Non-formulary vortioxetine (Brintellix®) will be covered on the prescription drug benefit when the following criteria are met:

- Diagnosis of Major Depressive Disorder (MDD) on the Problem List
- AND -
- Prior adequate trial and failure of 4 formulary agents, unless contraindication, intolerance, or allergy
  - For MDD: 2 SSRIs and 2 other agents (bupropion, mirtazapine, TCA, venlafaxine or another SSRI)
- OR -
- Patient is already stable on the drug
- OR -
- Dose Change Only: Patient previously met criteria and is already taking the drug.