cream
Centany
Centany AT Kit
Xepi**Antibiotics, Vaginal**

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/1/2013

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Antibiotics, Vaginal**

metronidazole

Cleocin Ovules

PA Required**Antibiotics, Vaginal**clindamycin
metronidazole gel (generic Nuvessa)
Cleocin cream
Clindesse
Metrogel
Nuvessa
Vandazole
Xaciat**Anticoagulants**

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 1/15/2008

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

No PA Required**Anticoagulants**

enoxaparin

warfarin

Eliquis tablet

Xarelto

PA Required**Anticoagulants**fondaparinux
rivaroxaban (Xarelto)^{NR}
Arixtra
Eliquis starter pack
Fragmin
Lovenox
Pradaxa capsule*
Pradaxa pellet pack*
Savaysa
Xarelto dose pack

* Diagnosis of Atrial Fibrillation in the past year and a claim for a preferred agent

Anticonvulsants

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 1/15/2008

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

No PA Required**carbamazepine derivatives**carbamazepine chewable tablet
carbamazepine tablet
oxcarbazepine tablet
Carbatrol
Epitol
Tegretol suspension
Tegretol XR
Trileptal suspension**PA Required****carbamazepine derivatives**carbamazepine ER (generic Carbatrol)
carbamazepine XR
carbamazepine suspension
oxcarbazepine suspension
Equetro
Oxtellar XR
Tegretol tablet/chewable tablet
Trileptal tablet

Anticonvulsants - continued

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 1/15/2008

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

No PA Required**First Generation**

divalproex tablet/ER
ethosuximide
phenytoin capsule/suspension
phenytoin chew tab
primidone
valproic acid capsules/syrup
Depakote Sprinkle

Second Generation

lacosamide solution
lacosamide tablet
lamotrigine tablets/disper tab
levetiracetam tablet/solution
topiramate tablet/sprinkle
zonisamide

Other

clobazam tablet
diazepam rectal (AG)
diazepam rectal device (AG)
phenobarbital elixir
phenobarbital tablet
Nayzilam
Valtoco

PA Required**First Generation**

divalproex sprinkles
felbamate
methsuximide
phenytoin ext capsule (gen Phenytek)
Celontin
Depakote/ER
Dilantin capsules/suspension
Dilantin chew tab
Felbatol
Mysoline
Phenytek
Zarontin capsules/syrup

Second Generation

eslicarbazepine acetate tab ^{NR}	Briviact
lamotrigine unit dose soln	Elepsia XR
lamotrigine XR	Eprontia
lamotrigine ODT	Fycompa
levetiracetam (Spritam)(AG) ^{NR}	Keppra/XR *
levetiracetam ER	Lamictal/ODT/XR/DS
rufinamide suspension	Libervant film
rufinamide tablet	Motpoly XR
tiagabine	Qudexy XR
topirimate ER	Sabril
vigabatrin powder pack	Spritam
vigabatrin tablet	Topamax tablet/sprinkle *
vigadrone	Trokendi XR
Aptiom	Vigafyde solution ^{NR}
Banzel	Vigpoder powder pack ^{NR}
	Vimpat/dose pack
	Zonisade

Other

clobazam suspension	Sezaby
diacomit	Onfi
Diastat (rectal)	Sympazan
Epidiolex**	Xcopri tablet
Fintepla	Xcopri titration pak
Libervant Film	Ztalmu

** DX of Lennox-Gastaut or Dravet

* Diagnosis of epilepsy, convulsions or seizure disorder and a claim for Keppra or Topamax in the past 60 days or a claim for a preferred agent in the past 90 days

Antidepressants

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 1/15/2008

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

No PA Required**Other**

bupropion/SR
 bupropion XL (generic Wellbutrin XL)
 mirtazapine/ODT
 trazodone
 venlafaxine
 venlafaxine ER caps
 Wellbutrin XL

PA Required**Other**

bupropion XL (generic Forfivo XL)	Fetzima
desvenlafaxine ER	Fetzima dose pack
desvenlafaxine fumarate ER	Forfivo XL
desvenlafaxine succinate ER	Khedeza
maprotiline	Pristiq
nefazodone	Raldesyl solution ^{NR}
venlafaxine ER tabs	Remeron/ODT
venlafaxine besylate ER	(Manual PA) Spravato
Aplenzin	Trintellix
Auvelity	Vilbryd
Brintellix	vilazodone
Cymbalta	Wellbutrin/SR
Effexor XR *	Zuruvae

SSRI

citalopram solution
 citalopram tablet
 escitalopram solution
 escitalopram tablet
 fluoxetine capsule
 fluoxetine solution
 fluoxetine tablet 10&20mg
 fluvoxamine
 paroxetine tablet
 sertraline tablet

SSRI

citalopram capsule	Celexa
fluoxetine 60mg tablet	Lexapro(failure of citalopram)
fluoxetine DR	Paxil/CR
fluvoxamine	Prozac (discontinued)
paroxetine (generic Brisdelle)	Zoloft
paroxetine CR	
paroxetine suspension	
sertaline capsule/concentrate	

* History of a paid claim for a preferred antidepressant at least 28 days prior to the current date of service

Antiemetics

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 1/15/2008

Current Review Date: 6/2/2025

No PA Required**Serotonin Antagonists**

metoclopramide solution
 metoclopramide tablet
 ondansetron ODT
 ondansetron solution
 ondansetron tablet

PA Required**Serotonin Antagonists**

doxylamine succinate/vitamin B6	Diclegis
granisetron	Gimoti nasal spray
ondansetron ODT (16mg) ^{NR}	Sancuso
Akynzeo	Sustol
Anzemet	
Bonjesta	

NK1 Receptor Antagonist**NK1 Receptor Antagonist**

aprepitant capsule
 aprepitant packet
 fosaprepitant
 Emend
 Focinvez vial^{NR}

Antifungals

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/1/2007

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Oral**

clotrimazole
 fluconazole tablet
 griseofulvin suspension
 nystatin suspension
 terbinafine

PA Required**Oral**

fluconazole suspension	Brexafemme
flucytosine	Cresemba capsule
griseofulvin micro tablet	Diflucan tablet/suspension
griseofulvin ultra tabs	Fulvicin P-G ^{NR}
itraconazole/solution	Noxafil suspension
ketoconazole oral	Noxafil tablet
nystatin tablet	Oravig
posaconazole	Sporanox
posaconazole suspension	Tolsura
voriconazole	Vfend tablet/suspension
Ancobon	Vivjoa capsule

Topical

clotrimazole-betamethasone cream
 clotrimazole cream (Rx)
 ketoconazole cream
 ketoconazole shampoo
 miconazole nitrate cream
 nystatin cream/ointment
 terbinafine cream
 tolnaftate powder

Topical

butenafine	Bensal HP
ciclopirox cream/gel/kit	Ciclodan cream/kit/soln
ciclopirox shampoo	Ertaczo
ciclopirox solution/suspension	Exelderm cream/solution
clotrimazole solution	Extina
clotrimazole-betamethasone lotion	Fungoid tincture
clotrimazole solution OTC ^{NR}	Jublia
econazole	Lamisil cream/gel
ketoconazole foam	Loprox cream/gel/kit
luliconazole	Loprox suspension
miconazole solution	Lotrimin
miconazole-zinc-petro	Luzu
naftifine	Mycozyl AC (OTC) cream
nystatin-triamcinolone cream/ointment	Naftin cream/gel
nystatin powder	Nizoral shampoo
oxiconazole nitrate cream	Oxistat lotion
salicylic acid ointment	Vusion
tavaborole	
tolnaftate solution	

Antihistamines, Minimally Sedating

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/1/2007

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Antihistamines**

cetirizine tab
 cetirizine solution RX
 levocetirizine tablet
 loratadine tablet

PA Required**Antihistamines**

cetirizine chewable
 desloratadine/ODT
 fexofenadine 60,180mg
 fexofenadine suspension
 levocetirizine solution
 loratadine ODT /solution/soft gel
 Clarinex (tab, syrup, rapdis)

**Antihistamine/Decongestant
Combinations****Antihistamine/Decongestant
Combinations**

cetirizine-D
 fexofenadine-D
 loratadine-D 12/24 hour tablets
 Clarinex-D 12 hour tablet
 Semprex-D

