

CATEGORY	Coverage Indicator	Step Order	PREFERRED DRUGS	Coverage Indicator	Step Order	NON-PREFERRED DRUGS Required	PA	Comments
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*** PLEASE NOTE: All cost effective generics applicable to DEL are considered PREFERRED Drugs. "BASIC" Covered Drugs are bolded with the Coverage Indicator**

General Criteria for all PDL categories- For more information or help using the PDL, providers may call 1-888-445-0497; members should call 1-866-796-2463. To access PDL and PA materials via the internet: www.mainearepdl.com

A: Preferred Drugs- Unless otherwise specified, preferred drugs are available without prior authorization. Step order may apply for preferred drugs in some drug categories as indicated on the PDL. (See item "D" below for ex

B: Requests for Non-preferred Drugs- Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

C: Adequate Drug Trials- 1. The minimum trial period for each preferred and step order drug is two weeks, unless otherwise stated within specific PDL drug categories; trials with less than a two week duration will be reviewed etc.); 3. Certain drug trials, such as with controlled substances, may require evidence that the preferred drugs were actually tried (example: with random pill counts and with random urine drug tests, using the methods of GC/N include prevention/treatment of common adverse effects associated with preferred agents (example: antinausea, antipruritics, etc.)

D: Step Order- When numbers appear in the "step order" column, it means drugs in this category must be used in the order specified, with the lower numbers having preference over the higher numbers. Chart notes should b

E. The Department will institute strategies to ensure cost effectiveness through the use of an enhanced Drug Benefit Preferred brand drugs will no longer be preferred in any PDL drug category where preferred generic drugs a categories will require prior authorization for these high utilization / high cost members.

F: Brand Name Medication Requests- (Must be submitted on the Brand Name PA request form)- According to MaineCare Benefits Manual Chapter II (80.07-5), when medically necessary covered brand-name drugs have an A-ra have been determined by the FDA to be chemically and therapeutically equivalent. The Bureau does not make determinations as to whether or not a generic drug is clinically inferior or inequivalent to its brand version. This is t

G: PA requests for non- FDA Approved Indications- Decisions will be made on a case-by-case basis until the DUR committee is able to review the evidence and make a recommendation. Interim approvals and DUR recommen controlled randomized clinical studies establishing both safety and efficacy.

H: Dose Consolidation Requirements- Some drugs may also be affected by dose consolidation requirements. Please see Dose Consolidation List and/or Splitting Tables provided in the PDL.

I. Trials from Multiple Drug Classes - Trial/failure/intolerance to preferred agents from multiple classes within the same category or other categories of drugs may be required prior to the approval of non-preferred agents (e.g., t

J. Drug-specific PA Forms- Drug-specific PA forms contain medical necessity documentation requirements and/or criteria that may not be repeated in the PDL. Drug-specific PA forms may be obtained on the web at www.mai

K. PA Exemptions for Prescribers- According to MaineCare Benefits Manual Chapter II (80.07-4), providers may receive a three (3) month exemption from prior authorization requirement for certain categories of drugs when the the exemption. If a provider loses his/ her exemption, members who previously were not required to obtain a PA while the prescriber was exempt will be required to do so, and criteria for approval of that medication will need t

L: Drug-Drug Interactions (DDI)- The DUR Committee has implemented new drug-drug interaction edits requiring prior authorization. Several drug-drug combinations and PDL drug categories are affected by new PA requiremen

ASSORTED ANTIBIOTICS

BETA-LACTAMS / CLAVULANATE COMBO'S	MC/DEL		AMOXICILLIN	MC/DEL		AUGMENTIN ³	3. Chewable 125mg & 250mg and Solution 125mg/5ml and 250mg/5ml available without PA. 4. Use preferred generic amoxicillin/clavulanate potassium alternatives. Use PA Form# 20420
	MC/DEL		AMOXICILLIN/POTASSIUM CLA CHEW	MC/DEL		AUGMENTIN XR TB12 ⁴	
	MC/DEL		AMOXICILLIN/POTASSIUM CLA SUSR				
	MC/DEL		AMOXICILLIN/POTASSIUM CLA TABS				
	MC/DEL		AMPICILLIN				
	MC		BICILLIN L-A SUSP				
	MC/DEL		DICLOXACILLIN SODIUM CAPS				
	MC		OXACILLIN SODIUM SOLR				
	MC/DEL		PENICILLIN V POTASSIUM				
	MC		TIMENTIN SOLR				

	MC MC/DEL	UNASYN SOLR ZOSYN				
CEPHALOSPORINS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC	CEFADROXIL HEMIHYDRATE CEFAZOLIN SODIUM SOLR CEFDINIR CEFEPIME CEFPODOXIME CEFPROZIL CEFTAZIDIME 6MG CEFTIN SUSP CEFTRIAZONE CEFUROXIME AXETIL TABS CEPHALEXIN MONOHYDRATE FORTAZ SOLR SUPRAX ² TAZICEF 6GM	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL		CEDAX CEFACLOR ¹ CEFADROXIL MONOHYDRATE TABS CEFTIN FORTAZ FORTAZ SOLN KEFLEX CAPS OMNICEF ROCEPHIN TAZICEF SOLR TEFLARO	1. Both brand and generic are clinically non-preferred. 2. Dosing limits apply, please see Dosage Consolidation List. Use PA Form# 20420
MACROLIDES / ERYTHROMYCIN'S	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC/DEL	AZITHROMYCIN TABS AZITHROMYCIN SUSP E.E.S. ERYPED 200 SUSR ERYPED 400 SUSR ERY-TAB TBEC ERYTHROCIN STEARATE TABS ERYTHROMYCIN	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		AZITHROMYCIN POW CLARITHROMYCIN SUSP CLARITHROMYCIN TABS DIFICID PCE TBEC ZITHROMAX TABS ZITHROMAX 1GM PAK ZITHROMAX TRI-PAK ZITHROMAX SUSP ZMAX	1. 7- Day supply per month without PA. Use PA Form# 20420
TETRACYCLINES	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	DOXYCYCLINE MONOHYDRATE 100mg & 50mg CAPS MINOCYCLINE HCL CAPS TETRACYCLINE HCL CAPS VIBRAMYCIN SYRP	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL		DECLOMYCIN TABS DORYX CPEP DOXYCYCLINE HYCLATE DOXYCYCLINE MONOHYDRATE 150mg & 75mg CAPS DYNACIN CAPS ORACEA PERIOSTAT SOLODYN ER	Use PA Form# 20420
FLUOROQUINOLONES	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	CIPROFLOXACIN LEVOFLOXACIN OFLOXACIN	MC MC MC MC MC MC		AVELOX SOLN AVELOX TABS AVELOX ABC PACK TABS CIPRO FACTIVE LEVAQUIN TABS SOLN/INJ	Use PA Form# 20420 1. Dosing limits apply, see Dosage Consolidation List.

			MC MC MC	LEVAQUIN TABS ¹ NOROXIN TABS PROQUIN XR	
AMINO GLYCOSIDES	MC MC MC/DEL		MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL	BETHKIS ¹ TOBI PODHALER ¹ TOBI NEBU ² TOBRAMYCIN SULFATE SOLN ²	Use PA Form# 20420 1. Clinical PA to verify appropriate diag 2. See criteria section
ANTI-MYCOBACTERIALS / ANTI-TUBERCULOSIS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL			ETHAMBUTOL HCL TABS MYAMBUTOL TABS MYCOBUTIN CAPS RIFAMPIN	Use PA Form# 20420
ANTIMALARIAL AGENTS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL	ARALEN TABS ISONARIF ¹ MALARONE TABS PLAQUENIL TABS	1. Ingredients available as preferred without PA.
ANTHELMINTICS	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL			ALBENZA TABS BILTRICIDE TABS STROMEKTOL TABS	Use PA Form# 20420
ANTIBIOTICS - MISC.	MC MC MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL		MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC	AZACTAM SOLR COLY-MYCIN-M SOLR COLISTIMETHATE SODIUM SOLR FUROXONE TABS METRONIDAZOLE ¹ PENTAMIDINE ISETHIONATE SOLR PRIMSOL SOLN TRIMETHOPRIM TABS VANCOMYCIN 5GM INJ. COLISTIMETHATE SODIUM SOLR CAYSTON ³ FLAGYL CAPS FLAGYL TABS FLAGYL ER TBCR KETEK METRONIDAZOLE 375MG CAPS ¹ METRONIDAZOLE 750MG TABS ¹ NEBUPENT SOLR TINDAMAX VANCOMYCIN 10GM INJ. ² XIFAXAN	1. 375mg caps and 750mg tabs are non-preferred. Please use available preferred strengths(250mg & 500mg tabs) to obtain required dose without PA. 2. Please use multiple 5gm which are preferred to obtain dose without PA. 3. Clinical PA is required to establish CF diagnosis and medical necessity. Prior trail and failure of preferred Tobi before approval will be granted.

							Use PA Form# 20420
CARBAPENEMS				MC MC MC/DEL		INVANZ SOLR MERREM SOLR PRIMAXIN	Use PA Form# 20420
LINCOSAMIDES / OXAZOLIDINONES / LEPROSTATICS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC		CLEOCIN SOLN CLEOCIN SUSR CLINDAMYCIN HCL 150CAPS DAPSONE TABS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		CLEOCIN CAPS CLINDAMYCIN HCL 300CAPS ¹ SIVEXTRO VIBATIV ZYVOX SUSR ZYVOX TABS	1. Use multiple 150's for Clindamycin instead of 300's. Use PA Form# 30820 for Zyvox & Vibativ Use PA Form# 20420 for all others
ANTI INFECTIVE COMBO'S - MISC.	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		ERYTHROMYCIN/SULF SUSR SEPTRA/DS TABS SULFAMETHOXAZOLE/TRIMETH TRIMETHOPRIM/SULFAMETHOXA	MC		BACTRIM DS TABS	Use PA Form# 20420
ANTIPROTOZOALS				MC		ALINIA ¹	1. Alina is preferred for children less than 12 years of age. Use PA Form# 20420
ANTI - FUNGALS							
ANTIFUNGALS - ASSORTED	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		ANCOBON CAPS FLUCONAZOLE ¹ KETOCONAZOLE TABS ⁷ NYSTATIN TERBINAFINE TABS ⁴ VORICONAZOLE TABS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC	6 6 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8	LAMISIL TABS ⁴ ITRACONAZOLE CRESEMBA ⁹ GRIFULVIN V TABS GRISEOFULVIN SUSP GRISEOFULVIN ULTRAMICROSI TABS GRIS-PEG TABS SPORANOX SOLN ² SPORANOX PULSEPAK CAPS ³ SPORANOX CAPS ³ DIFLUCAN ERAXIS INJ ⁶ GRIFULVIN SUSP	1. QL--1/every 7-day period (150mg only). 2. Sporanox QL 300cc/month with PA. See quantity limit table. 3. Sporanox QL 30/month with PA. See quantity limit table. Non-preferred products must be used in specified step order. Continue to use Anti-Fungal PA form for non-preferred products. 4. Quantity limit of one tablet daily. Please see dosage consolidation list. 5. Approved if immuno suppressed/ HIV or if the member has failed a 7 day trial of a preferred antifungal therapy.

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VFEND TABS

6. Eraxis will be approved if submitting with documentation that it was initiated during a hospitalization and this request is to finish the hospital course.

7. Quantity limits allowing 30 day supply without PA. PA will be required if using > 30 days.

8. For children < 18, quantity limits allows 8 weeks supply without PA. PA will be required if using > than 8 weeks. If 18 and older PA will be required for any quantity. Not approving for Onychomycosis indication.

9. For patients ≥ 18years of age

[Use PA Form# 10120](#)

ANTI - VIRALS

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ANTIRETROVIRALS	MC/DEL	APTIVUS	MC/DEL	8	COMBIVIR TABS	
	MC	ATRIPLA ¹	MC	8	COMPLERA	
	MC/DEL	CRIXIVAN CAPS	MC/DEL	8	DIDANOSINE	Use PA Form# 10620 for Fuzeon
	MC/DEL	EDURANT	MC/DEL	8	EVOTAZ	
	MC	EMTRIVA	MC/DEL	8	FUZEON ³	1. Quantity limit of one per day
	MC/DEL	EPIVIR / HBV	MC/DEL	8	INTELENCE ³	
	MC/DEL	EPZICOM	MC/DEL	8	ISENTRESS ^{3,4}	2. Only preferred if Norvir script is in member's profile within the past 30 days of filling Prezista
	MC/DEL	INVIRASE CAPS	MC/DEL	8	PREZCOBIX	
	MC	KALETRA	MC	8	RETROVIR	
	MC/DEL	LEXIVA	MC/DEL	8	SELZENTRY ³	
	MC	NORVIR	MC	8	STRIBILD	3. Prescribers with >= 10 ART scripts per quarter and 75% ART PDL compliance will be exempt from PA for these products.
	MC	PREZISTA ²	MC	8	TIVICAY ^{5,6}	
	MC/DEL	RESCRIPTOR TABS	MC	8	TRIUMEQ ^{5,7}	
	MC	REYATAZ ¹	MC	8	TYBOST ⁸	
	MC	STAVUDINE	MC	8	ZERIT	
	MC	SUSTIVA	MC	8	VITEKTA	
	MC/DEL	TRIZIVIR TABS	MC/DEL	9	VIRAMUNE XR	4. Isentress Chewable will only be approved if between the age of 2-12 years old
	MC	TRUVADA				
	MC	VIDEX EC				

	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL	VIRACEPT TABS VIRAMUNE TABS VIREAD TABS ZIAGEN TABS ZIDOVUDINE					5. Clinical PA is required to establish diagnosis, verification of age for appropriate indication and medical necessity. 6. Dosing limits apply, please see dosing consolidation list. 7. Request will require use of the individual components Tivicay and Epzicom. 8. Diagnosis and verify prior trials and failures or intolerance of preferred treatments is required
CYTO-MEGALOVIRUS AGENTS	MC MC	FOSCARNET SODIUM VALCYTE TABS	MC/DEL MC/DEL			FOSCAVIR GANCICLOVIR	Use PA Form# 20420
HERPES AGENTS	MC/DEL MC/DEL	ACYCLOVIR VALACYCLOVIR HCL	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	8 8 8 8 9		FAMCICLOVIR ¹ SITAVIG ZOVIRAX ¹ VALTREX TABS ¹ FAMVIR TABS ¹	1. Must fail Acyclovir and Valacyclovir before non-preferred products in step order. Use PA Form# 20420
INFLUENZA AGENTS	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL	AMANTADINE RELENZA DISKHALER AEPB RIMANTADINE HCL TABS TAMIFLU ¹	MC MC			FLUMADINE TABS FLUMIST	1. Tamiflu 10 caps or 60cc's per month. Will be audited for presence of positive influenza tests in patient or family member. Use PA Form# 10610 for Flumist requests Use PA Form# 20420 for all others
IMMUNE SERUMS							
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HEPATITIS AGENTS

HEPATITIS C AGENTS	MC		HARVONI ²	MC/DEL		COPEGUS TABS	1. Dosing limits apply, please see dosage consolidation list. 2. Approvals will require clinical PA. Please see the Hepatitis PA form for criteria Use PA Form# 10700
	MC		OLYSIO ²	MC/DEL		DAKLINZA	
	MC/DEL		PEGASYS KIT ¹	MC/DEL		REBETOL CAPS	
	MC/DEL		PEGASYS SOLN	MC		RIBAPAK	
	MC/DEL		PEG-INTRON KIT ¹				
	MC		RIBAVIRIN				
	MC		SOVALDI ²				
	MC		TECHNIVIE ²				
	MC		VIEKIRA PAK ²				
	MC/DEL		RIBASPHERE				

HEPATITIS AGENTS - MISC.				MC		ACTIMMUNE	Use PA Form# 20420
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HEPATITIS B ONLY	MC		HEPSERA TABS	MC		BARACLUDGE	Use PA Form# 20420
				MC		TYZEKA	

RSV PROPHYLAXIS

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MS TREATMENTS

MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS - INTERFERONS	MC		AVONEX KIT ¹	MC		PLEGRIDY ¹	1. Clinical PA is required to establish diagnosis and medical necessity.
	MC/DEL		BETASERON SOLR ¹	MC/DEL		EXTAVIA	
	MC		REBIF SOLN ¹				

MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS - NON-INTERFERONS	MC	COPAXONE 20MG ² GILENYA ^{2,3} AUBAGIO	MC	6	TYSABRI ¹	Use PA Form# 20430 1. Providers must be enrolled in the TOUCH Prescribing program, a restricted distribution program. Clinical PA is required to establish diagnosis and medical necessity. 2. Clinical PA is required to establish diagnosis and medical necessity. 3. Dosing limits apply, please see dosage consolidation list. Use PA Form# 20430
	MC/DEL		MC	8	AMPYRA	
	MC		MC	8	COPAXONE 40MG	
			MC/DEL	8	GLATOPIA	
			MC	8	TECFIDERA	

ASSORTED NEUROLOGICS

NEUROLOGICS - MISC.	MC/DEL	ORAP TABS PROSTIGMIN TABS PYRIDOSTIGMINE	MC		BOTOX ²	1. Approval will be limited to Cervical dystonia. 2. Please see botulinum PA form for additional criteria Use PA Form# 10210
	MC		MC		DYSPORT ¹	
	MC		MC		MESTINON	
			MC		MYOBLOC ¹	

STEROIDS

GLUCOCORTICOID/ MINERALOCORTICOID	MC	CELESTONE SUSP CORTEF 5 CORTISONE ACETATE TABS DELTASONE TABS DEPO-MEDROL SUSP DEXAMETHASONE DEXPAK ENTOCORT EC CP24 FLUDROCORTISONE ACETATE TABS HYDROCORTISONE KENALOG METHYLPREDNISOLONE TABS PREDNISOLONE PREDNISONE SOLU-CORTEF SOLR SOLU-MEDROL SOLR	MC/DEL		BUDESONIDE EC	Use PA Form# 20420
	MC/DEL		MC		CORTEF 10 and 20 TABS	
	MC/DEL		MC/DEL		FLORINEF TABS	
	MC/DEL		MC/DEL		MEDROL TABS	
	MC/DEL		MC		MEDROL DOSEPAK TABS	
	MC/DEL		MC		MILLIPRED	
	MC		MC		ORAPRED SOLN	
	MC/DEL		MC		PEDIAPRED LIQD	
	MC/DEL		MC		PREDNISONE INTENSOL CONC	
	MC/DEL		MC		STERAPRED TABS	
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HORMONE REPLACEMENT THERAPIES

ANDROGENS / ANABOLICS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		ANDRODERM PT24 DANAZOL CAPS DEPO-TESTOSTERONE OIL METHITEST TABS	MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL		ANADROL-50 ANDRO LA 200 OIL ANDROGEL ANDROGEL PUMP ANDROID CAPS AXIRON DELATESTRYL OIL FORTESTA HALOTESTIN TABS NATESTO OXANDROLONE TESTIM TESTOSTERONE CYP TESTRED CAPS VOGELXO	Use PA Form# 20420
ESTROGENS - PATCHES / TOPICAL	MC/DEL MC/DEL		VIVELLE-DOT PTTW ¹ CLIMARA PTWK	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC	5 8 8 8 8	ESTRADIOL PTWK ALORA PTTW ² DIVIGEL ² ELESTRIN ² EVAMIST ²	1. Both preferred drugs must be tried. 2. Step order drugs must be used in specified step order. Use PA Form# 20420
ESTROGENS - TABS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		CENESTIN TABS ESTRADIOL ESTROPIPATE TABS MENEST TABS PREMARIN TABS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC		ENJUVIA ESTRACE TABS ESTRATAB TABS ORTHO-EST TABS	Must fail preferred products before non-preferred products. Use PA Form# 20420
ESTROGEN COMBO'S	MC/DEL MC/DEL		PREMPHASE TABS PREMPRO TABS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		ACTIVELLA TABS ¹ COMBIPATCH PTTW ¹ FEMHRT 1/5 TABS ¹ ORTHO-PREFEST TABS ¹ SYNTEST H.S. TABS ¹	1. Must fail Premphase and Prempro products before non preferred products. Use PA Form# 20420
PROGESTINS	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC		MAKENA ³ MEDROXYPROGESTERONE ACETA ² NORETHINDRONE ACETATE TABS ² 17-ALPH HYDROXYPROGESTERONE ³	MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		AYGESTIN TABS CYCRIN TABS PROGESTERONE POWD PROMETRIUM 100MG CAPS ¹ PROMETRIUM 200MG ¹ PROVERA TABS	1. PA approvals will require two 100 mg caps instead of one 200mg. 2. Must fail Medroxyprogesterone and Norethidrone products before non-preferred products. 3. Clinical PA required for indication to reduce the risk of preterm birth in women with a singleton pregnancy who have a history of singleton spontaneous

preterm birth.

