Clinical Oversight Review Board (CORB) Criteria for Prescribing

Pegloticase (Krystexxa)

Non-Formulary pegloticase (Krystexxa) requires a clinical review. Appropriateness of therapy will be based on the following criteria:

Initiation (new start) criteria: Non-formulary pegloticase (Krystexxa) will be covered on the prescription drug benefit when the following criteria are met:

- Prescriber is a Rheumatologist
- Patient has symptomatic gout with one or more of the following:
 - Three gouty flares or more in the previous 18 months
 - Presence of one or more tophi
 - Chronic gouty arthritis
- Baseline serum uric acid level greater than 8 mg/dL
- Patient has a documented contraindication, intolerance to, or failure after at least a 90-day course of therapy of allopurinol AND febuxostat (failure defined as serum uric acid level greater or equal to 6 mg/dL)

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