Antihypertensives, Sympatholytics

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 1/3/2014

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

No PA Required**Antihypertensives, Sympatholytics**

clonidine patch
 clonidine (AG) patch
 clonidine tablet (oral)
 guanfacine
 methyldopa

PA Required**Antihypertensives, Sympatholytics**

clonidine ER (generic Nexiclon)
 methyldopa (AG)
 methyldopa HCTZ
 Nexiclon XR

Antihyperuricemics

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/27/2015

Current Review Date: 6/2/2025

No PA Required**Antihyperuricemics**

allopurinol
 colchicine tablet
 colchicine tablet (AG)
 probenid
 probenid/colchicine

PA Required**Antihyperuricemics**

allopurinol 200 mg
 colchicine capsule
 febuxostat
 Colcrys
 Gloperba
 Krystexxa
 Mitigare
 Uloric
 Zyloprim

Antimigraine Agents

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/1/2007

Current Review Date: 10/1/2024

No PA Required**Other**

Aimovig autoinjector*
 Emgality 120 mg/ml pen*
 Emgality 120 mg/ml syringe*
 Qulipta*

Ubrelvy**

PA Required**Other**

diclofenac potassium powder pack
 dihydroergotamine mesylate (nasal)
 Ajovy/autoinjector
 Elyxyb
 Emgality 100 mg/ml syringe

Migranal (nasal)
 Nurtec ODT
 Reyvow
 Symbravo^{NR}
 Vyepti
 Zavzpret

Triptans

rizatriptan tablet/ODT
 sumatriptan (oral, vial)
 Imitrex (nasal)

Triptans

almotriptan malate
 dihydroergotamine mesylate
 eletriptan
 frovatriptan
 naratriptan
 sumatriptan kit
 sumatriptan kit (AG)
 sumatriptan nasal (AG)
 sumatriptan/naproxen

zolmitriptan spray (AG)
 zolmitriptan tablet/ODT
 Frova
 Imitrex (oral, subcutaneous)
 Migranow
 Relpax
 Tosymra
 Zembrace
 Zomig (oral, nasal, ZMT)

*Step Therapy - 2 claims for 2 different agents, in 2 six week timeframes (agents from the Beta Blocker, Calcium Channel Blocker, SSRI Antidepressant, or Tricyclic Antidepressant class are appropriate)

** Step Therapy - 1 claim for each of 2 different Triptans in the past 60 days

Antiparkinson's Agents

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 1/15/2008

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

No PA Required**Dopamine Receptor Agonists**

amantadine capsule
amantadine syrup
amantadine tablet
pramipexole IR
ropinirole IR

PA Required**Dopamine Receptor Agonists**

apomorphine
pramipexole ER
ropinirole ER
Apokyn
Dhivy
Gocovri
Inbrija
Neupro
Nourianz
Onapgo^{NR}
Ogentys
Osmolex ER
Vyalev^{NR}

Antipsoriatics, Topical

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/4/2009

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Topical Antipsoriatics**

calcipotriene cream
calcipotriene ointment
calcipotriene solution

PA Required**Topical Antipsoriatics**

calcipotriene/betamethasone oint
calcipotriene/betamethasone susp
calcitriol ointment
Dovonex cream
Duobrii
Enstilar foam
Sorilux
Taclonex ointment
Taclonex scalp
Vectical
Vtama
Zoryve

Antipsychotics

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 10/15/2008

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

No PA Required**Antipsychotics**

aripiprazole tablet
clozapine tablet
lurasidone
olanzapine tablet
quetiapine
quetiapine ER
risperidone solution/tablet
ziprasidone capsule
ziprasidone capsule (AG)
Abilify Asimtufii
Abilify Maintena
Aristada
Invega Hafyera
Invega Sustenna
Invega Trinza *
Perseris
Risperdal Consta
Uzedy

PA Required**Antipsychotics**

aripiprazole solution/ODT
asenapine sublingual
asenapine sublingual (AG)
clozapine ODT
olanzapine ODT
olanzapine/fluoxetine
paliperidone
risperidone ER IM
risperidone ODT
Abilify Mycite
Abilify tablet
Aristada Initio
Caplyta
Clozaril
Cobenfy
Cobenfy start pack
Erzofri
Fanapt
Invega
Latuda
Lybalvi
Nuplazid
Opipza film
Rexulti
Rexulti titration pack^{NR}
Risperdal tablet/solution/ODT
Saphris
Secuado patch
Seroquel
Seroquel XR
Symbyax
Versacloz
Vraylar
Zyprexa
Zyprexa Relprevv
Zyprexa Zydis

* 4 claims in the last 120 days for Invega Sustenna

Antivirals Oral

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 10/15/2007

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Herpes**

acyclovir capsule
acyclovir tablet
valacyclovir

PA Required**Herpes**

acyclovir suspension
famciclovir
Sitavig
Valtrex

Influenza Agents

oseltamivir capsule
oseltamivir suspension

Influenza Agents

rimantadine
Flumadine
Relenza
Tamiflu
Xofluza

Antivirals Topical

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 10/15/2008

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Antivirals Topical**

acyclovir ointment

PA Required**Antivirals Topical**

acyclovir cream
penciclovir
Denavir
Xerese
Zovirax cream
Zovirax ointment

Beta Blockers

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 1/15/2007

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

No PA Required**Beta Blockers**

atenolol
atenolol/chlorthalidone
carvedilol
labetolol
metoprolol succinate XL
metoprolol tartrate
nadolol
propranolol ER
propranolol ER (AG)
propranolol tablet

PA Required**Beta Blockers**

acebutolol	Bystolic
betaxolol	Coreg/CR
bisoprolol/HCTZ	Corgard
carvedilol ER	Corzide
carvedilol ER (AG)	Hemangeol
metoprolol HCTZ	Inderal/ LA/XL
nebivolol	Innopran XL
pindolol	Kapsargo sprinkle
propranolol HCTZ	Lopressor/HCT
propranolol solution	Sotylize
sorine	Tenoretic
sotalol/AF	Tenormin
timolol	Toprol XL
Betapace/AF	Ziac (discontinued)

Bile Salts

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 1/22/2018

Current Review Date: 6/2/2025

No PA Required**Bile Salts**ursodiol tablet
ursodiol 300mg capsule**PA Required****Bile Salts**Bylvay capsule
Bylvay pellet
Chenodal
Cholbam
Ctexl^{NR}
Iqirvo tablet
Livdelzi capsule
Livmarli solution
Livmarli tablet^{NR}
Ocaliva
Reltone
Urso
Urso Forte**Bladder Relaxants**

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 10/15/2007

Current Review Date: 10/1/2024

No PA Required**Bladder Relaxants**darifenacin ER
oxybutynin ER
oxybutynin IR
oxybutynin syrup
oxybutynin tablet
solifenacin
trospium
Detrol tablet
Myrbetriq**PA Required****Bladder Relaxants**

mirabegron ER	Gelnique transdermal
oxybutynin 2.5mg	Gelnique gel pump
tolterodine	Gemtesa
tolterodine ER	Oxytrol
trospium ER	Toviaz
Detrol LA	Vesicare
Enablex	Vesicare LS

Bone Resorption Suppression

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/1/2007

Current Review Date: 6/2/2025

No PA Required**Bisphosphonates**alendronate tablet
ibandronate**PA Required****Bisphosphonates**alendronate solution
risedronate sodium DR
Actonel
Atelvia
Binosto
Fosamax/Plus D**Other Related Agents**

raloxifene HCL

Other Related Agentscalcitonin salmon
teriparatide* (Forteo)
Evenity
Evista
Forteo *
Jubbonti syringe^{NR*}
Prolia*
Teriparatide* (Brand)
Tymlos** History of Bisphosphonates in 12
Months

Botulinum Toxins

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/9/2022

Current Review Date: 10/1/2024

[Clinical Prior Authorization Required for Entire Class/Manual PA](#)**No PA Required****Botulinum Toxins**

Dysport

PA Required**Botulinum Toxins**

Botox

Myobloc

Xeomin

BPH Agents

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 10/15/2007

Current Review Date: 10/1/2024

No PA Required**Alpha Blockers, Selective**

alfuzosin

tamsulosin HCL

PA Required**Alpha Blockers, Selective**

silodosin

Flomax

Rapaflo

5-Alpha Reductase Inhibitors

finasteride

5-Alpha Reductase Inhibitors

dutasteride

dutasteride/tamsulosin

finasteride/tadalafil capsule^{NR}

Avodart

Proscar

PDE-5**PDE-5**

tadalafil

Cialis

Bronchodilators, Beta Agonist

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/1/2007

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Beta Agonist Inhalers, Long Acting**