[Use PA Form# 20420](#)

CONTRACEPTIVES

CONTRACEPTIVES - PROGESTIN ONLY	MC/DEL MC/DEL		NOR-QD TABS NORETHINDRONE ACETATE 0.35 TABS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC	7 7 7 7 8	CAMILA TABS ERRIN JOLIVETTE NORA-BE TABS ORTHO MICRONOR TABS	Use PA Form# 20420
CONTRACEPTIVES - INJECTABLE	MC/DEL		MEDROXYPROGESTERONE ACETATE 150mg IM	MC/DEL		DEPO-PROVERA 150 mg SUSP	Use PA Form# 20420
CONTRACEPTIVE - EMERGENCY	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL	1 2 2 2	PLAN B ONE STEP ¹ ELLA LEVONORGESTREL NEXT CHOICE ¹	MC/DEL		PLAN B	1. Allowed 2 tablets per 30 days without PA Use PA Form# 20420
CONTRACEPTIVES - PATCHES/ VAGINAL PRODUCTS	MC		NUVARING RING ¹	MC/DEL		XULANE ²	Use PA Form# 20420 1. Quantity limit allowing 1 every 28 days with out PA. 2. Dose limits apply allowing 3 patches per 28 days supply.
CONTRACEPTIVES - MONOPHASIC COMBINATION O/C'S	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		APRI TABS AVIANE TABS BALZIVA CRYSELLE-28 TABS DESOGEN TABS DESOGESTREL/ ETHINYL ESTRADIOL LOW-OGESTREL TABS MODICON TABS MONONESSA NECON 1/50 ORTHO-CEPT-28 TABS ORTHO-CYCLEN-28 TABS ORTHO-NOVUM 1/35-28 TABS OVCON-50 28 TABS PREVIFEM RECLIPSEN	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		BEYAZ BREVICON-28 TABS LESSINA-28 TABS LEVORA LOESTRIN TABS LOESTRIN FE TABS LOESTRIN FE 1/20 TABS LOESTRIN 1.5/30-21 TABS LOESTRIN 1/20-21 TABS LO/OVRAL 21 TABS LO/OVRAL 28 TABS MICROGESTIN FE TABS NORDETTE-28 TABS NORINYL NORTREL OCELLA	Use PA Form# 20420 If member experienced adverse reactions, consider using Oral Contraceptives from other groups.

	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	SOLIA SPRINTEC 28 TABS YASMIN 28 TABS YAZ ZENCHENT	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	OGESTREL TABS OVCON-35/28 TABS OVRAL PORTIA-28 TABS SAFYRAL ZOVIA	
CONTRACEPTIVES - BI-PHASIC COMBINATIONS	MC MC MC/DEL	ORTHO-NOVUM 10/11-28 TABS NORETHINDRONE-ETH ESTRADIOL TAB 0.5-35/1-35 SEASONIQUE	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	NECON 10/11-28 TABS KARIVA TABS LOSEASONIQUE MIRCETTE TABS	If member experienced adverse reactions, consider using Oral Contraceptives from other groups. Use PA Form# 20420
CONTRACEPTIVES - TRI-PHASIC COMBINATIONS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL	ENPRESSE NECON 7/7/7 ORTHO-NOVUM 7/7/7-28 TABS TRI-NORINYL 28 TABS TRI-PREVIFEM TRIPHASIL 28 TABS TRI-SPRINTEC TRINESSA TRIVORA-28 TABS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC	CYCLESSA TABS ESTROSTEP FE TABS NORTREL 7/7/7 ORTHO TRI-CYCLEN TABS ORTHO TRI-CYCLEN LO TABS	If member experienced adverse reactions, consider using Oral Contraceptives from other groups. Use PA Form# 20420
CONTRACEPTIVES - MULTI-PHASIC COMBINATIONS			MC	NATAZIA	Use PA Form# 20420
DIABETES THERAPIES					
DIABETIC - INSULIN	MC MC MC MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL	HUMALOG INJ 100/ML HUMALOG MIX 75/25 HUMALOG 50/50 VIAL HUMULIN N INJ U-100 HUMULIN INJ 70/30 HUMULIN R U-100 LANTUS SOLN LEVEMIR	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC	APIDRA AFREZZA ¹ HUMALOG MIX PEN 50/50 HUMULIN INJ 50/50 HUMULIN R INJ U-500 NOVOLIN NOVOLOG NOVOLOG MIX RELION	Use PA Form# 20420 1. Not to be as a monotherapy. Obtain lab values of pulmonary function and recent smoking history
DIABETIC - PENFILLS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	LANTUS SOLOSTAR ¹ LEVEMIR FLEXPEN ¹ NOVOLIN PENFILL ¹ NOVOLIN 70/30 ¹ NOVOLOG MIX PENFILL ¹ NOVOLOG PENFILL SOLN ¹ NOVOLOG MIX FLEXPEN ¹ NOVOLOG FLEXPEN ¹	MC MC MC MC MC/DEL	APIDRA OPTICLIK PEN HUMALOG KWIK INJ 100/ML HUMALOG MIX INJ 75/25 KWP HUMALOG MIX INJ 50/50 KWP TOUJEO	1. Clinical PA will be required to establish significant visual or neurological impairment. Use PA Form# 20420

DIABETIC - DPP- 4 ENZYME INHIBITOR	MC/DEL MC/DEL	JANUVIA ^{1,2} TRADJENTA ²	MC/DEL	ONGLYZA ²	1. Preferred if therapeutic doses of metformin are seen in members drug profile for at least 60 days within the past 18 months or if phosphate binder is currently seen in the members drug profile. 2. Dosing limits apply. Please refer to Dose consolidation list. Use PA Form# 20420
DIABETIC - DPP- 4 ENZYME INHIBITOR-COMBO	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	JANUMET ^{1,2} JANUMET XR ^{1,2} JENTADUETO ¹	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL	KAZANO KOMBIGLYZE XR OSENİ	1. Preferred if therapeutic doses of metformin are seen in members drug profile for at least 60 days within the past 18 months or if phosphate binder is currently seen in the members drug profile. 2. Dosing limits apply. Please refer to Dose consolidation list. Use PA Form# 20420
DPP- 4 ENZYME INHIBITOR/ HMG-COS REDUCTASE INHIBITOR	MC/DEL	JUVISYNC ^{1,2}			Use PA Form# 20420 1. Please refer to criteria section of PDL 2. Dosing limits apply please refer to Dose Consolidation List
DIABETIC - LANCET-LANCET DEVICE	MC MC MC MC MC	ONE TOUCH LANCETS DELICA LANCETS UNILET LANCETS UNISTIK LANCING DEVICE AUTOLOT LANCING DEVICE			Use PA Form# 20420
DIABETIC - SYRINGES-NEEDLES	MC/DEL MC MC MC	BD MICRO-FINE BD ULTRA-FINE BD ULTRA-FINE PEN NEEDLES UNIFINE PEN NEEDLES			Use PA Form# 20420
DIABETIC - OTHER			MC/DEL MC	CYCLOSET SYMLIN	Use PA Form# 30150 for Symlin

						Use PA Form #20420 for all others
SGLT 2 INHIBITORS	MC/DEL		FARXIGA ²	MC/DEL MC/DEL	INVOKANA ¹ JARDIANCE	1. Dosing limits apply please refer to Dose Consolidation List 2. Preferred if therapeutic doses of metformin are seen in members drug profile for at least 60 days within the past 18 months Use PA Form# 20420
SGLT 2 INHIBITOR COMBINATIONS				MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	GLYXAMBI INVOKAMET SYNJARDY XIGDOU XR ¹	1. Diagnosis required Use PA Form# 20420
DIABETIC MONITOR	MC MC MC MC MC MC MC		FREESTYLE INSULINX FREESTYLE LITE SYSTEM KIT FREESTYLE FREEDOM LITE KIT ONE TOUCH ULTRA 2 KIT ONE TOUCH ULTRA MINI KIT ONE TOUCH ULTRA SMART KIT PRECISION XTRA METER	MC MC MC MC MC MC	ACCUCHECK ASCENSIA ASSURE CONTOUR BREEZE Z EXACTECH PRODIGY	Use PA Form# 20420
DIABETIC TEST STRIPS	MC MC MC MC MC MC		FREESTYLE ¹ FREESTYLE LITE ¹ FREESTYLE INSULINX ¹ ONE TOUCH DELICA ¹ ONE TOUCH ULTRA ¹ PRECISION XTRA ¹	MC MC MC MC MC MC	ACCUCHECK ASCENSIA ASSURE EXACTECH PRODIGY CONTOUR BREEZE Z	1. Only 50 ct & 100 ct package size. Use PA Form# 20420

INCRETIN MIMETIC	MC MC/DEL	BYDUREON TANZEUM	MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL	8 8 8 9	BYETTA ¹ NESINA TRULICITY ² VICTOZA ¹	1. If patient is not responding to oral agents (single or multiple) please look to insulin therapy. Dosing limits apply. Please refer to Dose Consolidation List. 2. Diagnosis required Use PA Form# 10230
DIABETIC - ORAL SULFONYLUREAS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	CHLORPROPAMIDE TABS GLIMEPIRIDE GLIPIZIDE TABS GLIPIZIDE ER TABS GLYBURIDE MICRONIZED TABS GLYBURIDE TABS ¹ TOLAZAMIDE TABS TOLBUTAMIDE TABS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		AMARYL TABS DIABETA TABS GLUCOTROL TABS GLUCOTROL XL TBCR GLYNASE TABS MICRONASE TABS	Use PA Form# 20420 1. Pa required for members ≥65. Glyburide has a greater risk of severe prolonged hypoglycemia in older adults.
DIABETIC -ORAL BIGUANIDES	MC/DEL MC/DEL	METFORMIN HCL TABS METFORMIN ER	MC MC MC MC/DEL		GLUCOPHAGE TABS GLUCOPHAGE XR TB24 FORTAMET METFORMIN ER OSMOTIC	Use PA Form# 20420
DIABETIC - THIAZOL / BIGUANIDE COMBO			MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		ACTOPLUS MET ¹ ACTOPLUS MET XR AVANDARYL ¹ AVANDAMET TABS ¹	Use PA Form# 20420 1. Requires use of Actos, Metformin, or other preferred anti-diabetics.
DIABETIC - / THIAZOL	MC/DEL	PIOGLITAZONE HCL ¹	MC/DEL MC/DEL		ACTOS TABS ³ AVANDIA TABS ²	1. Pioglitazone HCL is non-preferred as monotherapy. Pioglitazone HCL is preferred if therapeutic doses of metformin, sulfonylurea or insulin are seen in members drug profile for at least 60 days within the past 18 months. 2. Current users of Avandia who have tried Actos will be able to continue use of Avandia.

						3. Dosing limits apply please refer to Dose Consolidation List Use PA Form# 20420
DIABETIC - ALPHAGLUCOSIDASE	MC/DEL		GLYSET TABS	MC		Use PA Form# 20420
DIABETIC - SULFONYLUREA / BIGUANIDE	MC/DEL		GLYBURIDE/METFORMIN	MC MC MC/DEL		GLUCOVANCE TABS ¹ METAGLIP TABS ¹ DUETACT ² 1. Use individual ingredients. 2. Use Actos with generic glimepiride. Use PA Form# 20420
DIABETIC - MEGLITINIDES	MC/DEL		STARLIX TABS	MC/DEL MC		PRANDIN TABS NATEGLINIDE Use PA Form# 20420
GLUCOSE ELEVATING AGENTS						
GLUCOSE ELEVATING AGENTS	MC/DEL		GLUCAGEN INJ. HYPOKIT	MC MC		GLUCAGON DIAGNOSTIC KIT GLUCAGEN DIAGNOSTIC KIT Use PA Form# 20420
THYROID						
THYROID HORMONES	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		ARMOUR THYROID TABS CYTOMEL TABS LEVOTHROID TABS LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM TABS LEVOXYL TABS THYROID TABS THYROLAR UNITHROID TABS	MC MC/DEL MC		LEVOTHYROXINE SODIUM SOLR LIOTHYRONINE SYNTHROID TABS Use PA Form# 20420
ANTITHYROID THERAPIES	MC/DEL MC/DEL		METHIMAZOLE TABS PROPYLTHIOURACIL TABS	MC/DEL		TAPAZOLE TABS Use PA Form# 20420
OSTEOPOROSIS / BONE AGENTS						
OSTEOPOROSIS	MC/DEL MC/DEL		ALENDRONATE MIACALCIN SOLN ²	MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC		ACTONEL TABS ARELIA SOLR BINOSTO BONIVA INJECTION KIT BONIVA TABS ^{2,4} CALCITONIN NS DUAVEE DIDRONEL TABS EVISTA TABS ¹ Use PA Form# 20420 1. Approval only requires failure of Alendronate. 2. Quantity limits apply, please see dosage consolidation list. 3. Please use Alendronate and Vitamin D.

				MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL		FORTEO FORTICAL FOSAMAX TABS AND PLUS D ³ PROLIA XGEVA ZOMETA	4. Please use other preferred agents.
CALCIMIMETIC AGENTS							
CALCIMIMETIC AGENTS				MC		SENSIPAR	Use PA Form# 30115
GROWTH HORMONE							
GROWTH HORMONE	MC/DEL MC/DEL		GENOTROPIN ¹ NORDITROPIN SOLN ¹	MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL	8 8 8 8 8 8 8	HUMATROPE SOLR INCRELEX NUTROPIN OMNITROPE SAIZEN SOLR TEV-TROPIN NUTROPIN AQ	Use PA Form# 10710 1. Clinical PA is required to establish diagnosis and medical necessity.
SOMATOSTATIC AGENTS				MC/DEL MC/DEL MC		OCTREOTIDE INJ SANDOSTATIN SOMATULINE	Use PA Form# 10710
GROWTH HORMONE ANTAGONISTS							
GH ANTAGONISTS				MC		SOMAVERT	Use PA Form# 10710
VASOPRESSIN RECEPTOR ANTAGONIST							
VASOPRESSIN RECEPTOR ANTAGONIST				MC/DEL		SAMSCA	Use PA Form# 20420
URINARY INCONTINENCE							
VASOPRESSINS			DESMOPRESSIN TABS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL	5 6 6 8 8	DDAVP TABS DDAVP SOLN ¹ DESMOPRESSIN SPRAY ¹ DESMOPRESSIN ACETATE SOLN ¹ STIMATE SOLN ^{1,2}	1. Products must be used in specified step order. Nocturnal enuresis patients will be encouraged to periodically attempt stopping DDAVP.

