

2019 Prior Authorization Criteria

ACTHAR	
Drug Products Affected: H.P. Acthar gel	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

ATTENTION-DEFICIT HYPERACTIVITY DISORDER (ADHD)	
Drug Products Affected: Desoxyn, Methamphetamine	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

AIDS RELATED WEIGHT LOSS	
Drug Products Affected: Dronabinol, Marinol, Serostim, Syndros	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

BOTULINUM TOXINS	
Drug Products Affected: Botox, Dysport, Xeomin	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

CARISOPRODOL PRODUCTS	
Drug Products Affected: Aspirin/Carisoprodol; Aspirin/Carisoprodol/Codeine Phosphate, Carisoprodol, Soma	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

COSMETIC INDICATION	
Drug Products Affected: Atralin, Avita, Retin-A, Retin-A Micro, Tazorac, Tretin-X, Tretinoin	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	Treatment for cosmetic purposes.
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

CYSTIC FIBROSIS	
Drug Products Affected: Kalydeco	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

DICLOFENAC PATCH	
Drug Products Affected: Flector	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

BENIGN PROSTATIC HYPERPLASIA	
Drug Products Affected: Cialis 2.5 mg, 5 mg tablets	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	Stand Alone Erectile Dysfunction
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

FERTILITY TREATMENT	
Drug Products Affected: Crinone, Chorionic gonadotropin injection, Novarel, Pregnyl	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

HEPATITIS DRUGS	
Drug Products Affected: Daklinza, Eplclusa, Harvoni, Mavyret, Olysio, Sovaldi, Technivie, Viekira Pak, Viekira XR, Vosevi, Zepatier	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	Genotype must be documented
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

HYPERCHOLESTEROLEMIA	
Drug Products Affected: Juxtapid, Kynamro, Praluent, Repatha	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

LIDOCAINE PATCH	
Drug Products Affected: Lidoderm	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS	
Drug Products Affected: Aubagio	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

NUVIGIL/PROVIGIL	
Drug Products Affected: Armodafinil, Modafinil, Nuvigil, Provigil	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

PAIN TREATMENT	
Drug Products Affected: Demerol injection, Meperidine injection	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
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PLAQUE PSORIASIS/PSORIATIC ARTHRITIS	
Drug Products Affected: Otezla, Stelara	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
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PULMONARY FIBROSIS	
Drug Products Affected: Esbriet	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
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PSEUDOBULBAR AFFECT	
Drug Products Affected: Nuedexta	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
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PULMONARY ARTERIAL HYPERTENSION	
Drug Products Affected: Adcirca, Adempas, Opsumit, Revatio, Remodulin, Sildenafil 20mg tablets, Tadalafil	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
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SKELETAL MUSCLE RELAXANTS**Drug Products Affected:** Amrix, Cyclobenzaprine, Flexmid

Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
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SOMATROPIN PRODUCTS**Drug Products Affected:** Genotropin, Humatrope, Norditropin, Nutropin, Omnitrope, Saizen, Tev-Tropin, Zomacton, Zorbtive

Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
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TASIMELTEON**Drug Products Affected:** Hetlioz

Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
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TRANSMUCOSAL IMMEDIATE RELEASE FENTANYL (TIRF)	
Drug Products Affected:	
Actiq (and generics) – fentanyl citrate, oral transmucosal lozenge	
Fentora (and generics) – fentanyl citrate, buccal tablet	
Abstral – fentanyl citrate, sublingual tablets	
Lazanda – fentanyl, nasal spray	
Subsys – fentanyl, sublingual metered spray	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	Diagnosis of Non-Cancer related pain
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis of Cancer pain. Documentation of tolerance to around-the-clock opioid therapy for their underlying persistent pain.
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Patient under care of Oncologist or Hospice/Palliative Care Specialist.
Coverage Duration	Through the End of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

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Multi-language Interpreter Services

English

ATTENTION: If you speak a language other than English, language assistance services, free of charge, are available to you. Call **1-800-232-4404** (TTY: **711**).

Spanish

ATENCIÓN: si habla español, tiene a su disposición servicios gratuitos de asistencia lingüística. Llame al **1-800-232-4404** (TTY: **711**).

Chinese

注意：如果您使用繁體中文，您可以免費獲得語言援助服務。請致電 **1-800-232-4404** (TTY: **711**)。

Vietnamese

CHÚ Ý: Nếu bạn nói Tiếng Việt, có các dịch vụ hỗ trợ ngôn ngữ miễn phí dành cho bạn. Gọi số **1-800-232-4404** (TTY: **711**).

Korean

주의: 한국어를 사용하시는 경우, 언어 지원 서비스를 무료로 이용하실 수 있습니다. **1-800-232-4404** (TTY: **711**)번으로 전화해 주십시오.

Russian

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Japanese

注意事項：日本語を話される場合、無料の言語支援をご利用いただけます。**1-800-232-4404** (TTY: **711**) まで、お電話にてご連絡ください。

Hindi

ध्यान दें: यदि आप हिंदी बोलते हैं तो आपके लिए मुफ्त में भाषा सहायता सेवाएं उपलब्ध हैं। **1-800-232-4404** (TTY: **711**) पर कॉल करें।

Amharic

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Farsi

توجه: اگر به زبان فارسی گفتگو می کنید، تسهیلات زبانی بصورت رایگان برای شما فراهم می باشد. با (TTY: 711) 1-800-232-4404 تماس بگیرید

Arabic

ملحوظة: إذا كنت تتحدث اذکر اللغة، فإن خدمات المساعدة اللغوية تتوافر لك بالمجان. اتصل برقم 4044-232-008-1 (رقم هاتف الصم والبكم: -117).

German

ACHTUNG: Wenn Sie Deutsch sprechen, stehen Ihnen kostenlos sprachliche Hilfsdienstleistungen zur Verfügung. Rufnummer: **1-800-232-4404** (TTY: 711).

French

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Portuguese

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Gujarati

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