Serevent (step edit-use of inhaled corticosteroid in past 45 days)

Beta Agonist Inhalers, Short Acting

Proventil HFA

Ventolin HFA

Xopenex HFA

PA Required**Beta Agonist Inhalers, Long Acting**

Striverdi Respimat

Beta Agonist Inhalers, Short Acting

albuterol HFA (Proair, Ventolin, Proventil)

albuterol HFA (AG) (Proventil)

levalbuterol tartrate HFA

ProAir Digihaler

ProAir Respiclick

Beta Agonist Nebulizers, Long Acting**Beta Agonist Nebulizers, Long Acting**

arformoterol tartrate

arformoterol tartrate (AG)

formoterol fumarate (AG)

Brovana (step edit for failure of long

acting inhaler and corticoid steroid)

Perforomist (step edit for failure of long

acting inhaler and corticoid steroid)

Beta Agonist Nebulizers, Short Acting

albuterol nebulizer solution

albuterol nebulizer solution low-dose

(accuneb)

Beta Agonist Nebulizers, Short Acting

levalbuterol

Calcium Channel Blockers

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 1/15/2007

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

No PA Required**Dihydropyridines**

amlodipine

PA Required**Dihydropyridines**

felodipine ER

Adalat CC

isradipine

Katerzia

nicardipine

Norliqva

nifedipine/SA

Norvasc

nifedipine ER

Nymalize solution

nimodipine/solution

Nymalize syringe

nisoldipine

Procardia/XL

Sular

Non-Dihydropyridines

diltiazem

verapamil tablet/ER

Non-Dihydropyridines

diltiazem CD/ER

Cartia XT

tiadylt ER

Dilt CD/XR

verapamil capsule ER/PM

Matzim LA

verapamil capsule ER/PM (AG)

Taztia XT

verapamil capsule SR (AG)^{NR}

Tiazac

Cardizem/CD/LA

Verelan/PM

Cephalosporins

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/1/2007

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Second Generation**

cefaclor capsule, suspension

cefprozil tablet, suspension

cefuroxime tablet

PA Required**Second Generation**

cefaclor tablet ER

Third Generation

cefdinir capsule, suspension

Third Generation

cefixime capsule/suspension

cefpodoxime suspension

cefpodoxime tablet

Colony Stimulating Factors

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/9/2022

Current Review Date: 6/2/2025

No PA Required**Colony Stimulating Factors**

Fulphila
 Neupogen disp syringe
 Neupogen vial

PA Required**Colony Stimulating Factors**

Fylmetra	Nyvepria
Granix syringe	Releuko syringe
Granix vial	Releuko vial
Leukine	Rolvedon
Neulasta kit	Ryzneuta syringe ^{NR}
Neulasta syringe	Stimufend syringe
Nivestym syringe	Udenyca
Nivestym vial	Udenyca Onbody
	Zarxio
	Ziextenzo

Contraceptives, Other

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 10/03/2023

Current Review Date: 6/2/2025

No PA Required**Contraceptives, Other**

medroxyprogesterone acetate disp
 syringe
 medroxyprogesterone acetate disp syringe (AG)
 medroxyprogesterone acetate vial
 medroxyprogesterone acetate vial (AG)
 Nexplanon
 Nuvaring
 Zafemy

PA Required**Contraceptives, Other**

enilloring vaginal ring
 etonogestrel/ethinyl estradiol ring
 etonogestrel/ethinyl estradiol ring (AG)
 Annovera
 Depo-Provera Disp Syringe
 Depo-Provera Vial
 Depo-Subq Provera 104
 Eluryng vaginal ring
 Haloette vaginal ring
 Phexxi
 Twirla
 Xulane

COPD Agents

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/1/2007

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**COPD Agents**

albuterol/ipratropium nebulizer solution
 ipratropium nebulizer solution
 Anoro Ellipta
 Atrovent HFA
 Combivent Respimat
 Spiriva Handihaler
 Stiolto Respimat

PA Required**COPD Agents**

roflumilast
 tiotropium
 umeclidinium/vilanterol (AG) inhalation^{NR}
 Bevespi Aerosphere
 Daliresp
 Duaklir Pressair
 Incruse Ellipta
 Ohtuvayre^{NR}
 Spiriva Respimat
 Tudorza pressair
 Yupelri

Cytokine & CAM Antagonists

Length of Authorization:1 Year

Status Implementation: 10/15/2007

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Cytokine & CAM Antagonists**

Enbrel
Humira kit
Humira pen kit
Otezla

PA Required**Cytokine & CAM Antagonists**

abrilada(CF) Kit	Infliximab
abrilada(CF) Pen Kit	Kevzara
adalimumab-aacf(CF) Kit ^{NR}	Kineret
adalimumab-aacf(CF) Pen Kit	Litfulo
adalimumab-aaty(CF) Kit	Olumiant
adalimumab-aaty(CF) Pen Kit	OmvoH Vial/syringe
adalimumab-adaz(CF) Pen Kit	OmvoH Pen
adalimumab-adaz(CF) Kit	Orencia/clickjet/syringe/vial
adalimumab-adbm(CF) Kit	Otulfy syringe ^{NR}
adalimumab-adbm (CF) Pen Kit	Otulfy vial ^{NR}
adalimumab-fkjp Pen Kit	Pyzchiva syringe ^{NR}
adalimumab-fkjp Kit	Pyzchiva vial ^{NR}
adalimumab-ryvk(CF) Kit	Remicade
ustekinumab syringe ^{NR}	Renflexis
ustekinumab vial ^{NR}	Rinvoq ER
ustekinumab-aekn syringe ^{NR}	Rinvoq LQ solution ^{NR}
ustekinumab-ttwe syringe ^{NR}	Selardsi syringe ^{NR}
ustekinumab-ttwe vial ^{NR}	Selardsi vial ^{NR}
Actemra	Siliq
Amjevita	Simlandi(CF) Kit 100mg/ml
Arcalyst	Simponi
Avsola	Simponi Aria
Bimzelx Syringe	Skyrizi
Bimzelx Pen	Sotyktu
Cibinqo	Spevigo
Cimzia	Spevigo Syringe
Cosentyx	Stelara
Cosentyx Unoready Pen	Steqeyma syringe ^{NR}
Cosentyx Vial	Steqeyma vial ^{NR}
Cyltezo Pen Kit	Taltz
Cyltezo Kit	Tofidence
Entyvio	Tremfya Autoinjector ^{NR}
Entyvio Pen	Tremfya pen induction PK-Crohn ^{NR}
Enspryng	Tremfya pen/vial ^{NR}
Hadlima Pen Kit	Tyenne Autoinjector
Hadlima Kit	Tyenne Syringe
Hadlima Pen(CF) Kit	Tyenne Vial
Hadlima(CF) Kit	Velsipity
Hulio Pen Kit	Xeljanz/XR
Hulio Kit	Xeljanz Solution
Hyrimoz(CF) Kit	Yesintek syringe ^{NR}
Hyrimoz Pen(CF) Kit	Yesintek vial ^{NR}
Idacio Pen Kit	Yuflyma(CF) Autoinjector
Idacio Kit	Yuflyma Kit (CF)
Ilaris	Yusimry
Ilumya syringe	Zymfentra Pen
Inflectra	Zymfentra Syringe

Enzyme Replacement, Gauchers Disease

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/9/2022

Current Review Date: 6/2/2025

No PA Required**Enzyme Replacement, Gauchers****Disease**

Zavesca

PA Required**Enzyme Replacement, Gauchers****Disease**

miglustat

miglustat (AG)

Cerdelga

Yargesa

Epinephrine, Self-Administered

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/1/2013

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Epinephrine, Self-Administered**

epinephrine 0.15mg (AG Epipen Jr)

epinephrine 0.3mg (AG Epipen)