						2. Patients with a diagnosis of hemophilia or Von Willebrands disease will be exempt from prior authorization. Use PA Form# 20420
ANTISPASMODICS	MC/DEL MC		OXYBUTYNIN URISPAS TABS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	8 8 9	DETROL TABS DITROPAN TROSPIMUM Use PA Form# 20420
ANTISPASMODICS - LONG ACTING	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC		OXYBUTYNIN ER TABS TOVIAZ VESICARE ¹	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	8 8 8 8 9	DITROPAN XL TBCR ENABLEX ^{1,3} MYRBETRIQ OXYTROL TOLTERODINE TAB DETROL LA CP ² Use PA Form# 20420 1. See Criteria Section. 2. Product is considered line extension of the original product due to Healthcare Reform (HCR). MaineCare will consider these medications non-preferred and a step 9 because of the impact under the Federal Rebate Program in conjunction with HCR. 3. Use a preferred long acting antispasmodic.
CHOLINERGIC	MC/DEL MC/DEL		URECHOLINE BETHANECHOL			Use PA Form# 20420
METABOLIC MODIFIER						
HERED. TYROSINEMIA				MC		ORFADIN Use PA Form# 20420
ANTIHYPERTENSIVES / CARDIAC						
CARDIAC GLYCOSIDES	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		DIGITEK TABS DIGOXIN LANOXIN			Use PA Form# 20420
CARDIAC - SINUS NODE INHIBITORS	MC		CORLANOR			
ANTIANGINALS--Isosorbide Di-nitrate/ Mono-Nitrates	MC/DEL MC/DEL		ISOSORBIDE MONONITRATE TABS ISOSORBIDE MONONITRATE ER	MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		DILATRATE SR CPR ISORDIL TABS ISORDIL TITRADOSE TABS ISOSORBIDE DINITRATE SUBL ISOSORBIDE DINITRATE TABS ISOSORBIDE DINITRATE CR TBCR ISOSORBIDE DINITRATE ER TBCR Use PA Form# 20420

				MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC	ISOSORBIDE DINITRATE TD TBCR IMDUR TB24 ISMO TABS MONOKET TABS	
NITRO - OINTMENT/CAP/CR	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC		NITROBID OINT NITROGLYCERIN CPCR NITROL OINT NITRO-TIME CPCR			Use PA Form# 20420
NITRO - PATCHES	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC	1 1 1 3	NITROGLYCERIN PT24 ¹ NITREK PT24 ¹ NITRO-DUR PT 24 0.8MG ¹ MINITRAN PT24 ¹	MC MC/DEL	NITRODISC PT24 NITRO-DUR PT24	1. At least 2 step 1's and step 3 of the preferred products must be used in specified order or PA will be required. Use PA Form# 20420
NITRO - SUBLINGUAL/ SPRAY	MC/DEL MC/DEL		NITROSTAT SUBL NITROTAB SUBL	MC/DEL MC MC	NITROQUICK SUBL NITROLINGUAL SOLN NITROLINGUAL TABS	Use PA Form# 20420
BETA BLOCKERS - NON SELECTIVE	MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		CARVEDILOL INNOPRAN XL LEVATOL TABS NADOLOL TABS PINDOLOL TABS PROPRANOLOL HCL SOLN ¹ PROPRANOLOL HCL TABS ¹ PROPRANOLOL HCL 60MG TABS PROPRANOLOL LA CAPS RANEXA SOTALOL AF SOTALOL HCL TABS TIMOLOL MALEATE TABS	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC	BETAPACE TABS BETAPACE AF TABS COREG CR ³ COREG TABS CORGARD TABS INDERAL TABS INDERAL LA CPCR	1. Recommend using BID since its effects do not last 24 hours. 2. Please use other strengths in combination to obtain this dose. 3. Dosing limits still apply. Please see dose consolidation list Use PA Form# 20420
BETA BLOCKERS - CARDIO SELECTIVE	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		ACEBUTOLOL HCL CAPS ATENOLOL TABS ¹ BETAXOLOL HCL TABS BISOPROLOL FUMARATE TABS METOPROLOL TARTRATE TABS ¹ METOPROLOL ER	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL	BYSTOLIC KERLONE TABS LOPRESSOR TABS SECTRAL CAPS TENORMIN TABS TOPROL XL TB24 ZEBETA TABS	1. Recommend using Atenolol (and metoprolol) BID since its effects do not last 24 hours. Use PA Form# 20420
BETA BLOCKERS - ALPHA / BETA	MC/DEL		LABETALOL HCL TABS	MC	TRANDATE TABS	Use PA Form# 20420
BETA BLOCKERS & DURECTIC COMBOS				MC/DEL	DUTOPROL	Use PA Form# 20420

CALCIUM CHANNEL BLOCKERS-- Amlodipines, Bepridil, Diltiazems, Felodipines, Isradipines, Nifedipines, Nisoldipine, and Verapamils	MC/DEL		AMLODIPINE ¹	MC/DEL		NORVASC TABS ¹	1. Dosing limits apply, please see dose consolidation list. Use PA Form# 20420	
	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		DILTIA XT CP24 DILTIAZEM HCL ER CP24 DILTIAZEM HCL XR CP24 DILTIAZEM CD 300MG CP24 DILTIAZEM CD 360MG CP24 CARTIA XT CP24 ¹ DILTIAZEM CD CP24 ¹ DILTIAZEM HCL ER CP24 ¹ DILTIAZEM XR CP24 ¹ TIAZAC CP24 ¹	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	5 6 8 8 8 8 8 8 8		DILACOR XR CP24 ¹ TAZTIA ¹ CARDIZEM TABS ¹ CARDIZEM CD CP24 ¹ CARDIZEM LA TB24 ¹ CARDIZEM SR CP12 ¹ DILTIAZEM HCL TABS ¹ DILTIAZEM HCL ER CP12 ¹ DILTIAZEM HCL ER CP12 ¹	1. Products must be used in specified order or PA will be required. Just write "Diltiazem 24-hour" and the pharmacy will use a preferred long acting diltiazem that does not require PA. Use PA Form# 20420
				MC/DEL MC/DEL			PLENDIL TB24 FELODIPINE	Use PA Form# 20420
				MC MC			DYNACIRC CAPS DYNACIRC CR TBCR ¹	Use PA Form# 20420 1. Established users will be grandfathered
				MC MC			CARDENE SR CPR NICARDIPINE HCL CAPS	Use PA Form# 20420
	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		AFEDITAB CR NIFEDIAC CC NIFEDICAL XL TBCR NIFEDIPINE TBCR NIFEDIPINE ER TBCR	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL			ADALAT CC TBCR ¹ NIFEDIPINE CAPS PROCARDIA CAPS PROCARDIA XL TBCR	1. Established users of Adalat CC are grandfathered. Use PA Form# 20420
				MC MC			SULAR TB24 SULAR CR ¹	1. Established users of 10MG and 20MG strengths are grandfathered. Use PA Form# 20420
	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	1 1 1	VERAPAMIL HCL CR TBCR VERAPAMIL HCL ER TBCR VERAPAMIL HCL SR TBCR	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL			CALAN TABS CALAN SR TBCR COVERA-HS TBCR ISOPTIN-SR VERAPAMIL HCL ER CP24 VERAPAMIL HCL SR CP24 VERAPAMIL HCL TABS VERELAN CP24 VERELAN PM CP24	Products must be used in specified order or PA will be required. Just write "Verapamil 24-hour" and the pharmacy will use a preferred long acting generic that does not require PA. Use PA Form# 20420
	MC/DEL MC/DEL		AMIODARONE HCL FLECAINIDE	MC/DEL MC/DEL			CORDARONE DISOPYRAMIDE	1. Prescription must be written by Cardiologist.

	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL		MEXILETINE HCL NORPACE PROCAINAMIDE PROPAFENONE QUINAGLUTE QUINIDINE GLUCONATE QUINIDINE SULFATE	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		MULTAQ PACERONE QUINIDEX TAMBOCOR TIKOSYN ¹ RYTHMOL SR RYTHMOL	Use PA Form# 20420
ACE INHIBITORS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		BENAZEPRIL HCL CAPTOPRIL TABS ENALAPRIL MALEATE TABS FOSINOPRIL SODIUM LISINOPRIL TABS RAMIPRIL QUINAPRIL HCL	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL	5 5 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8	MAVIK TABS ACCUPRIL TABS ACEON TABS ¹ ALTACE CAPS ¹ LOTENSIN TABS ¹ MOEXIPRIL HCL ¹ MONOPRIL HCT TABS ¹ PRINIVIL TABS ¹ UNIVASC ¹ VASOTEC TABS ¹ ZESTRIL TABS ¹	1. Non-preferred products must be used in specified order. Use PA Form# 20420
ANGIOTENSIN RECEPTOR BLOCKER	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		BENICAR TABS ¹ DIOVAN ¹ IRBESARTAN ¹ LOSARTAN ¹ MICARDIS TABS ¹	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL	8 8 8 8 8 8	ATACAND TABS AVAPRO COZAAR EDARBI TEVETEN TABS TRIBENZOR ²	Use PA Form# 20420 1. Preferred products only available without PA if patient on diabetic therapy or prior ACE therapy. 2. Use preferred active ingredients which are available without PA.
DIRECT RENIN INHIBITOR				MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		AMTURNIDE TEKTURNA ¹ TEKAMLO	1. Must show failure of single and combination therapy from all preferred antihypertensive categories. Use PA Form# 20420
ANTIHYPERTENSIVES - CENTRAL	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		CATAPRES-TTS CLONIDINE HCL TABS GUANFACINE HCL TABS HYDRALAZINE HCL TABS HYLOREL TABS METHYLDOPA TABS MINOXIDIL TABS PRAZOSIN HCL CAPS RESERPINE TABS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL		CATAPRES TABS CLONIDINE TTS GUANABENZ ACETATE TABS ISMELIN TABS MINIPRESS CAPS NEXICLON TENEX TABS	Use PA Form# 20420
ACE INHIBITORS AND CA CHANNEL BLOCKERS				MC/DEL MC MC/DEL	8 8 9	AMLODIPINE/BENAZEPRIL TARKA TBCR AMLODIPINE/BENAZEPRIL	Use individual preferred generic medications.

			MC/DEL	9	LOTREL CAPS	Use PA Form# 20420
ACE AND THIAZIDE COMBO'S	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		BENAZEPRIL HCL/HYDROCHLOR CAPTOPRIL/HYDROCHLOROTHIA ENALAPRIL MALEATE/HCTZ TABS LISINOPRIL-HCTZ TABS LOTENSIN HCT TABS	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL	ACCURETIC TABS MONOPRIL HCT TABS PRINZIDE TABS UNIRETIC TABS VASERETIC TABS ZESTORETIC TABS	Use PA Form# 20420
BETA BLOCKERS AND DIURETIC COMBO'S	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		ATENOLOL/CHLORTHALIDONE BISOPROLOL FUMARATE/HCTZ PROPRANOLOL/HCTZ	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL	CORZIDE TABS LOPRESSOR HCT TABS TENORETIC TIMOLIDE 10/25 TABS ZIAC TABS	Use PA Form# 20420
ARB'S AND CA CHANNEL BLOCKERS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		AZOR EXFORGE ¹ EXFORGE HCT ¹	MC/DEL	TWYNSTA	1. Preferred products only available without PA if patient on diabetic therapy or prior ACE therapy. Use PA Form# 20420
ARB'S AND DIURETICS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		BENICAR HCT ¹ LOSARTAN HCT ¹ MICARDIS HCT TABS ¹ VALSARTAN-HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE ¹	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC	7 IRBESARTAN HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE 8 ATACAND HCT TABS 8 AVALIDE TABS ¹ 8 DIOVAN HCT TABS ¹ 8 HYZAAR TABS 8 TEVETEN HCT TABS	1. Preferred products only available without PA if patient on diabetic therapy or prior ACE therapy. Use PA Form# 20420
ANGIOTENSIN MODULATORS-ARB COMBINATION				MC/DEL MC	EDARBYCLOR ENTRESTO	Use PA Form# 20420
ARB'S AND DIRECT RENIN INHIBITOR COMBINATION				MC/DEL	VALTURNA	Use PA Form# 20420
DIURETICS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC		ACETAZOLAMIDE TABS BUMETANIDE CHLOROTHIAZIDE TABS CHLORTHALIDONE TABS EDECIN TABS EDECIN TABS HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE INDAPAMIDE TABS METHAZOLAMIDE TABS METHYCLOTHIAZIDE TABS SPIRONOLACTONE 25MG TABS SPIRONOLACTONE/HYDRO TORSEMIDE TABS TRIAMTERENE/HCTZ ZAROXOLYN TABS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC	ALDACTAZIDE TABS ALDACTONE TABS AMILORIDE HCL BUMEX TABS DEMADEX TABS DIAMOX DIURIL DYAZIDE CAPS ENDURON TABS INSPRA LASIX TABS MAXZIDE MICROZIDE CAPS MIDAMOR TABS NAQUA TABS	1. Multiples of Spironolactone 25 mg are cheaper than 50 mg strength. Inspra will be approved for severe breast tenderness and male gynecomastia. Use PA Form# 20420

			MC/DEL		SPIRONOLACTONE 50MG ¹	
CCB / LIPID			MC/DEL		CADUET	
NEUROGENIC ORTHOSTATIC HYPOTENSION						
NEUROGENIC ORTHOSTATIC HYPOTENSION			MC		NORTHERA	Use PA Form# 20420
LIPID DRUGS						
CHOLESTEROL - BILE SEQUESTRANTS	MC/DEL MC/DEL		CHOLESTYRAMINE COLESTIPOL HCI	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL	COLESTID PREVALITE QUESTRAN WELCHOL TABS	Use PA Form# 20420
CHOLESTEROL - FIBRIC ACID DERIVATIVES	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC		FENOFIBRATE GEMFIBROZIL TABS NIASPAN TRILIPIX	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC	ANTARA LOPID FENOFIBRATE 120mg FIBRICOR LIPOFEN LOFIBRA TRICOR TRIGLIDE	Use PA Form# 20420
CHOLESTEROL - HGM COA + ABSORB INHIBITORS MORE POTENT DRUGS/COMBINATIONS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC		ATORVASTATIN CRESTOR SIMVASTATIN ¹ VYTORIN	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL	LIPITOR LIPTRUZET ZOCOR SIMVASTATIN 80MG ^{1,2}	1. Dosing limits apply, please see dosage consolidation list. 2. Current users grandfathered. Use PA Form# 20420
CHOLESTEROL - HGM COA + ABSORB INHIBITORS LESS POTENT DRUGS/COMBINATIONS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC		LESCOL CAPS LESCOL XL TB24 LOVASTATIN TABS ² PRAVASTATIN ² ZETIA TABS	MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 ALTOPREV TB24 LIVALO MEVACOR TABS PRAVACHOL TABS PRAVIGARD	2. Dosing limits apply, please see dosage consolidation list. Use PA Form# 20420
CHOLESTEROL - HGM COA + ABSORB INHIBITORS STATIN/ NIACIN COMBO	MC		SIMCOR	MC	ADVICOR TBCR	Use PA Form# 20420

3. Prior trial of Letaris, WHO Group 1 diagnosis of PAH (Primary Pulmonary Hypertension) and NYHA functional class of 3.

4. For members with NYHA functional class of 4, Tracleer approval will be allowed with confirmation of diagnosis and functional class.

[Use PA Form# 20420](#)

IMPOTENCE AGENTS

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ANTI-EMETOGENICS

ANTIEMETIC - ANTICHOLINERGIC / DOPAMINERGIC	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC		MECLIZINE HCL TABS PROMETHAZINE SUPP PROMETHAZINE TRANSDERM-SCOP PT72	MC MC MC MC MC		ANTIVERT TABS PHENERGAN SOLN PROMETHAZINE 50MG SUPP PROMETHEGAN SUPP TORECAN TABS	Use PA Form# 20420
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ANTIEMETIC - 5-HT3 RECEPTOR ANTAGONISTS/ SUBSTANCE P NEUROKININ	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		DRONABINOL CAPS ONDANSETRON TABS ^{2,4} ONDANSETRON ODT TBDP ^{2,4} ONDANSETRON INJ ^{2,4}	MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC	5 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8	GRANISETRON AKYNZEO ¹ ALOXI ANZEMET TABS CESAMET ¹ DICLEGIS EMEND ³ KYTRIL MARINOL CAPS SANCUSO ZOFTRAN ODT TBDP ⁴ ZOFTRAN TABS ⁴ ZOFTRAN INJ ⁴ ZUPLENZ	1. Approvals will require diagnosis of chemo-induced nausea/vomiting and failed trials of all preferred anti-emetics, including 5-HT3 class (Ondansetron) and Marinol. 2. Ondansetron will be preferred with CA diag and dosing limits still apply. 3. Clinical PA is required for members on highly emetic anti-neoplastic agents. 4. Dosing limits apply, please see Dosage Consolidation List
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[Use PA Form# 20610 for Ondansetron requests](#)

[Use PA Form# 20420 for all others](#)

NON-SEDATING ANTIHISTAMINES / DECONGESTANTS

ANTIHISTIMINES - NON-SEDATING	MC	ALAVERT TABS	MC	5	CLARINEX TABS ^{1,5}	<p>1. Must fail preferred drugs, OTC loratadine and cetirizine before moving to non-preferred step order drugs.</p> <p>2. Clarinex and Zyrtec syrup <6 yr w/o PA.</p> <p>3. Must fail all step 5 drugs (Clarinex, Fexofenadine and Zyrtec) before moving to next step product.</p> <p>4. All OTC versions of loratadine ODT are now non-preferred.</p> <p>5. Pa's for Clarinex RediTabs will only be approved if between the ages of 6-11 years old.</p>
	MC/DEL	CETIRIZINE TABS	MC	5	CLARINEX SYR ^{1,2}	
	MC	CLARITIN (OTC)	MC/DEL	5	FEXOFENADINE ¹	
	MC	CLARITIN SYRP (OTC)	MC/DEL	5	ZYRTEC ¹	
	MC/DEL	LORATADINE	MC/DEL	5	ZYRTEC SYR ^{1,2}	
	MC	TAVIST ND (OTC)	MC/DEL	8	ALLEGRA ³	
			MC	8	CLARITIN ³	
			MC/DEL	8	DESLORATADIN	
			MC/DEL	8	LORATADINE ODT ⁴	
		MC/DEL	8	LEVOCETIRIZINE ⁴		
		MC/DEL	9	XYZAL ³		
ANTIHISTIMINES - OTHER	MC/DEL	CLEMASTINE				Use PA Form# 20530
	MC/DEL	CHLORPHENIRAMINE				Use PA Form# 20530
	MC/DEL	DIPHENHYDRAMINE				

ALLERGY / ASTHMA THERAPIES

ANAPHYLACTIC DEVICES	MC/DEL	AUVI- Q	MC		TWINJECT	
	MC/DEL	EPIPEN				
ALLERGEN IMMUNOTHERAPY			MC/DEL		GRASTEK ¹	Use PA Form# 20420
			MC/DEL		RAGWITEK ¹	1. See criteria section
			MC		ORALAIR ¹	

ANTIASTHMATIC - ANTICHOLINERGICS - INHALER	MC/DEL		SPIRIVA HANDIHALER ^{1,2}	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		<p>SPIRIVA RESPIMAT TUDORZA INCRUSE ELLIPTA³</p> <p>Use PA Form# 20420</p> <p>1. Quantity limit of 1 inhalation daily (1 capsule for inhalation daily) Spiriva will require PA if Combivent or Atrovent nebulizer solution is in member's current drug profile.</p> <p>2. We ask physicians to write "asthma" on the prescription whenever Spiriva is primarily being used for that condition.</p> <p>3. Quantity limit of 1 inhalation daily</p>
ANTIASTHMATIC - PHOSPHODIESTERASE 4 INHIBITORS				MC/DEL		<p>DALIRESP</p> <p>Use PA Form# 20420</p>
ANTIASTHMATIC - ANTICHOLINERGICS - NEBULIZER	MC/DEL		IPRATROPIUM BROMIDE SOLN	MC		<p>ATROVENT SOLN</p> <p>Use PA Form# 20420</p>
ANTIASTHMATIC - ANTIINFLAMMATORY AGENTS	MC/DEL		CROMOLYN SODIUM NEBU	MC/DEL		<p>XOLAIR¹</p> <p>1. Need max inhaled steroids and written by pulmonary or allergy specialist</p> <p>Use PA Form# 20420</p>
ANTIASTHMATIC - NASAL STEROIDS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		<p>FLUTICASONE SPR³</p> <p>OMNARIS SPR³</p> <p>ZETONNA³</p>	<p>MC/DEL</p> <p>MC/DEL</p> <p>MC/DEL</p> <p>MC/DEL</p> <p>MC/DEL</p> <p>MC</p>	<p>5</p> <p>8</p> <p>8</p> <p>8</p> <p>8</p> <p>8</p>	<p>BECONASE AQ INHA^{1,3}</p> <p>DYMISTA</p> <p>FLONASE SUSP^{2,3}</p> <p>FLUNISOLIDE SOLN^{1,3}</p> <p>NASONEX SUSP</p> <p>QNASL</p> <p>Use PA Form# 20420</p> <p>1. All preferred drugs must be tried before moving to non preferred steps.</p>

			MC MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL	8 8 8 8 8 9	RHINOCORT AERO ^{2,3} RHINOCORT AQUA SUSP ^{2,3} TRI-NASAL SOLN ^{2,3} VANCENASE POCKETHALER AERS ^{2,3} VERAMYST ^{2,3} TRIAMCINOLONE NS	2. All step 5 medications need to be tried before moving to step 8's. 3. Dosing limits apply to whole category, please see dosage consolidation list.
ANTIASTHMATIC - NASAL MISC.	MC/DEL	CROMOLYN NASAL 4%	MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL	7 7 7 8 8	ATROVENT NASAL SOL ASTELIN IPRATROPIUM NASAL SOL ¹ ASTEPRO ² PATANASE	Use PA Form# 20420 1. Ipratropium will be approved if submitted with documentation supporting use of CPAP machine. 2. Utilize Multiple preferred, as well as step therapy Astelin.
ANTIASTHMATIC - BETA - ADRENERGICS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	ALBUTEROL NEB FORADIL AEROLIZER CAPS METAPROTERENOL PROVENTIL HFA SEREVENT TERBUTALINE SULFATE TABS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC MC		ACCUNEB NEBU ALBUTEROL AER ALBUTEROL HFA ALBUTEROL 0.63mg/3ml ARCAPTA ³ BRETHINE PROAIR HFA ³ PROAIR RESPICLIK STRIVERDI VENTOLIN AERS VENTOLIN HFA AERS ³ VOLMAX TBCR VOSPIRE ER TB12 XOPENEX HFA ³ XOPENEX NEBU ^{1,2}	1. Xopenex users w/ prior asthma hospitalization due to albuterol nebulizer failure will be grandfathered. 2. Quantity Limit: 12 cc/day. 3. Dosing limits apply, please see dosage consolidation list. Use PA Form# 20420
ANTIASTHMATIC - ADRENERGIC COMBINATIONS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	ADVAIR HFA ^{1,2} DULERA SYMBICORT ²	MC/DEL MC/DEL		BREO ELLIPTA ^{2,3} ADVAIR DISKUS ^{2,3}	1. We ask physicians to write "asthma" on the prescription whenever Advair is primarily being used for that condition. 2. Dosing limits apply, please see dosage consolidation list. 3. Clinical PA required for appropriate diagnosis Use PA Form# 20420

ANTIASTHMATIC - ADRENERGIC ANTICHOLINERGIC	MC/DEL	ALBUTEROL/IPRATROPIUM NEB. SOLN	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		ANORO ELLIPTA COMBIVENT RESPIMAT DUONEB SOLN ¹ STIOLTO	1. Please use preferred individual ingredients Albuterol and Ipratropium. Use PA Form# 20420
ANTIASTHMATIC - XANTHINES	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	AMINOPHYLLINE TABS THEOCHRON TB12 THEOLAIR-SR TB12 THEOPHYLLINE CR TB12 THEOPHYLLINE ELIX THEOPHYLLINE SOLN THEOPHYLLINE ER CP12 THEOPHYLLINE ER TB12	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL		THEO-24 CP24 THEOLAIR TABS UNIPHYL TBCR	Use PA Form# 20420
ANTIASTHMATIC - STEROID INHALANTS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC	ASMANEX ^{4,5} FLOVENT DISKUS ⁴ FLOVENT HFA ⁴ PULMICORT FLEXHALER PULMICORT SUSP ^{1,4} QVAR AERS ⁴ AEROSPAN	MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC	5 5 5 8 8 8 8 8 8	AEROBID AERS ^{2,4} BECLOVENT AERS ^{2,4} VANCERIL AERS ^{2,4} AEROBID-M AERS ^{3,4} ALVESCO ⁴ ARNUITY ELLIPTA ⁶ ASMANEX HFA VANCERIL DOUBLE STRENGTH AERS ^{3,4}	1. No PA for Pulmicort susp if under 8 years old. 2. All preferreds must be tried before moving to non preferred steps. 3. All step 5 medications need to be tried before moving to step 8's. 4. Dosing limits apply to whole category, please see dosage consolidation list. 5. Asmanex 110mcg will be limited to member between the ages of 4-11years old. 6. Not approved for children <12 years of age Use PA Form# 20420
ANTIASTHMATIC - 5-Lipoxygenase Inhibitors			MC		ZYFLO CR TABS	Use PA Form# 20420
ANTIASTHMATIC - LEUKOTRIENE RECEPTOR ANTAGONISTS	MC/DEL	MONTELUKAST SODIUM TAB	MC/DEL	7	MONTELUKAST GRANULE ¹	Use PA Form# 20420

	MC/DEL	MONTELUKAST SODIUM CHEW TAB	MC/DEL MC/DEL	8 8	ACCOLATE TABS SINGULAIR ²	1.Montelukast Granules will only be approved if between ages of 6months-24 months. 2.Singulair Chewables 4mg from 2years-5years and Singulair Chewables 5mgs from 6years-14years old.
ANTIASTHMATIC - ALPHA-PROTEINASE INHIBITOR			MC MC/DEL MC MC	8 8 8 8	ARALAST ZEMAIRA GLASSIA PROLASTIN SUSR	Use PA Form# 20420
ANTIASTHMATIC - HYDRO-LYTIC ENZYMES			MC/DEL		PULMOZYME SOLN	Use PA Form# 20420
ANTIASTHMATIC - MUCOLYTICS	MC/DEL	ACETYLCYSTEINE ¹	MC		MUCOMYST	1. Acetylcysteine is covered with diagnosis of CF. Use PA Form# 20420
ANTIASTHMATIC-CFTR POTENTIATOR AND COMBINATIONS			MC MC		ORKAMBI KALYDECO	Use PA Form# 20420
IDIOPATHIC PULMONARY FIBROSIS			MC MC/DEL		ESBRIET ¹ OFEV ¹	1. Diagnosis required Use PA Form# 20420
COUGH/COLD						
COUGH/COLD	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC	DEXTRO-GUAIF SYRP ¹ GUAIFENESIN SYRP ¹ PSEUDOEPHEDRINE ¹ ROBITUSSIN DM SYRP ¹ ROBITUSSIN SUGAR FREE SYRP ¹				1. All of cough cold preparations are not covered except these preferred products. Use PA Form# 20420
DIGESTIVE AIDS / ASSORTED GI						

GI - ANTIPERISTALTIC AGENTS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC		DIPHENOXYLATE DIPHENOXYLATE/ATROPINE LOPERAMIDE HCL CAPS/LIQ OPIUM TINCTURE TINC PAREGORIC TINC	MC/DEL MC MC		LOFENE TABS LONOX TABS MOTOFEN TABS	Use PA Form# 20420
GI - ANTI-DIARRHEAL/ ANTACID - MISC.	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		ATROPINE SULFATE SOLN BENTYL SYRP BISMATROL BISMUTH SUBSALICYLATE CALCIUM CARBONATE (ANTACID) CHEW DICYCLOMINE HCL GLYCOPYRROLATE TABS HAPONAL TABS HYOSCYAMINE CAPS & TABS HYOSCYAMINE SULFATE KAOPECTATE MAGNESIUM OXIDE TABS MAG-OX 400 TABS PAMINE TABS PROPANTHELINE BROMIDE TABS SAL-TROPINE TABS SODIUM BICARBONATE TABS TUMS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC		BELLADONNA ALKALOIDS & OP BENTYL TABS CUVPOSA ED-SPAZ FULYZAQ ¹ GLYCOPYRROLATE INJ HYOSCYAMINE SL LEVBID TB12 LEVSIN ELIX LEVSIN TABS LEVSIN/SL SUBL NULEV TBDP ROBINUL INJ ROBINUL TABS	Use PA Form# 20420 1. Dosing limits apply please refer to Dose Consolidation List
GI- BILE ACID				MC		CHOLBAM	
GI - H2-ANTAGONISTS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC		CIMETIDINE FAMOTIDINE RANITIDINE 150MG TABS RANITIDINE SYRP ACID REDUCER TABS	MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		AXID CAPS AXID AR TABS NIZATIDINE CAPS PEPCID PEPCID AC RANITIDINE 150MG CAPS ZANTAC SYRP ZANTAC TABS	Use PA Form# 20420
GI - PROTON PUMP INHIBITOR	MC/DEL MC/DEL		OMEPRAZOLE 20MG ² PANTOPRAZOLE	MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	6 7 7 8 8 8 8 8 8	NEXIUM CPDR ⁴ PRILOSEC OTC ⁴ ACIPHEX TBEC ⁴ DEXILANT (KAPIDEX) ² PREVACID CPDR ^{4,5} PREVACID SOLUTABS ¹ PRILOSEC CPDR PROTONIX INJ	1. Prevacid Solutabs available without PA for children less than 9 years old. 2. Dosing limits apply, please see dosage consolidation list. 3. Please use multiple 20mg Capsules to obtain required dose.

				MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC	8 8 8 8 9	PROTONIX ² OMEPRazole 10MG ² OMEPRazole-SODIUM BICARBONATE CAPS LANSOPRAZOLE OMEPRazole 40MG ³	4. All preferreds and step therapy must be tried and failed. 5. Established users prior to 10/1/09 may continue to obtain Prevacid until 12/31/09.
GI - ULCER ANTI-INFECTIVE				MC MC MC		HELIDAC PREVPAC PYLERA	Use PA Form# 20420
GI - PROSTAGLANDINS	MC		MISOPROSTOL TABS	MC/DEL		CYTOTEC TABS	Use PA Form# 20420
GI - DIGESTIVE ENZYMES	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC		CREON ¹ LACTASE CHEW LACTASE TAB ZENPEP ¹	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		LACTRASE CAPS PANCREAZE PERTZYE ULTRESA VIOKACE	Use PA Form# 20420 1. Clinical PA is required to establish CF diagnosis and medical necessity. In all cases except cystic fibrosis patients, objective evidence of pancreatic insufficiency (fat malabsorption test etc...) must be supplied.
GI - ANTI - FLATULENTS / GI STIMULANTS	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		CALULOSE SYRP CONSTULOSE SYRP ENULOSE SYRP ¹ GASTROCROM CONC GENERLAC SYRP ¹ LACTULOSE SYRP ¹ METOCLOPRAMIDE HCL SIMETHICONE	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL		AMITIZA ² CEPHULAC SYRP INFANTS GAS RELIEF SUSP REGLAN TABS	1. Diag codes no longer necessary for preferred products. Lactulose has 60cc/day QL Use PA Form# 20420 2. Prior failed trials of multiple other preferred GI agents must occur first, Such as OTC senna, docusate, lactulose, polyethylene glycol.
GI - INFLAMMATORY BOWEL AGENTS	MC MC MC/DEL		APRISO AZULFIDINE TABS BALSALAZIDE	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		ASACOL 800MG HD AZULFIDINE EN-TABS TBEC DELZICOL	Use PA Form# 20420 1. Current users

	MC	CANASA SUPP	MC	GIAZO	grandfathered.
	MC	COLAZAL CAPS	MC/DEL	LIALDA TABS ¹	
	MC	DIPENTUM CAPS	MC/DEL	PENTASA 500MG ²	2. Use multiple Pentasa 250mg.
	MC	PENTASA CPR 250MG	MC	SFROWASA	
	MC/DEL	ROWASA ENEM	MC	UCERIS RECTAL FOAM ³	
	MC/DEL	SULFAZINE EC TBEC	MC	UCERIS TABS ³	3. Diagnosis required
	MC/DEL	SULFASALAZINE TABS			
GI - IRRITABLE BOWEL SYNDROME AGENTS			MC/DEL	LOTRONEX TABS	Use PA Form# 20420
GI- SHORT BOWL SYNDROME			MC	GATTEX	
MISCELLANEOUS GI					
GI - MISC.	MC/DEL	BISAC-EVAC SUPP	MC/DEL	ACTIGALL CAPS	1. Must show evidence of trials of preferred agents that do not require PA, such as OTC senna, docusate, mineral oil and prescription lactulose.
	MC/DEL	BISACODYL	MC	BENEFIBER	
	MC	BISCOLAX SUPP	MC/DEL	CARAFATE	
	MC	CINOBAC CAPS	MC/DEL	CLEARLAX POW	
	MC/DEL	CITRATE OF MAGNESIA SOLN	MC/DEL	COLACE CAPS	
	MC/DEL	CITRUCEL	MC/DEL	COLYTE	
	MC/DEL	DIOCTO SYRP	MC	DIOCTO-C SYRP	2. Quantity Limit: 255 g/90-day without PA for greater than 18 years old. If under 18 years of age, allowed 17gms daily without PA.
	MC	DOCUSATE CALCIUM CAPS	MC	DOC SOD /CAS CAP	
	MC/DEL	DOCUSATE SODIUM	MC	DOC-Q-LAX CAPS	
	MC/DEL	FIBER LAXATIVE TABS	MC/DEL	DOCUSATE SODIUM/CAS CAPS	
	MC	FLEET	MC/DEL	DOK PLUS	
	MC/DEL	GENFIBER POWD	MC/DEL	DULCOLAX SUPP	
	MC/DEL	GLYCERIN	MC	FIBER CON TABS	3. Multiple preferred agents and dietary changes are required.
	MC	HIPREX TABS	MC/DEL	FIBER-LAX TABS	
	MC/DEL	KRISTALOSE PACK	MC	GOLYTELY SOLR	
	MC	MAALOX	MC/DEL	LINZESS	Use PA Form# 20420
	MC	METAMUCIL	MC	MALTSUPEX	
	MC/DEL	MILK OF MAGNESIA SUSP	MC	MIRALAX PACK (OTC versions)	
	MC	MINERAL OIL OIL	MC	MIRALAX POWD (OTC versions)	
	MC	NULYTELY SOLR	MC/DEL	MOVANTIK ³	
	MC/DEL	SENNA	MC	PEG 3350 POWDER ²	
	MC/DEL	SENOKOT GRAN	MC	PEG-ELECTROLYTES SOLR	
	MC/DEL	SENOKOT SYRP	MC	PREPOPIK PAK	
	MC/DEL	SENOKOT CHILDRENS SYRP	MC/DEL	SENEXON TABS	
	MC	SENOKOT XTRA TABS	MC/DEL	SENOKOT TABS	
	MC/DEL	STOOL SOFTENER CAPS	MC	SENOKOT S TABS	
	MC/DEL	SUCRALFATE TABS	MC/DEL	SORBITOL	
	MC	UNI-EASE CAPS	MC	STOOL SOFTENER PLUS CAPS	
	MC	UNIFIBER POWD	MC/DEL	UNI-CENNA TABS	
	MC	URSO FORTE	MC	UNI-EASE PLUS CAPS	

	MC/DEL	URSODIOL	MC	V-R NATURAL SENNA LAXATIV TABS	
			MC	URSO 250	
MISC. UROLOGICAL					
UROLOGICAL - MISC.	MC	ACETIC ACID 0.25% SOLN	MC	CITRIC ACID/SODIUM CITRAT SOLN	1. Elmiron requires adequate proof of Dx with supportive testing. Use PA Form# 20420
	MC	CYTRA-K SOLN	MC/DEL	CYTRA-2 SOLN	
	MC	FURADANTIN SUSP	MC/DEL	ELMIRON CAPS ¹	
	MC	K-PHOS MF TABS	MC/DEL	MACROBID CAPS	
	MC/DEL	METHENAMINE MANDELATE TABS	MC/DEL	MACRODANTIN CAPS	
	MC/DEL	MONUROL PACK	MC/DEL	NITROFURANTOIN MACR SUSP	
	MC/DEL	NEOSPORIN GU IRRIGANT SOLN	MC	POTASSIUM CITRATE/CITRIC SOLN	
	MC/DEL	NITROFURANTOIN MONO CAPS	MC/DEL	PYRIDIUM PLUS TABS	
	MC/DEL	PHENAZOPYRIDINE HCL TABS	MC	PYRIDIUM TABS	
	MC/DEL	PHENAZOPYRIDINE PLUS	MC/DEL	RENACIDIN SOLN	
	MC/DEL	PROSED/DS TABS			
	MC	TRICITRATES SYRP			
	MC/DEL	URELIEF PLUS			
	MC	UREX TABS			
	MC/DEL	URISED TABS			
	MC	UROCIT-K			
	MC/DEL	UROQID #2 TABS			
PHOSPHATE BINDERS					
PHOSPHATE BINDERS	MC/DEL	CALCIUM ACETATE TAB ¹	MC	AURYXIA ¹	Use PA Form# 20420 1. Diag required.
	MC/DEL	CALCIUM ACETATE CAP ¹	MC/DEL	FOSRENOL ¹	
	MC/DEL	ELIPHOS ¹	MC/DEL	REVELA ¹	
	MC/DEL	MAGNEBIND - 400 ¹	MC	VELPHORO ¹	
	MC	PHOSLYRA ¹			
	MC/DEL	RENAGEL ¹			
INTRA-VAGINALS					
VAGINAL - ANTIBACTERIALS	MC/DEL	CLEOCIN CREA	MC/DEL	NUVESA	1. Step order must be followed to avoid PA. Must fail Cleocin Cream and Metronidazole products before moving to next step product without PA. 2. Dosing limits apply, please see Dosage Consolidation List. Use PA Form# 20420
	MC/DEL	METROGEL VAGINAL GEL ²	MC/DEL	VANDAZOLE	
	MC/DEL	METRONIDAZOLE VAGINAL GEL ²			
	MC/DEL	CLEOCIN SUPP ¹			
VAGINAL - ANTI FUNGALS	MC	CLINDESSE CREA	MC	AVC CREA	1. Quantity limit: 1/script/2 weeks Use PA Form# 20420
	MC/DEL	CLOTRIMAZOLE CREA	MC	CLOTRIMAZOLE 3 DAY CREA	
	MC/DEL	GYNE-LOTTRIMIN CREA	MC	GYNAZOLE-1 CREA	
	MC	MICONAZOLE CREA	MC	GYNE-LOTTRIMIN 3 TABS	