Epipen

Epipen Jr

PA Required**Epinephrine, Self-Administered**

epinephrine 0.15mg (AG Adrenaclick)

epinephrine 0.3mg (AG Adrenaclick)

epinephrine 0.3mg auto injector

Auvi-Q

Neffy spray^{NR}**Erythropoiesis Stimulating Proteins**

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 10/15/2007

Current Review Date: 6/2/2025

No PA Required**Erythropoiesis Stimulating Proteins**

Epogen

Retacrit

PA Required**Erythropoiesis Stimulating Proteins**

Aranesp

Aranesp disp syringe

Jesduvroq

Mircera

Procrit

Reblozyl

Vafseo tablet

Fluoroquinolones

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/1/2007

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Fluoroquinolones**

ciprofloxacin tablet

levofloxacin tablet

Cipro suspension

PA Required**Fluoroquinolones**

ciprofloxacin suspension

levofloxacin solution

moxifloxacin

ofloxacin

Baxdela

Cipro Tablet

GI Motility Agents

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 9/2/2015

Current Review Date: 6/2/2025

No PA Required**GI Motility Agents**

lubiprostone

Linzess

Relistor syringe/vial

Trulance

PA Required**GI Motility Agents**

alosetron

prucalopride tablet

Amitiza

Isbrela

Lotronex

Motegrity

Movantik

Relistor tablet

Symproic

Viberzi

Glucagon Agents

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/27/2020

Current Review Date: 6/2/2025

No PA Required**Glucagon Agents**

Baqsimi

Glucagon 1mg vial (Lilly)

Glucagon emergency kit (Lilly)

Proglycem suspension

Zegalogue autoinjector

Zegalogue syringe

PA Required**Glucagon Agents**

diazoxide suspension

Glucagon 1mg vial (Fresenius)

Glucagon emergency kit (Fresenius)

Gvoke Hypopen

Gvoke syringe

Glucocorticoids, Inhaled

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/1/2007

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

Step Edit for Glucocorticoids only not combos - 2 claims for an Inhaled Corticosteroid in the last 90 days

No PA Required**Glucocorticoids**

budesonide respules

fluticasone propionate HFA

Alvesco

Arnuity Ellipta

Asmanex

Asmanex HFA

Flovent HFA

Pulmicort Flexhaler

QVAR Redihaler

PA Required**Glucocorticoids**

fluticasone propionate diskus

Armonair Digihaler

Flovent Diskus

Pulmicort respules

Glucocorticoid/Beta-Agonist Combo

Advair Diskus

Advair HFA

Dulera

Symbicort

Glucocorticoid/Beta-Agonist Combo

budesonide/formoterol funarate

fluticasone/salmeterol (Advair Diskus)

fluticasone/salmeterol (Airduo Aerospans)

fluticasone/salmeterol HFA

fluticasone/vilanterol

Airduo Digihaler

Airduo Respiclick

Airsupra HFA

Breo Ellipta

Breyna

Breztri Aerosphere

Trelegy Ellipta

Wixela inhub

Glucocorticoids, Oral

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/1/2007

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Glucocorticoids**

budesonide DR/EC

dexamethasone solution/tablet

hydrocortisone

methylprednisolone 4mg

methylprednisolone tab ds pk

prednisolone sodium phosphate

prednisolone solution

prednisone solution

prednisone tab ds pk

prednisone tablet

PA Required**Glucocorticoids**

cortisone

dexamethasone elixir

dexamethasone intensol

methylprednisolone 8mg, 16mg tab

methylprednisolone 32mg tablet

prednisolone ODT

prednisolone sodium phosphate

solution (Millipred)

prednisolone sodium phosphate

solution (Veripred)

Alkindi Sprinkle

Cortef

Eohilia suspension

Hemady

Medrol tab DS pk

Medrol tablet

Millipred solution

Millipred DP tab DS pk

Rayos tablet DR

Taperdex

Tarpeyo

Growth Hormone

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/15/2008

Current Review Date: 6/2/2025

No PA Required**Growth Hormone**

Genotropin cartridge
 Genotropin dis syringe
 Norditropin pen

PA Required**Growth Hormone**

Humatrope cartridge	Omnitrope vial
Humatrope vial	Serostim vial
Ngenla pen	Skytrofa
Nutropin AQ Pen	Sogroya
Omnitrope cartridge	Zomacton vial
	Zorbtive vial

If recipient is over 21 years of age a manual clinical PA is required for preferred agents.

[Specific form is available on the OHHS website.](#)

If recipient is over 21 years of age a manual clinical PA (specific form is available on the OHHS website) is required as well as a claim for a preferred agent in the past 90 days for a non-preferred agents. If the recipient is under 21 years of age a claim for a preferred agent in the past 90 days is required for a non-preferred agent.

[Specific form is available on the OHHS website.](#)

H. Pylori Treatment

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/27/2015

Current Review Date: 6/2/2025

No PA Required**H. Pylori Treatment**

Pylera

PA Required**H. Pylori Treatment**

bismuth/metronid/tetracycline
 lansoprazole/amoxicillin/clarithromycin
 Omeclamox-Pak
 Talicia
 Voquezna tab/dual pak/triple pak

HAE Treatment

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 1/10/2023

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

No PA Required**HAE Treatment**

icatibant
 Berniert
 Cinryze
 Kalbitor
 Sajazir

PA Required**HAE Treatment**

Firazyr
 Haegarda
 Orladeyo
 Ruconest
 Takhzyro syringe
 Takhzyro vial

Hemophilia Treatment

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 1/10/2023

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

No PA Required		PA Required
<u>Hemophilia Treatment</u>		<u>Hemophilia Treatment</u>
Advate	Idelvion	
Adynovate	Ixinity	
Afstyla	Jivi	
Alhemo ^{NR}	Koate-DVI Kit	
Alphanate	Koate-DVI Vial	
Alphanine SD	Kovaltry	
Alprolix	Novoeight	
Altuviiio	Novoseven RT	
Balfaxar	Nuwiq	
Benefix Kit	Obizur	
Beqvez	Profilnine SD	
Coagadex	Rebinyon	
Corifact Kit	Recombinate	
Eloctate	Rixubis	
Esperoct	Sevenfact	
Feiba NF	Tretten	
Hemlibra	Vonvendi	
Hemofil-M	Wilate	
Humate-P Kit	Xyntha Kit	
Hypmavzi pen	Xyntha Solofuse Syringe Kit	
<u>Gene Therapy</u>		
Hemgenix*	Roctavian*	

* Manual clinical PA Required

<http://www.eohhs.ri.gov/ProvidersPartners/GeneralInformation/ProviderDirectories/Pharmacy/PharmacyPriorAuthorizationProgram.aspx>

Hepatitis C Agents

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 10/15/2007

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required	PA Required
<u>Pegylated Interferons</u>	<u>Pegylated Interferons</u>
Pegasys	
<u>Ribavirins</u>	<u>Ribavirins</u>
ribavirin	

Hepatitis C Agents, Other

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 10/15/2007

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

<u>Other Hepatitis C Agents</u>	
No PA Required	Clinical PA Required + Trial of Preferred Agent
Mavyret	
Mavyret Pellets	
<u>Other Hepatitis C Agents</u>	<u>Other Hepatitis C Agents</u>
PA Required	PA Required
	ledipasvir-sofosbuvir
	sofosbuvir/velpatasvir
	Epclusa
	Harvoni pellet/tablet
	Sovaldi
	Vosevi
	Zepatier

HIV/AIDS

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/27/2020

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

	No PA Required	PA Required
abacavir	Epivir	Trogarzo
abacavir-lamivudine	Epzicom	
atazanavir sulfate	Evotaz	
cabotegravir ER	Fuzeon	
darunavir	Genvoya	
didanosine capsule	Intelence	
efavirenz	Isentress	
efavir-emtri-tenof	Isentress HD	
efavir-lamiv-tenof	Juluca	
emtricitabine	Kaletra	
emtricitabine-tenof	Lexiva	
etravirine	Norvir	
fosamprenavir calcium	Odefsey	
lamivudine	Pifeltro	
lamivudine-zidovudine	Prezcobix	
lopinavir-ritonavir	Prezista	
maraviroc	Retrovir	
nevirapine	Reyataz	
nevirapine ER	Rukobia	
rilpivirine ER	Selzentry solution/ tablet	
ritonavir	Stribild	
stavudine	Sunlenca	
tenofovir disoproxil fumarate	Symfi	
zidovudine	Symfi Lo	
Apretude	Symtuza	
Aptivus	Tivicay	
Atripla	Tivicay PD	
Biktarvy	Triumeq	
Cabenuva	Triumeq PD	
Cimduo	Trizivir	
Combivir	Truvada	
Complera	Tybost	
Delstrigo	Viracept	
Descovy	Viread	
Dovato	Vocabria tablet	
Edurant	Ziagen	
Emtriva		