	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC	MICONAZOLE 3 COMBO PACK KIT ¹ MICONAZOLE 7 CREA MICONAZOLE NITRATE CREA NYSTATIN TABS TERCONAZOLE 0.4MG VAGITROL V-R MICONAZOLE-7 CREA	MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL		MICONAZOLE 3 SUPP TERAZOL 3 CREA TERAZOL 7 CREA TERCONAZOLE 0.8MG TERCONAZOLE SUPP	
VAGINAL - CONTRACEPTIVES						Use PA Form# 20420
VAGINAL - ESTROGENS	MC/DEL MC/DEL	ESTRING RING PREMARIN CREA	MC/DEL MC/DEL		ESTRACE CREA ¹ VAGIFEM TABS ¹	1. Must fail all preferred products before non-preferred. Use PA Form# 20420
VAGINAL - OTHER	MC/DEL MC MC	ACID JELLY GEL ACI-JEL GEL CERVICAL AMINO ACID CREA	MC		AMINO ACID CERVICAL CREA	Use PA Form# 20420
BPH						
BPH	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	DOXAZOSIN MESYLATE TABS FINASTERIDE ¹ TERAZOSIN HCL CAPS TAMSULOSIN HCL	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	5 8 8 8 8 8 8	FLOMAX CP24 ALFUZOSIN AVODART ^{2,4} CARDURA TABS ⁴ JALYN ^{3,4} PROSCAR TABS ⁴ RAPAFLO ⁴ UROXATRAL ⁴	1. There will be dosing limits of 1 tab per day with out PA. 2. Prior use of preferred agent prior to any approvals. 3. Use of preferred (tamsulosin and finasteride) and (tamsulosin and non-preferred Avodart). 4. Non-preferred products must be used in specified order. Use PA Form# 20420
ANXIOLYTICS						
ANXIOLYTICS - BENZODIAZEPINES	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	ALPRAZOLAM TABS CHLORDIAZEPOXIDE HCL CAPS CLORAZEPATE DIPOTASSIUM TABS DIAZEPAM LORAZEPAM OXAZEPAM CAPS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	8 8 8 8 8 8	ALPRAZOLAM ER ATIVAN NIRAVAM SERAX TRANXENE XANAX TABS XANAX XR	Use PA Form# 20420
ANXIOLYTICS - MISC.	MC/DEL	BUSPIRONE HCL TABS	MC		BUSPAR TABS	Use PA Form# 20420

MC	HYDROXYZINE HCL SOLN	MC	DROPERIDOL SOLN
MC	HYDROXYZINE HCL SYRP	MC/DEL	HYDROXYZINE HCL TABS
MC/DEL	HYDROXYZINE PAMOATE CAPS	MC/DEL	HYDROXYZINE PAMOATE 100MG CAPS
MC/DEL	MEPROBAMATE TABS	MC/DEL	VISTARIL

ANTI-DEPRESSANTS

ANTIDEPRESSANTS - MAO INHIBITORS	MC/DEL		NARDIL TABS	MC/DEL		TRANLYCYPROMINE	Use PA Form# 20420
	MC/DEL		PARNATE TABS				
ANTIDEPRESSANTS - MAO INHIBITORS TOPICAL				MC/DEL		EMSAM ¹	1. Dosing limits apply, please refer to Dose consolidation list. Use PA Form# 20420
ANTIDEPRESSANTS - SELECTED SSRI's	MC/DEL		BUPROPION HCL TABS	MC/DEL	8	APLENZIN ⁷	1. Use Fluoxetine 20 mg in multiples. 2. See Zoloft splitting table. Sertraline requires splitting of scored tabs to avoid PA. 3. Strong caution with pediatric population. 4. See Celexa/Citalopram and Lexapro splitting tables. 5. Max daily dose allowed is 60mg, only 1 capsule per day allowed for all strengths. Combination of multiple strengths require PA. 6. Use Fluoxetine 10mg tabs in multiples. 7. Provide clinical documentation as to why a preferred generic alternative cannot be used. 8. Dosing limits allowing 2
	MC/DEL		BUPROPION SR	MC/DEL	8	BRINTELLIX ¹³	
	MC/DEL		BUPROPION XL	MC/DEL	8	CELEXA ⁴	
	MC/DEL		CITALOPRAM ⁴	MC	8	CYMBALTA ⁵	
	MC/DEL		DULOXETINE	MC/DEL	8	EFFEXOR TABS	
	MC/DEL		ESCITALOPRAM ⁴	MC/DEL	8	EFFEXOR XR CP24 ^{3, 10}	
	MC/DEL		FLUOXETINE HCL CAPS	MC/DEL	8	FETZIMA ¹²	
	MC/DEL		FLUOXETINE HCL LIQD	MC/DEL	8	FLUOXETINE 40mg AND 60 mg CAPS ¹	
	MC/DEL		FLUVOXAMINE MALEATE TABS	MC/DEL	8	FLUOXETINE 10mg AND 20mg TABS ⁶	
	MC/DEL		MIRTAZAPINE	MC	8	FORFIVO XL	
	MC/DEL		NEFAZODONE	MC/DEL	8	IRENKA	
	MC/DEL		PAROXETINE ³	MC/DEL	8	KHEDEZLA ¹⁴	
	MC/DEL		SERTRALINE HCL ²	MC/DEL	8	LEXAPRO TABS ⁴	
	MC/DEL		TRAZODONE HCL TABS	MC	8	LUVOX TABS	
	MC/DEL		VENLAFAXINE ER CAPS ⁹	MC	8	MAPROTILINE HCL TABS	
				MC/DEL	8	MIRTAZAPINE ODT	
				MC	8	OLEPTRO	
				MC/DEL	8	PAROXETINE CR ⁵	
				MC/DEL	8	PAXIL ³	
				MC/DEL	8	PAXIL CR ³	
				MC/DEL	8	PRISTIQ	
				MC	8	PROZAC	
				MC	8	PROZAC CAPS	
				MC	8	PROZAC WEEKLY CPDR	
				MC/DEL	8	REMERON TABS	
				MC/DEL	8	SARAFEM CAPS	
				MC/DEL	8	TRAZODONE HCL 300MG TABS	
				MC/DEL	8	WELLBUTRIN TABS	
				MC/DEL	8	WELLBUTRIN SR TBCR	
				MC/DEL	8	WELLBUTRIN XL	
				MC/DEL	8	REMERON SOLTAB TBCR	
				MC/DEL	8	SAVELLA ⁸	

				MC/DEL	8	ZOLOFT	tabs/day and a max daily limit of 200mg / day applies. Please see dose consolidation list.
				MC/DEL	8	VENLAFAXINE TABS ⁹	9. Dosing limits and max daily dose applies. Limit of 1 per day of 37.5mg, 75mg, will be allowed without pa, along with limits of 2 caps per day of the 150mg strength. Max daily dose allowed is 375mg.
				MC/DEL	8	VENLAFAXINE ER TABS ⁹	10. Use venlafaxine ER tabs.
				MC/DEL	9	VIIBRYD	11. Non-preferred products must be used in specified step order.
				MC/DEL	9	FLUOXETINE 90mg TABS ¹¹	12. Requires previous trials/failure of multiple preferred medications. Dosing limits apply, please see the dose consolidation list. Max daily dose of 80mg if used concomitantly with strong CYP3A4 inhibitor.
							13. Dosing limits apply, please see dose consolidation list. Use PA Form# 20420
ANTIDEPRESSANTS - TRI-CYCLICS		MC/DEL	AMITRIPTYLINE HCL TABS ¹	MC/DEL		AMOXAPINE TABS	1. Users over the age of 65 require a pa.
		MC/DEL	ANAFRANIL CAPS ¹	MC/DEL		CLOMIPRAMINE HCL CAPS	
		MC/DEL	DESIPRAMINE HCL TABS ¹	MC/DEL		DOXEPIN HCL 150 MG ²	
		MC/DEL	DOXEPIN HCL ¹	MC/DEL		NORPRAMIN TABS	2. Use multiples of 50mg.
		MC/DEL	IMIPRAMINE HCL TABS ¹	MC/DEL		PAMELOR	
		MC/DEL	NORTRIPTYLINE HCL ¹	MC		TOFRANIL	Use PA Form# 20420
		MC	PROTRIPTYLINE HCL TABS ¹	MC		VIVACTIL TABS	Use PA Form# 10220 for Brand Name requests
		MC	SURMONTIL CAPS ¹				

SEDATIVE / HYPNOTICS

SEDATIVE/HYPNOTICS - BARBITURATE	MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL		BUTISOL SODIUM TABS ¹ CHLORAL HYDRATE SYRP ¹ MEBARAL TABS ¹ PHENOBARBITAL ¹	MC MC/DEL		LUMINAL SOLN SOMNOTE CAPS	1. PA required for new users of preferred products if over 65 years. Use PA Form# 20420
SEDATIVE/HYPNOTICS - BENZODIAZEPINES	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		DORAL TABS ¹ ESTAZOLAM TABS ¹ FLURAZEPAM HCL CAPS ¹ TEMAZEPAM CAPS 15 & 30MG ¹ TRIAZOLAM TABS ¹	MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL		HALCION TABS ¹ MIDAZOLAM HCL SYRP RESTORIL CAPS ¹ TEMAZEPAM 7.5MG ¹	1. Dosing limits apply, please see dosing consolidation list. Use PA Form# 30110
SEDATIVE/HYPNOTICS - Non-Benzodiazepines	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL	1 1 1 2	MIRTAZAPINE TRAZODONE ZOLPIDEM ² ZALEPLON ^{2,3}	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	7 7 7 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8	AMBIEN ¹ ESZOPICLONE ZOLPIDEM ER AMBIEN CR ¹ BELSOMRA ¹ EDLUAR HETLIOZ INTERMEZZO LUNESTA ¹ SONATA CAPS ¹ ROZEREM ZOLPIMIST	1. Quantity Limit of 12 per 34 days. 2. Quantity limits will be allowed up to 30/30, but intermittent therapy is recommended. 3. Only zolpidem trial/failure will be required to obtain Zaleplon. 4. Must fail all preferred products before non-preferred Use PA Form# 30110
ANTI-PSYCHOTICS							
ANTIPSYCHOTICS - ATYPICALS	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		ABILIFY TABS ^{3,4} OLANZAPINE ⁴ RISPERIDONE TAB ⁴ RISPERIDONE SOLN ⁴ QUETIAPINE ^{4,6} ZIPRASIDONE ⁴	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC/DEL	8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8	ABILIFY DISC TAB, INJ and SOL ² ABILIFY MAINTENA ARISTADA ⁷ FANAPT GEODON INVEGA INVEGA SUSTENNA INVEGA TRINZ INJ LATUDA REXULTI RISPERDAL TAB RISPERDAL CONSA ² RISPERDAL M TAB ² RISPERDAL SOLN RISPERIDONE ODT	If prescribing 2 or more antipsychotics, PA will be required for both drugs, except if one is Clozapine. This also includes combination of Seroquel with Seroquel XR. Use PA form# 20440 for Multiple Antipsychotic requests Use PA form# 10130 for non-preferred single therapy atypical requests

			MC/DEL	8	SAPHRIS	1. Please use multiple 25mg tablets.
			MC/DEL	8	SEROQUEL 50MG TABS ^{1,2}	<p>2. Established users of single therapy atypicals were grandfathered</p> <p>3. Abilify requires splitting of tab to avoid PA. Please see Abilify splitting table.</p> <p>4. Prior Authorization will be required for preferred medications for members under the age of 5.</p> <p>5. Product is considered line extension of the original product due to Healthcare Reform (HCR). MaineCare will consider these medications non-preferred and a step 9 because of the impact under the Federal Rebate Program in conjunction with HCR.</p> <p>6. Dosing limits apply: quetiapine 25mg, 50mg and 100mg are available without PA if the daily dosage is less than 1.5 tablets</p> <p>7. Clinical PA required establishing significant reason why an oral agent can't be used</p>
			MC	8	ZYPREXA TABS	
			MC	8	ZYPREXA ZYDIS TBDP ²	
			MC	8	ZYPREXA RELPREVV	
			MC/DEL	8	SEROQUEL TABS	
			MC/DEL	9	SEROQUEL XR ⁵	
ANTIPSYCHOTICS - SPECIAL ATYPICALS	MC/DEL		MC/DEL		CLOZARIL TABS FAZACLO	
ANTIPSYCHOTICS - TYPICAL	MC/DEL		MC/DEL		COMPAZINE	Use PA Form# 20420 If prescribing 2 or more antipsychotics, PA will be required for both drugs, except if one is Clozapine.
	MC/DEL		MC/DEL		COMPRO SUPP	
	MC/DEL		MC		HALDOL DECANOATE	
	MC		MC/DEL		LOXITANE CAPS	
	MC/DEL		MC		MELLARIL	
	MC		MC/DEL		NAVANE CAPS	
					CHLORPROMAZINE HCL	
					FLUPHENAZINE DECANOATE	
					FLUPHENAZINE HCL	
					HALDOL	
					HALOPERIDOL	
					HALOPERIDOL DECANOATE SOLN	

	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		HALOPERIDOL LACTATE SOLN LOXAPINE SUCCINATE CAPS LOXITANE-C CONC MOBAN TABS PERPHENAZINE PROCHLORPERAZINE SERENTIL THIORIDAZINE HCL THIOTHIXENE TRIFLUOPERAZINE HCL TABS	MC MC		PROLIXIN STELAZINE TABS	
LITHIUM							
LITHIUM	MC/DEL MC/DEL		LITHIUM CARBONATE LITHIUM CITRATE SYRP	MC/DEL MC/DEL		ESKALITH CAPS ESKALITH CR TBCR	Use PA Form# 20420
COMBINATION - PSYCHOTHERAPEUTIC							
PSYCHOTHERPEUTIC COMBINATION	MC/DEL MC/DEL		CHLORDIAZEPOXIDE/AMITRIPT PERPHENAZINE/AMITRIPTYLIN	MC	8	SYMBYAX ¹	1. Only available if component ingredients are unavailable. Use PA Form# 20420
STIMULANTS							
STIMULANT - AMPHETAMINES -SHORT ACTING	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		AMPHETAMINE SALT COMBO ^{1,4} DEXTROAMPHET SULF TABS ^{1,3} DEXEDRINE ^{1,3,4}	MC/DEL MC MC		ADDERALL TABS EVEKEO PROCENTRA	1. Preferred stimulants will be available without PA if diagnosis of ADHD. 2. As per recent FDA alert, Adderall & Dexedrine should not be used in patients with underlying heart defects since they may be at increased risk for sudden death. 3. Dosing limits apply, please see dosing consolidation list. 4. Max daily dose of 50mg. Use PA Form# 20420
STIMULANT - LONG ACTING AMPHETAMINES SALT	MC		VYVANSE ^{2,3,4}	MC MC/DEL	8 9	ADDERALL XR CP24 ^{1,3,4} AMPHETAMINE/DEXTROAMPHET ER	Use PA Form# 20420 1. As per recent FDA alert, Adderall should not be used in patients with underlying

					<p>in patients with underlying heart defects since they may be at increased risk for sudden death.</p> <p>2. FDA approval is currently for adults and children 6 or older. Will be available without PA for this age group if within dosing limits. Limit of one capsule daily. Max dose of 70MG daily.</p> <p>3. Preferred stimulants will be available without PA if diagnosis of ADHD.</p> <p>4. Dosing limits apply, please see dosing consolidation list.</p>
LONG ACTING AMPHETAMINES	MC	DEXEDRINE CAP CR ^{1,2,3}	MC	DEXTROAMPHET SULF CPCR ³	<p>1. Preferred stimulants will be available without PA if diagnosis of ADHD.</p> <p>2. As per recent FDA alert, Adderall & Dexedrine should not be used in patients with underlying heart defects since they may be at increased risk for sudden death.</p> <p>3. Dosing limits apply, please see dosing consolidation list.</p> <p>Use PA Form# 20420</p>
STIMULANT - METHYLPHENIDATE	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	DEXMETHYLPHENIDATE IR TABS ¹ METADATE ER TBCR ^{1,2} METHYLIN ER TBCR ^{1,2} METHYLIN TABS ^{1,2} METHYLIN SOL ¹	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL	FOCALIN IR TABS METHYLIN CHEWABLES RITALIN	<p>1. Preferred stimulants will be available without PA if diagnosis of ADHD.</p> <p>Use PA Form# 20420</p> <p>2. Dosing limits apply,</p>

	MC/DEL	METHYLPHENIDATE HCL ^{1,2}				please see dosing consolidation list. Maximum daily doses are as follows: 72mg daily for methylphenidate and 36mg daily for dexamethylphenidate.
STIMULANT - METHYLPHENIDATE - LONG ACTING	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	DAYTRANA ^{1,3} FOCALIN XR ¹ METHYLPHENIDATE ER TABS RITALIN LA ⁴	MC MC MC MC/DEL MC	5 8 8 8 8	METADATE CD CPR APTENSIO CONCERTA TBCR ² METHYLPHENIDATE ER CAPS ^{1,2,4} QUILLIVANT XR	1. Preferred stimulants will be available without PA if diagnosis of ADHD. 2. Non-preferred products must be used in specified step order. 3. FDA approval currently only for ages 6-16. Limit of one patch daily. Max dose of 30MG daily. 4. Dosing limits apply, please see dosing consolidation list. Use PA Form# 20420
STIMULANT - STIMULANT LIKE	MC/DEL MC	GUANFACINE ER KAPVAY	MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC	7 7 8 8 8 9 9 9	PROVIGIL TABS ³ STRATTERA ^{1,2} CAFCIT SOLN ³ INTUNIV MODAFINIL TABS NUVIGIL ³ DESOXYN TABS ³ DESOXYN CR ³	1. Failure of both an amphetamine and methylphenidate is required for consideration for approval of Strattera, unless history of substance abuse without current use of abusable medication(s). Additionally, for patients <17 years of age, a trial of guanfacine is required before approval of Strattera. 2. Strattera currently has dosing limitations allowing one tablet per day for all strengths if obtain approval. Max daily dose of Strattera is 100mg. Please see dosing consolidation list. 3. Non-preferred products must be used in specified

4. Please use generic Guanfacine.

[Use PA Form# 20710 for Provigil, Nuvigil and Xyrem](#)

[Use PA Form# 20420 for all others](#)

ANTI-CATAPLECTIC AGENTS

PSYCHOTHERAPEUTIC AGENTS - MISC.				MC MC MC		NUEDEXTA XYREM SOL ¹ XENAZINE	Use PA Form# 20710 for Xyrem Use PA Form# 20710 for Xenazine 1. See criteria section
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WEIGHT LOSS

WEIGHT LOSS							No longer covered: PHENTERMINE, XENICAL, DIDREX, and MERIDIA
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ALZHEIMER DISEASE

ALZHEIMER - Cholinomimetics/Others	MC/DEL		DONEPEZIL HYDROCHLORIDE TABS ¹	MC	6	ARICEPT TABS ²	1. PA is required to establish dementia diagnosis and baseline mental status score. 2. Must fail all preferred products before moving to non-preferred. Use PA Form# 20420
	MC/DEL		DONEPEZIL HYDROCHLORIDE ODT ¹	MC	6	ARICEPT ODT ²	
	MC/DEL		EXELON DIS ¹	MC/DEL	7	DONEPEZIL HYDROCHLORIDE TABS 23MG	
	MC/DEL		GALANTAMINE CAPS ¹	MC/DEL	8	EXELON CAP	
	MC/DEL		GALANTAMINE TAB ¹	MC/DEL	8	NAMZARIC	
	MC/DEL		NAMENDA ¹	MC	8	RAZADYNE ²	
	MC/DEL		NAMENDA XR CAPS ¹	MC	9	COGNEX CAPS ²	
MC/DEL		RIVASTIGMINE TARTRATE CAPS ¹					

SMOKING CESSATION

NICOTINE PATCHES / TABLETS	MC/DEL MC/DEL		CHANTIX ¹ NICOTINE DIS PT24 ¹	MC/DEL		NICODERM CQ PT24 ¹	Use PA Form# 20420 1. See criteria section for exemptions
NICOTINE REPLACEMENT - OTHER	MC/DEL		NICOTINE POLACRILEX GUM ¹	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC	8 8 8 8	NICOTROL INHALER ^{1,2} NICOTROL NASAL SPRAY ^{1,2} NICORETTE GUM ^{1,2} NICORETTE LOZENGES	Use PA Form# 20420 1. See criteria section for exemptions 2. Must use non-preferred

products in specified step order.