Hypoglycemics

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/1/2007

Current Review Date: 6/2/2025

No PA Required**Alpha-Glucosidase Inhibitors**

acarbose

Incretin Mimetics/Enhancers**Amylin Analogs**

n/a

PA Required**Alpha-Glucosidase Inhibitors**

miglitol

Precose

Incretin Mimetics/Enhancers**Amylin Analogs**

Symlin/pen (History of use of mealtime

Insulin)

Clinical Criteria for DPP-IV Inhibitors - History of either metformin or TZD therapy in the past 90 days

DPP-IV Inhibitors

Janumet

Janumet XR

Januvia

Jentadueto

Tradjenta

DPP-IV Inhibitors

alogliptin

alogliptin/metformin

alogliptin/pioglitazone

saxagliptin

saxagliptin/metformin ER

sitagliptin (AG) (Zituvio)^{NR}sitagliptin-metformin (AG)(Zituvimet)^{NR}

Glyxambi

Jentadueto XR

Kazano

Kombiglyze ER

Nesina

Onglyza

Oseni

Q-tern

Steglujan

Trijardy XR

Zituvimet^{NR}Zituvimet XR^{NR}

Zituvio

Clinical Criteria for GLP-1 Receptor Agonists - History of either metformin or TZD therapy in the past 90 days

No PA Required**GLP-1 Receptor Agonists**

Bydureon pen

Byetta

Ozempic

Trulicity

Victoza

PA Required**GLP-1 Receptor Agonists**exenatide pen (generic Byetta)^{NR}liraglutide(AG)^{NR}

Adlyxin

Bydureon Bcise

Mounjaro

Rybelsus

Soliqua

Tanzeum

Xultophy

No PA Required**Insulins****Insulins Long Acting**

Lantus vial

Lantus solostar

PA Required**Insulins****Insulins Long Acting**

insulin degludec pen (U-100)

insulin degludec pen (U-200)

insulin degludec

insulin glargine pen

insulin glargine vial

insulin glargine-YFGN pen

insulin glargine-YFGN vial

Basaglar Kwikpen U-100

Levemir pen

Levemir vial

Rezvoglar Kwikpen

Semglee-YFGN

Toujeo Solostar

Toujeo Max Solostar

Tresiba Flextouch/vial

Hypoglycemics - Continued

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/1/2007

Current Review Date: 6/2/2025

No PA RequiredInsulins Short Acting

insulin aspart cartridge
 insulin aspart flexpen
 insulin aspart vial
 insulin aspart/insulin aspart protamine
 insulin pen
 insulin aspart/insulin aspart protamine
 insulin vial
 insulin lispro kwikpen u-100
 insulin lispro
 insulin lispro junior kwikpen (AG)

 insulin lispro protamine mix kwikpen (AG)
 Fiasp
 Fiasp Flextouch
 Fiasp penfill
 Humulin 70/30 pen
 Humulin 70/30 vial
 Humulin N 100 U/ML vial
 Humulin R 100 U/ML vial
 Humulin 500 U/ML pen
 Humulin R 500 U/ML vial

PA RequiredInsulins Short Acting

Admelog	Humalog 200 U/ML pen
Admelog Solostar	Humalog Tempo Pen U-100
Afrezza	Humulin pen
Afrezza cartridge	Lyumjev 100 U/ML pen
Apidra vial/solostar	Lyumjev 200 U/ML pen
Basaglar Tempo Pen U-100	Lyumjev Tempo Pen U-100
Fiasp pumpcart	Lyumjev vial
Humalog cartridge	Myxredlin
Humalog Jr Kwikpen	Novolin 70/30 pen
Humalog 100 U/ML vial	Novolin 70/30 vial
Humalog 100 U/ML kwikpen	Novolin vial
Humalog mix 50-50 vial	Novolog 100 U/ML cartridge
Humalog mix 50-50 kwikpen	Novolog 100 U/ML vial
Humalog mix 75-25 vial	Novolog 100 U/ML flexpen
Humalog mix 75-25 kwikpen	Novolog mix 70-30 flexpen syringe
	Novolog mix 70-30 vial

Meglitinides

nateglinide
 repaglinide

Meglitinides

repaglinide/metformin
 Prandin

Metformins

metformin tablet
 metformin ER (generic Glucophage XR)

Metformins

metformin ER (generic Fortamet)
 metformin ER (generic for Glumetza)
 Fortamet
 Glucophage/XR
 Glumetza
 Riomet solution

No PA RequiredMetformins Combinations

glyburide/metformin

PA RequiredMetformins Combinations

glipizide/metformin

SGLT2 and Combinations

Farxiga*
 Jardiance*
 Xigduo XR*
 Synjardy*

SGLT2 and Combinations

Inpefa
 Invokamet
 Invokana
 Invokamet XR
 Segluromet
 Steglatro
 Synjardy XR

* 2 single metformin agents or 1 combination metformin agent in the past 30 days

Sulfonylureas

glipizide/ER/XL

Sulfonylureas

glimepiride
 glyburide/micronized
 Glucotrol/XL
 Glynase

TZD

pioglitazone

TZD

Actos

Hypoglycemics - Continued

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/1/2007

Current Review Date: 6/2/2025

No PA Required**PA Required**

The use of single agents are preferred in these sub categories

TZD/Metformin Combinations**TZD/Metformin Combinations**

pioglitazone-metformin

Actoplus Met

Actoplus Met XR

TZD/Sulfonylurea Combinations**TZD/Sulfonylurea Combinations**

pioglitazone-glimepride

Duetact

Immunomodulators, Asthma

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/9/2022

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**PA Required****Immunomodulators, Asthma****Immunomodulators, Asthma**

Fasenra pen

Cinqair

Fasenra syringe

Nucala auto-injector

Xolair autoinjector

Nucala syringe

Xolair syringe

Nucala vial

Tezspire

Tezspire pen

Immunomodulators, Atopic Dermatitis

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 10/15/2007

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

Step Edit - Failure of topical medium/high anti-inflammatory steroid in the last 3 months. Excludes hydrocortisone.

No PA Required**PA Required****Immunomodulators, Atopic Dermatitis****Immunomodulators, Atopic Dermatitis**

pimecrolimus cream

Adbry

tacrolimus

Adbry autoinjector

Elidel

Dupixent

Eucrisa

Dupixent pen

Ebglyss pen^{NR}Ebglyss syringe^{NR}

Nemluvio pen

Opzelura*

Protopic (discontinued)

Zoryve 0.15% cream

Zoryve foam

* Manual PA required

Immunomodulators, Topical

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/27/2015

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**PA Required****Immunomodulators, Topical****Immunomodulators, Topical**

imiquimod (Aldara)

imiquimod (Zyclara)

podofilox

podofilox gel

podofilox solution

Condylox

Veregen

Zyclara

Intranasal Rhinitis

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/1/2007

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Steroids**

fluticasone

Dymista

Nasonex OTC

PA Required**Steroids**

azelastine/fluticasone

flunisolide

mometasone nasal

Beconase AQ

Omnaris

QNasl

Ryaltris

Sinuva

Xhance

Zetonna

Antihistamines & Other

azelastine (generic Astelin)

ipratropium (nasal)

Antihistamines & Other

azeastine (generic Astepro)

olopatadine

Leukotriene Modifiers

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/1/2007

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Leukotriene Modifiers**

montelukast chewable tablet

montelukast tablet

PA Required**Leukotriene Modifiers**

montelukast granules

zafirlukast/ (AG)

zileuton ER

Accolate

Singulair

Zyflo/CR

Lipotropics, Other

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/1/2007

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

No PA Required**ANGPTL3 Inhibitor****PA Required****ANGPTL3 Inhibitor**

Evkeeza

ACL Inhibitor**ACL Inhibitor**

Nexletol

Antihyperlipidemic APOB-100**Synthesis Inhibitor****Antihyperlipidemic APOB-100****Synthesis Inhibitor**

Tryngolza *

Antihyperlipidemic Combinations**Antihyperlipidemic Combinations**

Nexlizet

No PA Required**Bile Acid Resins**

cholestyramine/aspartame

colestipol tablet

Prevalite

PA Required**Bile Acid Resins**

colesevelam

colestipol granules/packet

cholestyramine/sucrose

Colestid tablet/granules/packet

Questran

Welchol

Cholesterol Absorption Inhibitors

ezetimibe

Cholesterol Absorption Inhibitors

Zetia

* Manual PA required

Lipotropics, Other - Continued

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/1/2007

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

Fibric Acid Derivativesfenofibrate tablet (Lofibra)
fenofibrate tablet (Tricor)
gemfibrozilfenofibrate (Antara, Fenoglide, Lipofen)
fenofibrate capsule (Lofibra)
fenobibric acid (Fibricor, Trilipix)
Antara
Fenoglide**Fibric Acid Derivatives**Lipofen
Lopid
Tricor
Trilipix**MTP Inhibitor****Niacins****Omega-3 Fatty Acids**

omega-3 acid ethyl esters

MTP Inhibitor

Juxtapid

Niacinsniacin ER
niacin/ER OTC
Niacor
Niaspan**Omega-3 Fatty Acids**icosapent ethyl
Lovaza**PCSK9 Inhibitors****PCSK9 Inhibitors**Leqvio*
Praluent pen/syringe*
Repatha*

* Manual PA required

Lipotropics, Statins

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/1/2007

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

Statinsatorvastatin
lovastatin
pravastatin
rosuvastatin
simvastatin**Statins**fluvastatin/ER
pitavastatin
Altoprev
Atorvaliq
Ezallor sprinkleFlolipid
Lescol/XL
Lipitor
Livalo
Zocor
Zypitamag**Statin Combinations****Statin Combinations***amlodipine-atorvastatin
amlodipine-atorvastatin (AG)
ezetimibe-simvastatin
Caduet
Vytorin

* 1 paid claim for a statin in the past 90 days

Macrolides/Ketolides

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/1/2007

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Macrolides/Ketolides**

azithromycin suspension, tablet
clarithromycin tablet
erythromycin base capsule
erythromycin ethylsuccinate 200
suspension

PA Required**Macrolides/Ketolides**

azithromycin packet
clarithromycin ER
clarithromycin suspension

erythromycin base tablet
erythromycin ethylsuccinate 400
suspension
erythromycin ES 400 mg tab
E.E.S. 200 suspension
E.E.S. 400 tablet
Eryped 200 suspension
Eryped 400 suspension
Ery-tab
Erythrocin
Zithromax

Methotrexate

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 9/2/2015

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Methotrexate**

methotrexate injection
methotrexate PF
methotrexate tablet

PA Required**Methotrexate**

methotrexate PF vial (AG)
Jylamvo solution^{NR}
Otrexup Auto Injector
Rasuvo Auto Injector
Trexall
Xatmep

Movement Disorders

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 01/28/2021

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

No PA Required**Movement Disorders**

tetrabenazine
Austedo
Austedo XR

PA Required**Movement Disorders**

Austedo Titration Kit
Austedo XR Titration Pack (Wk 1-4)
Ingrezza
Ingrezza Initiation Pack
Ingrezza Sprinkle
Xenazine

Multiple Sclerosis

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/15/2008

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

No PA Required**Multiple Sclerosis**

dalfampridine ER
dimethyl fumarate DR
dimethyl fumarate DR (AG)
dimethyl fumarate DR starter pack
fingolimod
teriflunomide tablet
Avonex
Avonex pen
Copaxone 20mg/ml syringe kit
Kesimpta pen

PA Required**Multiple Sclerosis**

glatiramer 20 and 40 mg/ml	Ocrevus
Ampyra	Ocrevus Zunovo ^{NR}
Aubagio	Plegridy
Bafiertam DR	Ponvory starter pack
Betaseron kit	Ponvory tablet
Briumvi	Rebif
Copaxone 40mg/ml	Rebif Rebidose Pen
Gilenya	Tascenso ODT
Lemtrada	Tecfidera
Mavenclad	Tecfidera starter pack
Mayzent dose pack	Tysabri
Mayzent tablet	Vumerity
	Zeposia capsule
	Zeposia pack

Neuropathic Pain & Select Agents

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 1/17/2013

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

No PA Required**Oral**

duloxetine (generic Cymbalta)

gabapentin capsule

gabapentin tablet

pregabalin capsule

Lyrica solution

Savella*

PA Required**Oral**

duloxetine (generic Irenka)

gabapentin ER (generic Gralise)^{NR}

gabapentin solution

gabapentin solution (AG)

pregabalin ER

pregabalin solution

Cymbalta

Drizalma Sprinkle

Gabarone^{NR}

Gralise

Horizant/ER**

Journavx^{NR}

Lyrica**

Lyrica CR**

Neurontin

Savella dose pack

* Diagnosis of Fibromyalgia in the past year and a claim for a preferred agent

the past year and a claim for Lyrica or Savella in the past 60 days OR Diagnosis of Diabetic Peripheral Neuropathy or Post Herpetic Neuralgia

No PA Required**Topical*****

capsaicin

Lidoderm

***Step edit failure on one oral NSAID

PA Required**Topical*****dermacinrx lidocan patch^{NR}

lidocaine patch

Lidocan II^{NR}

Qutenza Kit

Xyliderm^{NR}

Ztlido

NSAIDs and Combination Products

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 10/15/2007

Current Review Date: 10/1/2024

No PA Required**Oral**

celecoxib****

diclofenac potassium

diclofenac sodium

ibuprofen susp/tablet

indomethacin capsule

meloxicam tablet

naproxen tablet

piroxicam

sulindac

PA Required**Oral**

diclofenac sodium misoprostol

diclofenac SR

diclofenac

diflunisal

etodolac

fenoprofen

flurbiprofen

ibuprofen-famotidine

indomethacin capsule ER

ketoprofen/ER

ketorolac (oral)

ketorolac (AG Sprix)

meclofenamate

mefenamic acid

meloxicam capsule

nabumetone

naproxen DR tablet

naproxen-esomeprazole DR

naproxen sodium tablet

naproxen sodium CR tablet

naproxen sodium ER tablet

naproxen suspension

oxaprozin

tolmetin sodium tablet

Arthrotec

Celebrex***

Daypro

Dolobid^{NR}

Feldene

Lofena tablet

Nalfon

Naprelan

Naprosyn

Relafen DS

Vimovo

****A claim for an anticoagulant in the past 30 days or a diagnosis of a gastrointestinal hemorrhage in the past year

*** Claim for a preferred agent in the past 90 days and a claim for an anticoagulant in the past 30 days or a diagnosis of a gastrointestinal hemorrhage in the past year.

NSAIDs and Combination Products - Continued

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 10/15/2007

Current Review Date: 10/1/2024

No PA Required**Topical**

diclofenac sodium gel (rx)*

PA Required**Topical**

diclofenac epolamine
pump)
diclofenac DC
Diclogen kit^{NR}
Pennsaid
Pennsaid solution packet
Tresni (rectal)^{NR}

* Failure of an oral NSAID

Ophthalmics

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 10/15/2007

Current Review Date: 10/1/2024

No PA Required**Allergic Conjunctivitis**

cromolyn sodium
olopatadine (RX)

PA Required**Allergic Conjunctivitis**

azelastine ophth 0.05%
bepotastine
epinastine
loteprednol

Alocril
Alomide
Alrex
Bepreve
Zerviate

No PA Required**Antibiotics**

bacitracin/polymyxin ointment
ciprofloxacin solution
erythromycin ophth
gentamicin drops/ointment
moxifloxacin (Vigamox)
ofloxacin
polymyxin/trimethoprim
tobramycin ophth
Ocuflox
Tobrex ointment

PA Required**Antibiotics**

bacitracin ointment
gatifloxacin
moxifloxacin (Moxeza)
moxifloxacin HCL-BSS
neomycin/bacitracin/polymyxin oint
neomycin-polymyxin-gramicidin
sulfacetamide ointment
sulfacetamide solution
Azasite

Besivance
Bleph-10
Ciloxan Ointment
Moxeza
Natacyn
Vigamox

Antibiotic-Steroid Combinations

neomycin/polymyxin/desamethasone
tobramycin/dexamethasone suspension
Tobradex suspension
Tobradex ointment

Antibiotics-Steroid Combinations

neomycin/bacitracin/poly/HC
neomycin/polymyxin/HC
sulfacetamide/prednisolone
Maxitrol drops suspension
Maxitrol ointment
Tobradex ST
Zylet