ALCOHOL DETERRENTS

ALCOHOL DETERRENTS	MC MC MC/DEL	ANTABUSE TABS DISULFIRAM TABS NALTREXONE HCL TABS	MC/DEL	ACAMPRO ¹	1. Should only be used in conjunction with formal structured outpatient detoxification program. Use PA Form# 20420
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MISCELLANEOUS ANALGESICS

ANALGESICS - MISC.	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL	ACETAMINOPHEN ASPIRIN ASPRIN/ APAP/ CAFF TAB BUTAL/ASA/CAFF BUTALBITAL COMPOUND BUTALBITAL/ACET TABS BUTALBITAL/APAP CAPS BUTALBITAL/APAP/CAFFEINE CHOLINE MAGNESIUM TRISALI DIFLUNISAL TABS EXCEDRIN SALSALATE TABS	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC MC	AXOCET CAPS ESGIC-PLUS FIORICET TABS FIORINAL CAPS FIORTAL CAPS FORTABS TABS PHRENILIN TABS PHRENILIN FORTE CAPS TRILISATE LIQD TRILISATE TABS ZEBUTAL CAPS ZORPRIN TBCR	Use PA Form# 20420
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LONG ACTING NARCOTICS

NARCOTICS - LONG ACTING	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	EMBEDA FENTANYL PATCH ⁴ KADIAN METHADONE METHADOSE MORPHINE SULFATE ER TB12 BUTRANS ⁴	MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL	8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 9 9	AVINZA DURAGESIC PT72 ⁴ EXALGO HYSINGLA ER MORPHINE SULFATE SUPP MS CONTIN TB12 OPANA ER ORAMORPH SR TB12 OXYCONTIN TB12 ¹ XARTEMIS ER ZOHYDRO ER NUCYNTA ER OXYCODONE ER ^{3,5}	Use PA Form# 20510 Use PA form #10300 for PAs over the opiate limit 1. Oxycontin will be available without PA for patients treated for or dying from cancer or hospice patients. CA (cancer) or HO (hospice) diag code may be used but store must verify since all scripts will be audited and stores will be liable.
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2. Established users are grandfathered.
 3. Oxycodone ER allowed only 2 per day for all strengths except 80 mg, where 4 are allowed to
 4. Dosing limits apply.
 Please see dose consolidation list.
 5. Non-preferred products must be used in specific order.

NARCOTICS - SELECTED

MC/DEL

TRAMADOL HCL TABS

MC/DEL

7

RYZOLT

MC

8

BUPRENEX SOLN

MC/DEL

8

BUTORPHANOL

MC

8

NALBUPHINE HCL SOLN

MC

8

STADOL NS SOLN

MC

8

TRAMADOL ER

MC

8

ULTRACET TABS¹

MC

8

ULTRAM TABS

MC

9

ULTRAM ER

[Use PA Form# 20420](#)
[Use PA form #10300 for PAs over the opiate limit](#)

1. Only available if component ingredients are unavailable.

MISCELLANEOUS NARCOTICS

MISCELLANEOUS NARCOTICS						
NARCOTICS - MISC.	MC/DEL	ACETAMINOPHEN/CODEINE	MC/DEL	8	ABSTRAL	<p>1. Fentanyl OT loz (Barr) and Capital and codeine suspension products require PA for users over 18 years of age. PA is not required if under 18 years of age.</p> <p>2. Oxycodone/acet 10/650 is 8 times more expensive. Use twice as many of oxycod/acet 5/325 instead. You can mix andmatch preferred strengths of oxycodone and oxycodone/acet to minimize acet. dose similar to certain non-preferred drugs.</p> <p>3. Only preferred manufacturer's products will be available without prior authorization.</p>
	MC/DEL	ASPIRIN/CODEINE TABS	MC/DEL	8	ASCOMP/CODEINE CAPS	
	MC/DEL	BUTAL/ASA/CAFF/COD CAPS	MC/DEL	8	BUTALBITAL/APAP/CAFFEINE/ CAPS	
	MC	BUTALBITAL/ASPIRIN/CAFFEI CAPS	MC	8	DEMEROL	
	MC	CAPITAL AND CODEINE SUSP ¹	MC/DEL	8	DILAUDID	
	MC	CAPITAL/CODEINE SUSP ¹	MC	8	DILAUDID-HP SOLN	
	MC/DEL	CODEINE PHOSPHATE SOLN	MC	8	FENTANYL CITRATE SOLN	
	MC/DEL	CODEINE SULFATE TABS	MC/DEL	8	FENTORA	
	MC/DEL	ENDOCET TABS ³	MC/DEL	8	FIORICET/CODEINE CAPS	
	MC/DEL	ENDODAN TABS	MC	8	FIORINAL/CODEINE #3 CAPS	
	MC/DEL	FENTANYL OT LOZ ¹	MC	8	FIORTAL/CODEINE CAPS	
	MC/DEL	FENTANYL OT LOZ1	MC/DEL	8	HYDROCODONE/IBUPROFEN	
	MC/DEL	HYDROCODONE/ACETAMINOPHEN	MC	8	IBUDONE	
	MC/DEL	HYDROMORPHONE HCL ³	MC/DEL	8	LORCET	
	MC	LORTAB ELX	MC	8	LORTAB	
	MC/DEL	MEPERIDINE HCL	MC	8	MAXIDONE TABS	
	MC/DEL	OXYCODONE	MC/DEL	8	NORCO TABS	
	MC/DEL	OXYCODONE/ACETAMINOPHEN ^{2,3}	MC/DEL	8	NUCYNTA	
	MC/DEL	PENTAZOCINE/NALOXONE TABS	MC/DEL	8	ONSOLIS	
	MC	PROPOXYPHENE CMPND-65 CAPS	MC/DEL	8	OXECTA	
	MC	PROPOXYPHENE COMPOUND CAPS	MC/DEL	8	OXYCODONE/APAP 10/650	
	MC/DEL	PROPOXYPHENE HCL CAPS	MC/DEL	8	OXYCODONE/APAP 7.5/500	
	MC/DEL	PROPOXYPHENE/ACET TABS	MC/DEL	8	PENTAZOCINE/ACET TABS	
	MC/DEL	PROPOXYPHENE-N/ACET TABS	MC	8	PERCOCET TABS	
	MC/DEL	ROXICET	MC	8	PERCOCET TABS	
	MC	ROXIPRIN TABS	MC	8	PHRENILIN W/CAFFEINE/CODE CAPS	
			MC/DEL	8	ROXICET 5/500 TABS	
			MC	8	ROXICODONE TABS	
		MC	8	SYNALGOS-DC CAPS		
		MC	8	TALACEN TABS		

			MC	8	TREZIX	
			MC	8	TYLENOL/CODEINE #3 TABS	
			MC	8	TYLOX CAPS	
			MC	8	XOLOX	
			MC	8	VICODIN	
			MC	8	VICOPROFEN TABS	
			MC	8	ZYDONE TABS	
			MC	9	ACTIQ LPOP	
			MC	9	CONZIP	Use PA Form# 20420
			MC	9	OPANA	Use PA form #10300 for PAs over the opiate limit
OPIOID DEPENDENCE TREATMENTS	MC	SUBOXONE FILM ²	MC		SUBOXONE TABS ³	Use PA Form# 10200 for Suboxone Continuation
			MC		BUNAVAIL ⁴	Use PA Form# 10100 for Suboxone Restart
			MC/DEL		BUPRENORPHINE ^{1,2}	1. Buprenorphine will only be approved for use during pregnancy.
			MC		ZUBSOLV ⁴	2. See Criteria Section
						3. The manufacturer will be discontinuing the tablets by the end of quarter one 2013.
						4. 24month lifetime limit for treatment of opioid addiction

NARCOTIC ANTAGONISTS						
NARCOTIC - ANTAGONISTS	MC/DEL		NALTREXONE HCL TABS	MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL	EVZIO NALOXONE INJ REVIA TABS ¹ VIVITROL INJ ²	Use PA Form# 20420 Use PA form# 30400 for Vivitrol requests 1. Will only be approved for side effects experienced with generic that are not described in the literature as occurring with the brand version. 2. Please see the criteria listed on the Vivitrol PA form. Any narcotics attempting to be filled during Vivitrol approval will require prior authorization.
COX 2 / NSAIDS						
COX 2 INHIBITORS - SELECTIVE / HIGHLY SELECTIVE	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		CELEBREX CAPS ^{4,5,6} KETOROLAC TROMETHAMINE ^{2,3,6} NABUMETONE TABS ⁶ MELOXICAM ^{1,6}	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	MOBIC ^b MOBIC SUSP ⁶ RELAFEN TABS ⁶	Use PA Form# 10310 1. Meloxicam has dosing limits allowing one tablet daily of all strengths without PA. 2. Ketorolac Tromethamine is indicated for the short term (up to 5 days) management of moderately severe acute pain that requires analgesic at the opioid level in adults. Not indicated for minor or chronic pain conditions. 3. Ketorolac has dosing limits allowing 24 tablets for a 5 day supply every 30 days.

				MC MC	V-R IBUPROFEN TABS ZORVOLEX	
NSAID - PPI				MC MC/DEL	PREVACID NAPRA-PAC VIMOVO ¹	1. Use a preferred NSAID and PPI separately. Use PA Form# 20420
RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS						
RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC	1 1 1 1 2 2	AZATHIOPRINE HYDROXYCHLOROQUINE LEFLUNOMIDE METHOTREXATE SULFASALAZINE TABS ENBREL ^{1,4} HUMIRA ^{1,2,4}	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC MC/DEL	ARAVAL ACTEMRA CIMZIA ENTYVIO ILARIS ^{2,5,6} KINERET SOLN ORENCIA RASUVO ⁷ REMICADE SIMPONI XELJANZ	Use PA Form# 20900 1. Only one step 1 drug is required to obtain Enbrel or Humira without PA. 2. Dosing limits apply. Please see dose consolidation list. 3. Preferred dosage form allowed without PA after trial of step 1 products is multi-dose vial, with dosing limits allowing 8 injections per 28 days without pa. 4. Established users will be grandfathered for Enbrel and Humira. 5. Clinical PA is required to establish diagnosis and medical necessity. 6. Verification of age for appropriate indication. 7. Treatment failure or intolerance to other forms of preferred methotrexate
MISCELLANEOUS ARTHRITIS						
ARTHRITIS - MISC.	MC MC		RIDAURA CAPS MYOCHRSINE SOLN	MC/DEL	ARTHROTEC ¹	1. The individual components of Arthrotec are available without PA. Use PA Form# 20420
LUPUS-SLE						
LUPUS-SLE				MC	BENLYSTA	Use PA Form# 20420
MIGRAINE THERAPIES						
MIGRAINE - ERGOTAMINE DERIVATIVES	MC		MIGRANAL SOLN	MC/DEL	D.H.E. 45 SOLN	Use PA Form# 10110

	MC		SANSERT TABS			
MIGRAINE - CARBOXYLIC ACID DERIVATIVES	MC		DIVALPROEX ER TB24	MC		DEPAKOTE ER TB24 Use PA Form# 10110
MIGRAINE - SELECTIVE SEROTONIN AGONISTS (5HT)--Tabs	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	1 1 1 2	RELPAK ¹ RIZATRIPTAN TABS SUMATRIPTAN TABS ¹ NARATRIPTAN HCl TABS ¹	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		AMERGE TABS ^{1,2} AXERT TABS ^{1,2} FROVA TABS ^{1,2} IMITREX TABS ^{1,2} MAXALT ^{1,2,3} MAXALT MLT ^{1,2,3} RIZATRIPTAN ODT ZOMIG TABS ^{1,2} ZOMIG NASAL SPARY ^{1,2} ZOMIG ZMT TBDP ^{1,2} 1. All drugs in this category have dosing limits. Please refer to dose consolidation table. 2. Must fail all preferred products before non-preferred. 3. Established users will be grandfathered Use PA Form# 10110
MIGRAINE - SELECTIVE SEROTONIN AGONISTS (5HT)--Injectables	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		IMITREX KIT IMITREX SOLN IMITREX STATDOSE PEN KIT IMITREX STATDOSE REFILL KIT	MC/DEL		SUMATRIPTAN SOLN Use PA Form# 10110
Migraine-selective serotonin agonists (5HT) transdermal				MC		ZECURITY PATCH ^{1,2} Use PA Form# 10110 1. Dosing limits apply. Please see dose consolidation list. 2. Clinical PA required to establish significant contraindication to other preferred and non-preferred agents.
MIGRAINE - SELECTIVE SEROTONIN AGONISTS (5HT)--Combinations				MC/DEL		TREXIMET ^{1,2} Use PA Form# 10110 1. Dosing limits apply. Please see dose consolidation list. 2. Use preferred Sumatriptan and Naproxen separately. Treximet only available if component ingredients of sumatriptan and naproxen are unavailable.
MIGRAINE - MISC.	MC/DEL MC/DEL		CAFERGOT TABS SPASTRIN TABS	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL		MIGRAZONE CAPS BELCOMP-PB SUPP MIGERGOT SUP Use PA Form# 10110

GOUT

GOUT	MC/DEL	ALLOPURINOL TABS	MC	COLCRYS	Use PA Form# 20420	
	MC/DEL		MC/DEL			ULORIC ¹
	MC/DEL		MC			ZYLOPRIM TABS

1. Failure of therapeutic (300mg) dose of Allopurinol (failure define as not being able to get uric acid levels below 6mg/dl) or severe renal disease.

MISC.

ANESTHETICS - MISC.	MC	BUPIVACAINE HCL SOLN	MC	SENSORCAINE-MPF SOLN	Use PA Form# 30130	
	MC		MC/DEL			SYNVISC INJ
	MC		MC			XYLOCAINE SOLN

VACCINES	MC/DEL	GARDASIL VACCINES			Use PA Form# 20420
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ANTI-CONVULSANTS

ANTICONSULSANTS	MC/DEL	CARBAMAZEPINE	MC	8	APTIOM	Use PA Form# 20420	
	MC/DEL	CARBATROL CP12	MC	8	BANZEL		
	MC/DEL	CELONTIN CAPS	MC	8	DEPAKENE		All non-preferred meds must be used in specified order
	MC/DEL	CLONAZEPAM TABS	MC	8	DEPAKOTE		
	MC	DEPAKOTE SPRINKLES CPSP	MC	8	DEPAKOTE ER		
	MC/DEL	DIASTAT ¹	MC/DEL	8	DIAZEPAM GEL		1. Quantity limit. 5/month
	MC/DEL	DILANTIN	MC/DEL	8	DIVALPROEX SODIUM SPRINKLE CAPS		
	MC/DEL	DIVALPROEX SODIUM	MC/DEL	8	EQUETRO		2. Dosing limits apply, please see dose consolidation list.
	MC/DEL	EPITOL TABS	MC/DEL	8	GABITRIL TABS		
	MC/DEL	ETHOSUXIMIDE SYRP	MC/DEL	8	HORIZANT		3. Dosing limits apply per strength as well as a maximum daily dose of 600mg. Please see dose consolidation list.
	MC/DEL	FELBATOL	MC/DEL	8	GABAPENTIN 600mg & 800mg		
	MC	FYCOMPA ²	MC	8	GRALISE		
	MC/DEL	GABAPENTIN ² 300mg & 400mg	MC/DEL	8	KEPPRA TABS		
	MC/DEL	LAMOTRIGINE ²	MC/DEL	8	KEPPRA SOLN		
	MC/DEL	LEVETIRACETAM SOLN/TABS	MC/DEL	8	KLONOPIN TABS		
	MC/DEL	OXCARBAZEPINE	MC/DEL	8	LAMICTAL		
	MC/DEL	PHENYTEK CAPS	MC/DEL	8	LEVETIRACETAM INJ		4. Adjunctive therapy 17 and older.
	MC/DEL	PHENYTOIN	MC/DEL	8	LEVETIRACETAM ER TABS		
	MC/DEL	PRIMIDONE TABS	MC/DEL	8	LYRICA ³		5. Current users as of 7/30/10 for seizures will be grandfathered.
	MC/DEL	TEGRETOL	MC/DEL	8	MYSOLINE TABS		
	MC/DEL	TOPIRAMATE	MC	8	ONFI		
	MC/DEL	TOPIRAMATE SPRINKLE CAPS ²	MC	8	OXTELLAR XR ⁷		
	MC/DEL	TRILEPTAL SUSP	MC/DEL	8	POTIGA		6. Product is considered line extension of the original product due to Healthcare Reform (HCR). MaineCare will consider these
	MC/DEL	VALPROIC ACID					
	MC/DEL	VALPROIC ACID					
	MC/DEL	VIMPAT ⁴	MC	8	SABRIL		
MC/DEL	ZONISAMIDE	MC	8	TOPAMAX			

MC 8 TOPAMAX SPRINKLE CAPS²
 MC 8 TROKENDI^{2,8}
 MC/DEL 8 TRILEPTAL
 MC/DEL 8 ZARONTIN SYRP
 MC/DEL 9 KEPPRA XR^{5,6}
 MC/DEL 9 NEURONTIN
 MC/DEL 9 TEGRETOL-XR TB12^{5,6}
 MC/DEL 9 ZONEGRAN CAPS
 MC/DEL 9 LAMICTAL XR

medications non-preferred
 and a step 9 because of the
 impact under the Federal
 Rebate Program in
 conjunction with HCR.