No PA Required**Anti-Inflammatory**

diclofenac
fluorometholone
flurbiprofen sodium
ketorolac ophth 0.5%
Lotemax drops
Maxidex
Pred Mild

PA Required**Anti-Inflammatory**

bromfenac
bromfenac (AG) (Bromsite)
bromfenac (Bromsite)
bromfenac (AG) (Prolensa)
bromfenac (Prolensa)
dexamethasone
difluprednate
ketorolac ophth 0.4% (LS)
loteprednol etabonate
loteprednol etabonate gel
prednisolone acetate
prednisolone sod phosphate
Acular/LS

Acuvail
Bromsite
Durezol
Eysuvis
Flarex
FML
FML Forte
Ilevro
Inveltys
Lotemax gel/ointment
Nevanac
Prolensa

Ophthalmics - continued

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 1/22/2018

Current Review Date: 10/1/2024

Inflammatory/Immunomodulators**No PA Required**

Restasis
Restasis multidose
Xiidra

Inflammatory/Immunomodulators**PA Required**

cyclosporine
cyclosporine (AG)
Cequa
Eysuvis
Miebo
Tyrvaya
Verkazia
Vevye

Ophthalmics - Glaucoma

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 10/15/2007

Current Review Date: 10/1/2024

No PA Required**Alpha-2 Adrenergic Agonists**

brimonidine 0.2%
Alphagan P

PA Required**Alpha-2 Adrenergic Agonists**

apradondine
brimonidine 0.15%
brimonidine 0.1%^{NR}
lopidine

Beta Blockers

timolol 0.25% gel-solution
timolol 0.25% GFS gel-solution
timolol 0.5% gel-solution
timolol 0.5% GFS gel-solution
timolol maleate 0.25% eye drop
timolol maleate 0.5% eye drop
Combigan

Beta Blockers

betaxolol
brimonidine tartrate-timolol^{NR}
carteolol
levobunolol
timolol (generic Betimol)^{NR}
timolol 0.5% drop (generic Istalol)
timolol maleate 0.5% drop (AG Istalol)
Akbeta
Betimol
Betopic S
Istalol
Ocupress
Timoptic/XE

Carbonic Anhydrase Inhibitors

dorzolamide
dorzolamide/timolol
Azopt
Simbrinza

Carbonic Anhydrase Inhibitors

brinzolamide
dorzolamide/timolol (gen Cosopt PF)
Cosopt
Cosopt PF

Prostaglandin Agonists

latanoprost
Lumigan
Travatan/Z

Prostaglandin Agonists

bimatoprost
tafluprost
travoprost
Iyuzeh^{NR}
Vyzulta
Xalatan
Xelpros
Zioptan

Other

Phospholine Iodide
pilocarpine
Rhopressa
Rocklatan

Other

pilocarpine^{NR} (generic Vuity)
Vuity

Opiate Dependence Treatment

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 9/2/2015

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Buprenorphine and Related Agents**

buprenorphine SL tablet
buprenorphine/naloxone SL tab
Brixadi weekly/monthly
Sublocade
Suboxone Film

PA Required**Buprenorphine and Related Agents**

buprenorphine/naloxone film
Zubsolv

No PA Required**Opiate Dependence, Other**

naloxone syringe
naloxone vial
naltrexone tablet
Narcan Spray/OTC

PA Required**Opiate Dependence, Other**

lofexidine tablet^{NR}
naloxone nasal spray
Opvee nasal spray
Kloxxado
Lucemyra
Rextovy spray
Vivitrol
Zimhi

Otic Antibiotics

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 10/15/2007

Current Review Date: 10/1/2024

No PA Required**Otic Antibiotics**

neomycin/polymixin/HC soln/susp
neomycin/polymixin/HC soln/susp (AG)
ofloxacin otic
Cipro HC

PA Required**Otic Antibiotics**

ciprofloxacin/dexamethasone
ciprofloxacin/dexamethasone (AG)
ciprofloxacin HCL-fluocinolone
ciprofloxacin otic
Coly-mycin S
Corisporin-TC
Otioprio
Otovel

Otic Anti-Infectives & Anesthetics

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 12/02/2019

Current Review Date: 10/1/2024

No PA Required**Otic Anti-Infectives & Anesthetics**

acetic acid

PA Required**Otic Anti-Infectives & Anesthetics**

hydrocortisone-acetic acid solution

Otic Anti-Inflammatories

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 12/02/2019

Current Review Date: 10/1/2024

No PA Required**Otic Anti-Inflammatories**

Dermotic

PA Required**Otic Anti-Inflammatories**

fluocinolone 0.01% oil
Flac otic oil

Pancreatic Enzymes

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/11/2012

Current Review Date: 6/2/2025

No PA Required**Pancreatic Enzymes**

Creon
Viokace
Zenpep

PA Required**Pancreatic Enzymes**

Pertzye

Phosphate Binders

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 10/15/2007

Current Review Date: 6/2/2025

No PA Required**Phosphate Binders**

calcium acetate capsule/gel cap
 sevelamer carbonate powder pack
 sevelamer carbonate tablet

PA Required**Phosphate Binders**

calcium acetate tablet
 ferric citrate^{NR}
 lanthanum carbonate
 sevelamer HCL
 sevelamer HCL (AG)
 sevelamer carbonate tablet (AG)
 Auryxia
 Fosrenol powder pack
 Fosrenol tablet chewable
 Renvela powder pack
 Renvela tablets
 Velphoro
 Xphozah

Pituitary Suppressive Agents, LHRH

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/9/2022

Current Review Date: 6/2/2025

No PA Required**Pituitary Suppressive Agents, LHRH**

Fensolvi

PA Required**Pituitary Suppressive Agents, LHRH**

leuprolide acetate	Lupron Depot-Ped Kit
leuprolide depot	Supprelin La Kit
Camcevi	Synarel
Eligard	Trelstar
Lupron Depot	Trelstar La
Lupron Depot Kit	Triptodur Kit/Vial
Lupron Depot-Ped	

Platelet Inhibitors

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 1/5/2009

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

No PA Required**Platelet Inhibitors**

clopidogrel
 dipyridamole
 prasugrel
 Brilinta

PA Required**Platelet Inhibitors**

aspirin-dipyridamole ER
 ticagrelor^{NR}
 Effient
 Plavix

Potassium Binders

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/27/2020

Current Review Date: 6/2/2025

No PA Required**Potassium Binders**

Lokelma
 sodium polystyrene sulfonate powder

PA Required**Potassium Binders**

sodium polystyrene sulfonate susp^{NR}
 Lokelma unit dose
 Veltassa

Progestins for Cachexia

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 1/22/2018

Current Review Date: 6/2/2025

No PA Required**Progestins for Cachexia**

megestrol suspension (Megace)

PA Required**Progestins for Cachexia**

megestrol suspension (Megace ES)

Proton Pump Inhibitors

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/1/2007

Current Review Date: 6/2/2025

No PA Required**Proton Pump Inhibitors**omeprazole
pantoprazole
Nexium suspension**PA Required****Proton Pump Inhibitors**

dexlansoprazole capsules	Konvomep
esomeprazole capsules/kit	Nexium capsules
esomeprazole magnesium	Prevacid capsules/solutabs
lansoprazole capsules	Prilosec suspension
pantoprazole suspension	Prilosec
rabeprazole	Protonix
Dexilant	Protonix suspension
Esomep-EZS kit	Zegerid

Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension (PAH) Agents

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 1/5/2009

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

[Clinical Prior Authorization Required for Entire Class/Manual PA](#)**No PA Required****PAH Agents**ambrisentan
bosentan
sildenafil suspension
sildenafil suspension (AG)
sildenafil tablet**PA Required****PAH Agents**

tadalafil	Ravatio suspension
Adcirca	Revatio tablet
Adempas	Tadliq suspension
Alyq	Tracleer suspension
Letairis	Tracleer tablet
Ligrey	Tyvaso
Opsumit	Tyvaso DPI
Opsynvi tablet	Upravi
Orentram ER	Ventavis
Orentram titration kit	

Rosacea Agents, Topical

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 01/02/2018

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Requiredmetronidazole cream
metronidazole gel
Rosadan cream
Rosadan gel**PA Required**azelaic acid
brimonidine gel
ivermectin
metronidazole lotion
Epsolay
Finacea foam
Metrocream
Metrogel
Mirvaso gen pump
Noritate
Rosadan cream/gel kit
Soolantra cream