 7. Max dose 2400mg
 8. Clinical PA required for
 appropriate diagnosis

BIPOLAR DISORDER: STEP ORDER

M ~ A
 4 ~ 4 LAMICTAL
 4 ~ 4 LITHIUM
 4 ~ 4 CARBAMAZEPINE
 4 ~ 4 VALPROATE
 4 ~ 4 ATYPICAL ANTIPSYCHOTICS EXC. CLOZAPINE
 5 ~ 5 TRILEPTAL
 9 ~ 6 TOPAMAX
 9 ~ 7 KEPPRA TABS
 9 ~ 8 GABITRIL TABS
 9 ~ 9 NEURONTIN
 9 ~ 9 ZONEGRAN CAPS

SEE ANTICONVULSANT
 INDICATION CHART AT
 THE END OF THIS
 DOCUMENT
 M= Monotherapy
 A= Adjunctive
 9= No Evidence
 The step orders show the
 relative strength of evidence
 for use in bi-polar and will
 guide prior authorization
 determinations.
 Step 4 drugs-no PA
 required.

PEDIATRIC BIPOLAR1 DISORDER: STEP ORDER

M ~ A
 (6-18 YEARS WITH OR WITHOUT PSYCHOSIS)
 4 ~ 4 LITHIUM
 4 ~ 4 CARBAMAZEPINE
 4 ~ 4 VALPROATE
 4 ~ 4 ATYPICAL ANTIPSYCHOTICS EXC.CLOZAPINE
 4 ~ 4 LAMICTAL
 5 ~ 5 TRILEPTA

Two-step 1 preferred drugs
 must be tried before
 Trileptal.
 The step orders show the
 relative strength of evidence
 for use in bi-polar and will
 guide prior authorization
 determinations.
 Step 4 drugs-no PA
 required.

ANTI-PARKINSON DRUGS

PARKINSONS - ANTICHOLINERGICS

MC/DEL BENZTROPINE MESYLATE TABS
 MC COGENTIN SOLN
 MC/DEL TRIHEXYPHENIDYL

[Use PA Form# 20420](#)

PARKINSONS - COMT INHIBITORS	MC/DEL		COMTAN TABS	MC/DEL		TASMAR TABS	Use PA Form# 20420
PARKINSONS - SELECTED DOPAMIN AGONISTS	MC/DEL MC/DEL		PRAMIPEXOLE ROPINIROLE	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	5 8 8 8 8	MIRAPEX TABS ¹ REQUIP TABS REQUIP XL TABS MIRAPEX ER NEUPRO PATCH	Use PA Form# 20420 1. As of 12/08 users of Mirapex will be grandfathered if diagnosis is Parkinsons.
PARKINSONS - DOPAMINERGICS/CARBII/ LEVO	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL		AMANTADINE HCL BROMOCRIPTINE MESYLATE TABS CARBIDOPA/LEVODOPA TABS ³ CARBIDOPA/LEVODOPA ER LARODOPA TABS PARLODEL CAPS SELEGILINE CAPS HCL	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC		APOKYN ⁴ AZILECT ² BROMOCRIPTINE MESYLATE CAPS ELDEPRYL CAPS LODOSYN TABS PARLODEL TABS RYTARY SELEGILINE TABS HCL SINEMET TABS SINEMET TBCR ZELAPAR ¹	1. Approvals will require concurrent therapy with Levodopa and failed trials of Selegiline, Comtan, and Stalevo. 2. Approvals will require trials of Carbidopa/Levodopa, Selegiline, Comtan, and Stalevo. 3. Only preferred manufacturer's products will be available without prior authorization. Use PA Form# 20420
PARKINSONS - COMBO.				MC/DEL MC		STALEVO ¹ CARBIDOPA/LEVODOPA/ENTACA ¹	Use PA Form# 20420 1. Clinical PA is required to establish diagnosis and medical necessity.
MUSCLE RELAXANTS							
ALS DRUG	MC/DEL		RILUZOLE	MC/DEL		RILUTEK TABS	Use PA Form# 20420
MUSCLE RELAXANTS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL		BACLOFEN TABS CHLORZOXAZONE TABS CYCLOBENZAPRINE HCL TABS LIORESAL INTRATHECAL KIT METHOCARBAMOL TABS TIZANIDINE HCL TABS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL	6 7 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8	SKELAXIN TAB ORPHENADRINE CITRATE CARISOPRODOL 350MG TABS AMRIX DANTRIUM CAPS LIORESAL TABS LORZONE METAXALONE NORFLEX TBCR ROBAXIN-750 TABS VECUROMIUM INJ ZANAFLEX TABS	

			MC/DEL	9	CARISOPRODOL 250MG TABS	
			MC/DEL	9	SOMA TABS	Use PA Form# 20420
MUSCLE RELAXANT - COMBO.			MC/DEL		CARISOPRODOL/ASPIRIN TABS	Use PA Form# 20420
			MC/DEL		CARISOPRODOL/ASPIRIN/CODE	
			MC		NORGESIC TABS	
			MC/DEL		ORPHENADRINE COMPOUND	
			MC/DEL		ORPHENADRINE/ASA/CAFF	
			MC		ORPHENGESIC	
PARATHYROID HORMONE						
PARATHYROID HORMONE			MC		NATPARA ¹	1. Recommended only for those who cannot be well-controlled on calcium supplements and active forms of vitamin D alone.
VITAMINS						
VITAMINS	MC/DEL	ASCORBIC ACID TABS	MC		AQUASOL E SOLN	Use PA Form# 20420
	MC	BIOTIN	MC		AQUAVIT-E SOLN	Please refer to OTC list for covered products.
	MC	CYANOCOBALAMIN SOLN	MC		DHT SOLN	
	MC	FERIVA CAP	MC		NASCOBAL GEL	
		FERIVAF A CAP				Click here for the OTC List
	MC					
	MC	FERRALET 90 TAB				
	MC/DEL	FOLIC ACID TABS				
	MC	FUSION PLUS CAP				
	MC	HEMOCYTE PLU CAP				
	MC	INTEGRA CAP				
	MC	INTEGRA PLUS CAP				
	MC/DEL	MEPHYTON TABS				
	MC/DEL	NIACIN				
	MC	NIACOR TABS				
	MC/DEL	NICOTINIC ACID SR CPCR				
	MC	PYRIDOXINE HCL TABS				
	MC/DEL	SLO-NIACIN TBCR				
	MC	TANDEM CAP				
	MC	TANDEM PLUS CAP				
	MC/DEL	THIAMINE HCL SOLN				
	MC/DEL	VITAMIN B-1 TABS				
	MC/DEL	VITAMIN B-12				
	MC	VITAMIN B-6 TABS				
	MC/DEL	VITAMIN C				
	MC/DEL	VITAMIN E CAPS				

	MC/DEL MC MC	VITAMIN E/D-ALPHA CAPS VITAMIN K1 SOLN V-R VITAMIN E CAPS				
VITAMIN D's	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC	CALCITRIOL CAPS ¹ VITAMIN D ZEMPLAR TABS	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC	DRISDOL CAPS CALCIJEX HECTOROL (ORAL) HECTOROL (PARENTERAL) ROCALTROL ZEMPLAR INJ	1. Diagnosis of dialysis (renal failure) required. Use PA Form# 20420	
MISC MULTI-VITAMINS						
VITAMINS - MISC.	MC MC MC MC MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC MC/DEL	CENTRUM LIQD CENTRUM TABS CENTRUM JR/IRON CHEW CENTRUM SILVER TABS CENTRUM-LUTEIN TABS CEROVITE ADVANCED FO TABS CHEWABLE MULTIVIT/FL CHEW COD LIVER OIL CAPS COMPLETE SENIOR TABS DAILY MULTI VIT/IRON DIALYVITE 1MG DIALYVITE 800MG FERRALET 90 FULL SPECTRUM B M.V.I.-12 INJ MULTI-VIT/FLUORIDE NATALCARE RX TABS NEPHRONEX O-CAL PRENATAL ONE DAILY TABS ONE-DAILY MULTIVITAMINS ONE-TABLET-DAILY POLY-VIT/IRON/FLUORID SOLN POLY-VITAMIN/FLUORIDE SOLN POLY-VITAMINS/IRON SOLN PRENATAL TABS ¹ PRENATAL FORMULA 3 TABS ¹ PRENATAL PLUS TABS ¹ PRENATAL PLUS NF TABS ¹ PRENATAL PLUS/27MG IRON ¹ PRENATAL PLUS/IRON TABS ¹ PRENATAL RX/BETA-CAROTENE ¹	MC MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC/DEL	ADEKS ADVANCED NATALCARE TABS AQUADEKS CENTRUM JR/EXTRA C CHEW CENTRUM PERFORMANCE TABS CITRANATAL DALYVITE LIQD EMBEX 600 MISC IBERET MATERNA TABS MAXARON MULTIRET FOLIC -500 TBCR NATAFORT TABS NATALCARE CFE 60 TABS ¹ NATALCARE GLOSS TABS ¹ NATALCARE PIC TABS ¹ NATALCARE PIC FORTE TABS ¹ NATALCARE PLUS TABS ¹ NATALCARE THREE TABS ¹ NATACHEW CHEW NATALFIRST TABS NATATAB RX TABS NEPHPLEX RX TABS NEPHROCAPS CAPS NEPHRO-VITE TABS NESTABS RX TABS NIFEREX OCUVITE TABS POLY-VI-FLOR SOLN POLY-VI-SOL SOLN POLY-VI-SOL/IRON SOLN POLY-VITAMIN DROPS SOLN	1. Diag codes are no longer required on prenatal vitamins. Please refer to OTC list. Use PA Form# 20420 Click here for the OTC List	

MC/DEL	RENAL CAPS	MC	PRECARE
MC/DEL	RENAPHRO CAPS	MC	PREFERA OB
MC	STRESS TAB NF TABS	MC	PREMESIS RX TABS
MC	THERAPEUTIC-M TABS	MC	PRENATABS CBF TABS ¹
MC	THERAVITE LIQD	MC	PRENATAL CARE TABS ¹
MC/DEL	TRI-VITAMIN/FLUORIDE SOLN	MC	PRENATAL MR 90 TBCR ¹
MC	VITA CON FORTE CAPS	MC/DEL	PRENATAL MTR/SELENIUM TABS ¹
MC	VITAMIN B COMPLEX CAPS	MC	PRENATAL OPTIMA ADVANCE TABS ¹
MC	VITAPLEX PLUS TABS	MC	PRENATAL PC 40 TABS ¹
		MC/DEL	PRENATAL RX TABS ¹
		MC	PRENATE ¹
		MC	PRENATE ELITE ¹
		MC	PRIMACARE MISC
		MC	PROTEGRA CAPS
		MC	STUARTNATAL PLUS 3 TABS ¹
		MC	TRI-VI-SOL SOLN
		MC	TRI-VI-SOL/IRON SOLN
		MC/DEL	ULTRA NATALCARE TABS
		MC	ULTRA-NATAL TABS ¹
		MC	VICON FORTE CAPS
		MC	VINATAL FORTE TABS ¹
		MC	VINATE ¹
		MC/DEL	VINATE ADVANCED TABS ¹

MISCELLANEOUS MINERALS

MINERALS	MC	CALCARB	MC	ANEMAGEN	Use PA Form# 20420 Please refer to OTC list. Click here for the OTC List
	MC	CALCI-MIX CAPSULE CAPS	MC	CALCET TABS	
	MC	CALCIQUID SYRP	MC/DEL	CALCIUM 600-D TABS	
		CALCITRATE/VITAMIN D TABS	MC	CALCIUM/VITAMIN D TABS	
	MC				
	MC/DEL	CALCIUM	MC	CALTRATE 600 PLUS/VIT D TABS	
	MC/DEL	CALCIUM CARBONATE	MC	CALTRATE PLUS TABS	
	MC/DEL	CALCIUM CITRATE TABS	MC	CHROMAGEN	
	MC/DEL	CALCIUM GLUCONATE TABS	MC	CITRACAL PLUS TABS	
	MC/DEL	CALCIUM LACTATE TABS	MC	CONTRIN CAPS	
	MC	CALCIUM/MAGNESIUM TABS	MC	FEOGEN FORTE CAPS	
	MC/DEL	CALCIUM/VITAMIN D TABS	MC	FEROCON CAPS	
	MC	CALTRATE 600 TABS	MC/DEL	FERREX 150 CAPS	
	MC/DEL	CHEWABLE CALCIUM CHEW	MC	FERRO-SEQUELS TBCR	
	MC	CITRACAL TABS	MC	FE-TINIC CAPS	
	MC	CITRACAL + D TABS	MC	FE-TINIC 150 FORTE CAPS	
	MC	CITRUS CALCIUM TABS	MC/DEL	FLUOR-A-DAY SOLN	
	MC	CITRUS CALCIUM 1500 + D TABS	MC/DEL	K-DUR TBCR	
	MC	EFFERVESCENT POTASSIUM TBEF	MC	KLOR-CON PACK	

MC/DEL	FEOSTAT CHEW
MC	FERATAB TABS
MC/DEL	FER-GEN-SOL SOLN
MC	FER-IRON SOLN
MC	FERRONATE TABS
MC/DEL	FERROUS SULFATE
MC/DEL	FLUOR-A-DAY CHEW
MC	FLUORIDE CHEW
MC	FLUORIDE SODIUM CHEW
MC	FLUORITAB CHEW
MC	HEMOCYTE TABS
MC	HM CALCIUM TABS
MC	K+ POTASSIUM PACK
MC	KAON ELIX
MC	KAON-CL-10 TBCR
MC	KCL 0.075%/D5W/NACL 0.2% SOLN
MC	K-EFFERVESCENT TBEF
MC	KLOR-CON
MC	KLOTRIX TBCR
MC/DEL	K-PHOS TABS
MC/DEL	K-VESCENT TBEF
MC/DEL	LURIDE CHEW
MC/DEL	MAGNESIUM GLUCONATE TABS
MC/DEL	MAGNESIUM SULFATE SOLN
MC	MAGTABS
MC	MICRO-K 8 MEG
MC/DEL	OS-CAL TABS
MC/DEL	OS-CAL 500 + D TABS
MC/DEL	OYSCO
MC/DEL	OYST-CAL TABS
MC/DEL	OYST-CAL D TABS
MC/DEL	OYST-CAL/VITAMIN D TABS
MC/DEL	OYSTER CALCIUM TABS
MC/DEL	OYSTER SHELL
MC	PHARMA FLUR
MC/DEL	PHOSPHA 250 NEUTRAL TABS
MC	POTASSIUM BICARBONATE TBEF
MC/DEL	POTASSIUM CHLORIDE 8MEQ
MC	POTASSIUM EFFERVESCENT
MC/DEL	SELENIUM TABS
MC	SLOW-MAG TBCR
MC/DEL	SODIUM FLUORIDE
MC/DEL	SSKI SOLN

MC	K-LYTE
MC/DEL	K-PHOS TABS NEUTRAL
MC	K-TABS TBCR
MC	K-VESCENT PACK
MC	MICRO-K 10 MEG CPCR
MC	NU-IRON 150 CAPS
MC/DEL	OYSTER SHELL CALCIUM/VITA TABS
MC/DEL	POLY-IRON 150 CAPS
MC/DEL	POLYSACCHARIDE IRON CAPS
MC/DEL	POTASSIUM BICARB/CHLORIDE
MC/DEL	POTASSIUM CHLORIDE 10MEQ CAPS
MC/DEL	POTASSIUM CHLORIDE 8MEQ CAPS
MC/DEL	SLOW FE TBCR
MC	TUMS 500 CHEW
MC	VIACTIV CHEW

MC	V-R CALCIUM
MC	V-R OYSTER SHELL CALCIUM
MC	ZINC SULFATE CAPS

MISC. ELECTROLYTES/NUTRITIONALS

ELECTROLYTES/ NUTRITIONALS	MC MC MC/DEL		INTRALIPID EMUL ¹ P.T.E. -5 SOLN ¹ SEA-OMEGA CAPS ¹	MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC		BOOST ¹ CASEC POWD ¹ CHOICE DM LIQD ¹ DELIVER 2.0 LIQD ¹ ENFAMIL ¹ ENSURE ¹ GLUCERNA ¹ ISOCAL LIQD ¹ KINDERCAL TF LIQD ¹ KINDERCAL TF/FIBER LIQD ¹ L-CARNITINE CAPS ¹ LIPISORB LIQD ¹ LOVAZA ^{1,2} MODULEN IBD POWD ¹ NUTRAMIGEN POWD ¹ NUTREN ¹ NUTRITIONAL SUPPLEMENT LIQD ¹ NUTRIVENT 1.5 LIQD ¹ PEPTAMEN ¹ PHENYLADE ¹ PHENYL-FREE ¹ PKU 3 POWD ¹ PREGESTIMIL POWD ¹ PROBALANCE LIQD ¹ PROSOBEE ¹ SCANDISHAKE PACK ¹ VASCEPA	1. This list of nutritionals is incomplete. All nutritionals still require a PA except for the miscellaneous products listed as preferred. SGA form required for nutritionals unless member has a G/I tube. 2. Formerly known as Omacor. Use PA Form# 20420 & SGA Form

ERYTHROPOEITINS	MC		PROCRIT SOLN ¹	MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL	6 8 8 8	EPOGEN SOLN ARANESP SOLN MIRCERA ¹ OMONTYS	Use PA Form# 10520 1. Clinical PA is required to establish medical necessity and that appropriate lab monitoring is being done.