Sedative Hypnotics

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/1/2007

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

No PA Required**Sedative Hypnotics**temazepam 15 & 30 mg
zolpidem tablet**PA Required****Sedative Hypnotics**

doxepin 3 & 6mg	Dayvigo
eszopiclone	Doral
estazolam	Edluar
quazepam	Halcion
ramelteon	Hetlioz
tasimelteon	Igalmi
temazepam 7.5 & 22.5 mg	Intermezzo
zaleplon	Lunesta
zolpidem capsule	Quviviq
zolpidem ER	Restoril
zolpidem SL	Rozerem
Ambien/CR	
Belsomra	

**triazolam - no longer covered by RI Medicaid

Sickle Cell Anemia Treatments

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 06/2/2025

Current Review Date: 06/2/2025

No PA Required**Sickle Cell Anemia Treatments**hydroxyurea
Adakveo
Casgevy
Endari
Lyfgenia
Siklos (Age limit 2-17 yoa)**PA Required****Sickle Cell Anemia Treatments**glutamine powder pack
Droxia**Skeletal Muscle Relaxants**

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/6/2009

Current Review Date: 10/1/2024

No PA Required**Skeletal Muscle Relaxants**baclofen tablet
cyclobenzaprine
methocarbamol
tizanidine capsule
tizanidine tablet**PA Required****Skeletal Muscle Relaxants**baclofen solution/suspension
chlorzoxazone
cyclobenzaprine HCL ER
dantrolene
metaxalone
orphenadrine ER/compound
tanlor
Amrix
Dantrium
Fexmid
Fleqsuvy
Lorzone
Lyvispah
Norgesic Forte
Zanaflex

**carisoprodol and Soma - no longer covered by RI Medicaid

Steroids

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/31/2013

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Topical High**

betamethasone dipropionate cream/lotion
betamethasone dipropionate/prop gly
cream
betamethasone valerate cream
fluocinonide cream, ointment, solution
triamcinolone acetone cream, lotion,
ointment

PA Required**Topical High**

amcinonide	halcinonide cream
betamethasone dipropionate gel, ointment	halcinonide solution ^{NR}
betamethasone valerate lotion	triamcinolone spray
betamethasone valerate ointment	Diprolene
desoximetasone	Hallog
diflorasone diacetate	Kenalog aerosol
fluocinonide emollient, gel	Topicort
fluocinonide E cream	Vanos

Steroids - Continued

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/31/2013

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Topical Low**

hydrocortisone cream 1% rx
hydrocortisone lotion 1% rx
hydrocortisone ointment 1% rx

PA Required**Topical Low**

alclometasone dipropionate cream
alclometasone dipropionate ointment
desonide cream
desonide lotion
desonide ointment
hydrocortisone lotion complete kit
hydrocortisone solution^{NR}
tridesilon
Aqua-Glycolic HC
Capex shampoo
Derma-Smoother-FS
Hydroxym gel
Texacort

Steroids - Continued

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 5/31/2013

Current Review Date: 7/2/2024

No PA Required**Topical Medium**

fluticasone propionate cream
fluticasone propionate ointment
mometasone furoate cream
mometasone furoate ointment
mometasone furoate solution

PA Required**Topical Medium**

betamethasone valerate foam	Beser / Beser Kit
clacortolone	Cloderm
fluocinolone acetone cream	Cordran tape/ointment
fluocinolone acetone ointment	Dermatop cream, ointment
fluocinolone acetone solution	Elocon cream, ointment, solution
flurandrenolide	Oralene
fluticasone propionate lotion	Pandel
hydrocortisone valerate cream	Prednicarbate cream
hydrocortisone valerate ointment	Prednicarbate ointment
hydrocortisone butyrate cream, emollient, lotion, ointment, solution	Synalar cream & ointment kit, solution
triamcinolone paste (dental)	Synalar TS kit

No PA Required**Topical Very High**

clobetasol propionate cream
clobetasol propionate ointment
clobetasol solution
halobetasol propionate cream
halobetasol propionate ointment

PA Required**Topical Very High**

clobetasol emollient	Clobex shampoo
clobetasol lotion	Clobex spray
clobetasol shampoo	Clodan
clobetasol propionate foam	Lexette
clobetasol propionate gel	Olux
clobetasol propionate spray	Temovate ointment
halobetasol propionate foam	Tovet kit
Apexicon E	Ultravate
Bryhali	

Stimulants and Related Agents

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 1/15/2008

[Clinical prior authorization required for age greater than 21](#)

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

No PA Required**Stimulants and Related Agents**

amphetamine salt combo tablet
 amphetamine salt combo ER
 atomoxetine
 clonidine ER
 dexmethylphenidate
 dexmethylphenidate ER
 dextroamphetamine tab
 dextroamphetamine-amphetamine ER
 guanfacine ER

methylphenidate ER (Concerta)
 methylphenidate IR

methylphenidate solution
 modafanil
 Focalin XR
 Vyvanse capsule

amphetamine sulfate tablet
 armodafinil
 dextroamphetamine solution/cap ER
 dextroamphet-amph ER(Mydayis)
 lisdexamfetamine capsule
 lisdexamfetamine chewable tablet
 methamphetamine
 methylphenidate CD

methylphenidate ER cap (Aptensio XR)
 methylphenidate ER cap (Ritalin LA)
 methylphenidate ER tab(Aptension XR)
 methylphenidate ER tab (Relexxii)
 methylphenidate chewable
 Adderall XR
 Adzenys XR ODT
 Aptensio XR
 Azstarys
 Concerta
 Cotempla XR ODT
 Daytrana

PA Required**Stimulants and Related Agents**

Dexedrine
 Dyanavel XR
 Evekeo/ODT
 Focalin
 Intuniv
 Jornay PM
 Methylin solution
 Mydayis
 Nuvigil
 Procentra
 Provigil
 Qelbree
 Quillichew ER
 Quilivant XR
 Relexxii ER
 Ritalin/ LA
 Strattera (discontinued)
 Sunosi
 Vyvanse chewable
 Wakix
 Zelstryl
 Zenedi

Ulcerative Colitis

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 7/1/2008

Current Review Date: 6/2/2025

No PA Required**Oral**

mesalamine AG (generic Lialda)
 mesalamine (generic Lialda)
 sulfasalazine/DR
 Apriso
 Pentasa

PA Required**Oral**

balsalazide
 budesonide DR
 mesalamine (generic Asacol HD)
 mesalamine ER (generic Apariso)
 mesalamine ER (generic Pentasa)
 mesalamine DR (generic Delzicol)
 Azulfidine/DR
 Colazal
 Delzicol
 Dipentum
 Giazio
 Lialda
 Ortikos capsule ER
 Uceris oral

Topical

mesalamine (Canasa rectal)
 SFRowasa
 Uceris rectal

Topical

budesonide rectal
 mesalamine ER
 mesalamine kit
 mesalamine rectal
 Canasa rectal
 Rowasa rectal

Uterine Disorder Treatment

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 10/14/2020

Current Review Date: 10/1/2024

No PA Required**Uterine Disorder Treatment**

Myfembree
 Oriahnn
 Orilissa

PA Required**Uterine Disorder Treatment**

Vasodilators, Coronary

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 1/10/2023

Current Review Date: 01/14/2025

No PA Required**Vasodilators, Coronary**

isosorbide dinitrate
isosorbide mononitrate
isosorbide mononitrate SR
nitroglycerin (transderm)
nitroglycerin (transderm) (AG)
Nitrostat

PA Required**Vasodilators, Coronary**

isosorbide dinitrate (AG)
isosorbide dinit/hydralazine
isosorbide dinit/hydralazine (AG)
nitroglycerin (sublingual)
nitroglycerin (translingual)
nitroglycerin (sublingual) (AG)
nitroglycerin (translingual) (AG)
Bidi
Isordil
Nitro-bid ointment
Nitro-dur patch
Nitrolingual spray
Verquvo

Weight Management Agents

Length of Authorization: 1 Year

Status Implementation: 10/03/2023

Current Review Date: 6/2/2025

[Clinical Prior Authorization Required for Entire Class/Manual PA](#)**No PA Required****Weight Management Agents**

Wegovy

PA Required**Weight Management Agents**

orlistat capsule
phentermine/topiramate^{NR}
Imcivree
Saxenda
Vykat XR tablet^{NR}
Xenical
Zepbound
Zepbound vial