GRANULOCYTE CSF

GRANULOCYTE CSF				MC MC MC	8 8 9	LEUKINE NEUPOGEN SOLN ² NEULASTA ¹	1. Must be used in specified step order. 2. 10 day supply/month may

				MC/DEL		ZARXIO	be used without a PA.
GAUCHER DISEASE							
GAUCHER DISEASE				MC		CERDELGA	
ANTICOAGULANTS / PLATELET AGENTS							
ANTICOAGULANTS	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		ARIXTRA SOLN ¹ ENOXAPARIN ¹ ELIQUIS COUMADIN TABS FRAGMIN INJ ¹ HEPARIN SODIUM/NACL 0.9% SOLN HEP-LOCK SOLN INNOHEP HEPARIN LOCK SOLN HEPARIN LOCK FLUSH SOLN HEPARIN SODIUM SOLN PRADAXA XARELTO HEPARIN SODIUM LOCK FLUSH SOLN	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		LOVENOX SOLN FONDAPARINUX IPRIVASK JANTOVEN LOVENOX 300 ² WARFARIN SODIUM TABS3 SAVAYSAS ⁴	1. Arixtra, Fragmin and Enoxaparin therapy durations greater than 7 days require PA. 2. Use other strengths available to obtain desired dose. 3. Established users will be grandfathered, new starters must use preferred product Coumadin. 4. Diagnosis required Use PA form# 20725 for Pradaxa requests Use PA form# 20420 for other requests
ANTIHEMOPHILIC AGENTS	MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC		ALPHANATE ALPHANINE SD BENEFIX SOLR HELIXATE FS KIT HEMOFIL - M HUMATE-P SOLR KOGENATE FS KONYNE - 80 MONARC - M MONOCLATE - P MONONINE	MC MC		ADVATE ^{1,2} KOATE-DVI	1. Only if other products unavailable. 2. Advate may be available with PA in cases of large volume dosing in patients with poor venous access. Use PA Form# 20420

	MC MC/DEL MC MC MC		NOVOSEVEN SOLR PROFILNINE RECOMBINATE SOLR REFACTO WILATE INJ				
PLATELET AGGREGATION INHIBITORS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		ASPIRIN DIPYRIDAMOLE TABS CLOPIDOGREL 75MG	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	7 8 8 8 8 8	TICLOPIDINE HCL TABS EFFIENT ¹ PERSANTINE TABS BRILINTA ^{1,2} PLAVIX TABS ¹ ZONTIVITY	Use PA Form# 20715 for Plavix, Effent & Brilinta Use PA form# 20420 for other requests 1. A special PA may be obtained at the pharmacy for members scheduled for "stent" placement or have had placement if in the last 12months. Please indicate on prescription date of stent placement. 2. Dosing limits apply, please see dose consolidation list.
PLATELET AGGR. INHIBITORS / COMBO'S - MISC.	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		AGGRENEX CILOSTAZOL PENTOXIFYLLINE ER TBCR	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC		AGRYLIN CAPS ANAGRELIDE CAPS PLETAL TABS TRENTAL TBCR	Use PA Form# 20420
HEMATOLOGICALS							
MONOCLONAL ANTIBODY				MC		SOLIRIS	Use PA Form# 20420
IMMUNE GLOBULIN INTRAVENOUS (IVIG)	MC MC		GAMMAPLEX INJ ¹ OCTAGAM INJ ¹				Use PA Form# 20420 1. Clinical PA required
BRADYKININ B2 RECEPTOR ANTAGONIST				MC		FIRAZYR	Use PA Form# 20420
HEMATOLOGICAL AGENTS- THROMBOPOIETIN RECEPTOR AGONISTS				MC/DEL MC	7 8	PROMACTA NPLATE	Use PA Form# 20420
HEMOSTATIC							
HEMOSTATIC	MC/DEL MC		AMICAR AMINOCAPROIC ACID				Use PA Form# 20420
OPHTHALMICS							

OP. - ANTIBIOTICS	MC MC MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		AK-SPORE OINT BACITRACIN OINT BACITRACIN/NEOMYCIN/POLYM BACITRACIN/POLYMYXIN B OINT CHLOROPTIC SOLN ERYTHROMYCIN OINT GENTAMICIN SULFATE NEOMYCIN/POLYMYXIN/GRAMIC NEOSPORIN SOLN POLYSPORIN SODIUM SULFACETAMIDE SOLN SULFACETAMIDE SODIUM TRIMETHOPRIM SULFATE/POLY VIROPTIC SOLN	MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	AK-POLY-BAC OINT AK-SULF OINT AK-TOB SOLN AZASITE BLEPH-10 SOLN GENTAK ILOTYCIN OINT NEOMYCIN/BACI/POLYM OINT NEOSPORIN OINT OCUSULF-10 SOLN OCUTRICIN SOLN TERAK OINT TOBRAMYCIN SULFATE SOLN TOBREX OINT TRIFLURIDINE SOLN	Use PA Form# 20420
OP. - QUINOLONES	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		CILOXAN OINT CIPROFLOXACIN SOL 0.3% BESIVANCE OFLOXACIN QUIXIN SOLN	MC/DEL MC	CILOXAN SOLN OCUFLOX SOLN	Use PA Form# 20420
OP. QUINOLONES-4TH GENERATION	MC/DEL MC/DEL		VIGAMOX MOXEZA	MC	ZYMAXID	Use PA Form# 20420
OP. - ARTIFICIAL TEARS AND LUBRICANTS	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC		AKWA TEARS OINT ARTIFICIAL TEARS OINT ARTIFICIAL TEARS SOLN CELLUVISC SOLN EYE LUBRICANT OINT GENTEAL LIQUITEARS SOLN MAJOR TEARS SOLN PURALUBE OINT PURALUBE TEARS SOLN REFRESH SOLN OP REFRESH PLUS SOLN ¹ REFRESH PM OINT	MC MC/DEL MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC	AKWA TEARS SOLN ARTIFICIAL TEARS SOLN OP BION TEARS SOLN DRY EYES OINT DURATEARS OINT HYPO TEARS ISOPTO TEARS SOLN LACRI-LUBE LUBRIFRESH P.M. OINT MURINE SOLN MUROCEL SOLN NATURE'S TEARS SOLN REFRESH SOLN REFRESH TEARS SOLN ¹ SYSTANE TEARGEN SOLN TEARISOL SOLN TEARS NATURALE TEARS PURE SOLN TEARS RENEWED OINT THERATEARS SOLN V-R ARTIFICIAL TEARS SOLN	Use PA Form# 20420 1. Dosing limits apply, please see dose consolidation list.
OP. - BETA - BLOCKERS	MC/DEL		BETOPTIC-S SUSP	MC	BETAGAN SOLN	Use PA Form# 20420

	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	CARTEOLOL HCL SOLN LEVOBUNOLOL HCL SOLN METIPRANOLOL SOLN TIMOLOL MALEATE SOLG (GEL) TIMOLOL MALEATE SOLN	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL	BETAXOLOL HCL SOLN BETIMOL SOLN ISTALOL OCUPRESS SOLN OPTIPRANOLOL SOLN TIMOPTIC SOLN TIMOPTIC-XE SOLG	
OP. - ANTI-INFLAMMATORY / STEROIDS OPHTH.	MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	AK-SPORE HC OINT ALREX SUSP BLEPHAMIDE SUSP DEXAMETH SOD PHOS SOLN FLAREX SUSP FLUOROMETHOLONE SUSP FML S.O.P. OINT MAXITROL OPTH OINT 0.1% PRED MILD SUSP PREDNISOLONE TOBRADEX OINT TOBRADEX ST LOTEMAX GEL LOTEMAX OINT	MC MC MC MC MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL	AK-TROL SUSP BAC/POLY/NEOMY/HC OINT BLEPHAMIDE S.O.P. OINT BROMDAY EFLONE SUSP FLUOR-OP SUSP LOTEMAX SUSP NEO/POLY/BAC/HC OINT NEOM/POLY/DEX OPTH OINT 0.1% OZURDEX PRED FORTE SUSP PRED-G SUSP PRED-G S.O.P. OINT SULFACET SOD/PRED SOLN TOBRADEX SUSP TOBRAMYCIN SUSP DEXAMETHASONE VASOCIDIN SOLN VEXOL SUSP	Use PA Form# 20420
OP. - PROSTAGLANDINS	MC/DEL MC/DEL	LATANOPROST SOL 0.005% TRAVATAN-Z	MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	7 ZIOPTAN 8 LUMIGAN SOLN ¹ 8 RESCULA ^{1,2,3} 8 TRAVATAN SOLN 8 TRAVOPROST 8 XALATAN SOLN ¹	1. All preferreds must be tried. 2. Dosing limits apply, please see dosing consolidation list. 3. Clinical PA is required to establish diagnosis and medical necessity. Use PA Form# 20420
OP. - CYCLOPLEGICS	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	AK-PENTOLATE SOLN ATROPINE SULFATE CYCLOPENTOLATE HCL SOLN ISOPTO HYOSCINE SOLN	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC	CYCLOGYL SOLN ISOPTO ATROPINE SOLN ISOPTO HOMATROPINE SOLN MUROCOLL-2 SOLN	Use PA Form# 20420
OP. - MIOTICS - DIRECT ACTING	MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL	ISOPTO CARBACHOL SOLN ISOPTO CARPINE SOLN PILOCAR SOLN PILOCARPINE HCL SOLN			Use PA Form# 20420

	MC	SOTRET ¹			Use PA Form# 20420
TOPICAL - ACNE PREPARATIONS	MC	AZELEX CREA ⁴	MC/DEL	ADAPALENE 0.3% GEL	<p>1. Users 24 or under, PA will not be required.</p> <p>2. Dosing limits allowing one package per month. Please refer to Dose Consolidation List.</p> <p>3. Only available if component ingredients are unavailable.</p> <p>4. Dosing limits apply, please see dosing consolidation list.</p> <p>5. Not approved for use in children <12 years of age</p> <p>Use PA Form# 10220 for Brand Name requests</p> <p>Use PA Form# 20420 for all other requests</p>
	MC	BENZOYL PEROXIDE	MC	ACZONE	
	MC/DEL	CLINDAMYCIN PHOSPHATE ²	MC	ALTINAC CREA	
	MC	ERYDERM SOLN	MC	AVITA CREA	
	MC/DEL	ERYTHROMYCIN GEL	MC	BENZAC	
	MC/DEL	ERYTHROMYCIN PADS	MC/DEL	BENZACLIN GEL ³	
	MC/DEL	ERYTHROMYCIN SOLN	MC/DEL	BENZAGEL-10 GEL	
	MC	ISOTRETINOIN	MC/DEL	BENZAMYCIN GEL	
	MC	METRONIDAZOLE CREA ²	MC/DEL	BENZAMYCINPAK PACK	
	MC	METRONIDAZOLE GEL ²	MC	BENZEFOAM	
	MC	METRONIDAZOLE LOTN ²	MC	BREVOXYL	
	MC/DEL	SODIUM SULFACET/SULF LOTN	MC/DEL	CLEOCIN-T ²	
	MC	TAZORAC	MC	CLINAC BPO GEL	
	MC/DEL	TRETINOIN GEL ¹	MC	CLINDAGEL GEL	
	MC	TRETINOIN CREA ^{1,2}	MC	CLINDETS SWAB	
			MC	DESQUAM-E GEL	
			MC	DESQUAM-X	
			MC	DIFFERIN 0.3% GEL	
			MC	DIFFERIN	
			MC	DUAC GEL	
			MC	EMGEL GEL	
			MC	EPIDUO	
			MC	ERYCETTE PADS	
			MC/DEL	EVOCLIN	
			MC	FINEVIN CREA	
			MC/DEL	KLARON LOTN	
			MC	METROCREAM CREA ²	
		MC	METROGEL GEL ²		
		MC	METROLOTION LOTN ²		
		MC	NEOBENZ MICRO		
		MC/DEL	NORITATE CREA		
		MC	ONEXTON ⁵		
		MC	RETIN-A GEL ²		
		MC	RETIN-A CREA ²		
		MC	RETIN-A MICRO GEL		
		MC	SOOLANTRA ⁴		
		MC/DEL	TRIAZ		
		MC	VELTIN		
		MC	ZENCIA WASH		
		MC	ZETACET		
		MC/DEL	ZIANA		
TOPICAL - ANTIBIOTIC	MC	BACIT/NEOMYCIN/POLYM OINT	MC/DEL	ALTABAX ¹	1. Dosing limits apply,

	MC/DEL		BACITRACIN OINT	MC/DEL		BACTROBAN OINT.	please see dosing consolidation list.
	MC/DEL		BACTROBAN CREA ¹	MC/DEL		TRIPLE ANTIBIOTIC OINT	
	MC/DEL		BACTROBAN NASAL OINT				
	MC/DEL		CENTANY OINT 2% ¹				Use PA Form# 20420
	MC/DEL		GENTAMICIN SULFATE				
	MC/DEL		MUIPIROCIN ¹				
TOPICAL - ANTIFUNGALS	MC/DEL		BETAMETHASONE CLOTRIMAZOLE LOT	MC/DEL	8	BETAMETHASONE CLOTRIMAZOLE CREA	
	MC		CICLOPIROX 0.77 CREA	MC/DEL	8	CICLOPIROX SOLN	Use PA Form# 10120
	MC		CICLOPIROX 0.77 SUSP	MC	8	EXELDERM	
	MC/DEL		CLOTRIMAZOLE	MC	8	FUNGIZONE CREA	1. Diagnosis required
	MC		ECONAZOLE NITRATE CREA	MC/DEL	8	HYDROCORT/IODOQ CREA	
	MC/DEL		KETOCONAZOLE CREA	MC	8	JUBLIA	
	MC/DEL		KETOCONAZOLE SHAM	MC	8	KERYDIN ¹	
	MC/DEL		LOPROX 1.0 CREA	MC/DEL	8	LAMISIL	
	MC/DEL		LOPROX 1.0 LOTN	MC/DEL	8	LOPROX 0.77 LOTN	
	MC/DEL		LOPROX GEL	MC/DEL	8	LOPROX 0.77 CREA	
	MC/DEL		LOPROX TS LOTN	MC/DEL	8	LOPROX 0.77 SUSP	
	MC/DEL		LOTRISONE CREA	MC/DEL	8	LOPROX SHAMPOO SHAM	
	MC/DEL		MICONAZOLE NITRATE CREA	MC	8	LOTRIMIN	
	MC		MYCO-TRIAKET II CREA	MC/DEL	8	LOTRISONE LOT	
	MC/DEL		NYSTATIN	MC	8	LUZU	
	MC/DEL		NYSTATIN/TRIAMCINOLONE CREA	MC/DEL	8	MENTAX CREA	
	MC/DEL		NYSTOP POWD	MC	8	MYCOGEN II CREA	
	MC		PEDI-DRI POWD	MC	8	NAFTIN	
	MC/DEL		TINACTIN	MC	8	NIZORAL SHAM	
	MC		TRI-STATIN II CREA	MC/DEL	8	NYSTATIN/TRIAMCINOLONE OINT	
				MC	8	NYSTAT-RX POWD	
				MC/DEL	8	OXISTAT	
				MC/DEL	9	PENLAC NAIL LACQUER SOLN	
TOPICAL - ANTIPRURITICS	MC		ZONALON CREA	MC		PRUDOXIN CREA	
							Use PA Form# 20420
TOPICAL - ANTIPSORIATICS	MC/DEL		SORIATANE CAPS	MC		OXSORALEN ULTRA CAPS ¹	1. Must fail all preferred products before non-preferred.
	MC		TAZORAC	MC		PSORiatec CREA ¹	
				MC/DEL		SORIATANE CK KIT ¹	2. Individual ingredients are available as preferred without PA.
				MC/DEL		TACLONEX ^{1,2}	Use PA Form# 20420
				MC		VECTICAL ¹	
TOPICAL - ANTISEBORRHEICS	MC/DEL		SELENIUM SULFIDE SHAM	MC		CARMOL SCALP TREATMENT KIT	Use PA Form# 20420
				MC		ZNP BAR	
TOPICAL - ANTIVIRALS				MC/DEL		DENAVIR CREA ^{1,3}	1. Must fail oral treatment with Acyclovir or Valacyclovir
				MC		ZOVI-RX OINT ^{1,2}	

						2. Approvals limited to 1 tube per 180 days. 3. Dosing limits apply, please see dosing consolidation list. Use PA Form# 20420	
TOPICAL - ANTINEOPLASTICS	MC MC		EFUDEX FLUOROPLEX CREA	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL		CARAC CREA FLUOROURACIL SOLARAZE GEL ZYCLARA Use PA Form# 20420	
TOPICAL - BURN PRODUCTS	MC MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL		FURACIN CREA SILVER SULFADIAZINE CREA SSD AF CREA SSD CREA THERMAZENE CREA	MC/DEL		SILVADENE CREA Use PA Form# 20420	
TOPICAL - CORTICOSTEROIDS	MC MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC		LOW POTENCY DESOWEN ¹ HYDROCORTISONE CREA HYDROCORTISONE LOTN LACTICARE-HC LOTN NUTRACORT LOTN TEXACORT SOLN MEDIUM POTENCY DESOXIMETASONE .05% ELOCON FLUOCINOLONE ACETONIDE .025-.01% FLUROSYN CREA FLUTICASONE PROPIONATE CREA/OINT HYDROCORTISONE BUTYRATE HYDROCORTISONE OINT HYDROCORTISONE VALERATE MOMETASONE FUROATE OINT TRIAMCINOLONE ACETONIDE .025-.1% HIGH POTENCY BETAMETHASONE DIPROPIONATE CLOBEX LOTN DESOXIMETASONE .25% DESONIDE ¹ FLUOCINOLONE ACETONIDE .02% FLUOCINONIDE HALOG HALOG-E CREA	MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC		ACLOVATE AMCINONIDE CREA ANUSOL HC-1 OINT CLOBETASOL PROPINATE LOTN CLODERM CREA CORDRAN CORMAX CUTIVATE CREA / OINT CUTIVATE LOTN DERMA-SMOOTH/FS OIL DERMATOP DESONATE GEL DIPROLENE ELOCON OINT HYDROCORTISONE POWD KENALOG AERS LIDA MANTLE HC CREA LOCOID LUXIQ FOAM OLUX FOAM PANDEL CREA PROCTOCORT CREA PSORCON PSORCON E TEMOVATE TOPICORT TOPICORT LP CREA ULTRAVATE VERDES0	Use PA Form# 20420 1. Dosing limits apply, please see dosing consolidation list.

	MC/DEL	TRIAMCINOLONE ACETONIDE .5%	MC		WESTCORT	
		VERY HIGH POTENCY				
	MC/DEL	AUGMENTED BETA DIP				
	MC/DEL	BETAMETHASONE VALERATE				
	MC/DEL	BETA-VAL				
	MC	DIFLORASONE DIACETATE				
	MC	HALOBETASOL				
		MISCELLANEOUS				
	MC	PROCTO-KIT CREA 1%				
TOPICAL - STEROID LOCAL ANESTHETICS			MC		EPIFOAM FOAM	Use PA Form# 20420
TOPICAL - STEROID COMBINATIONS	MC	DERMA-SMOOTH/FS ATOPIC P KIT	MC		CARMOL-HC CREA	Use PA Form# 20420
TOPICAL - EMOLLIENTS	MC/DEL	AMMONIUM LACTATE CREA ¹	MC		LAC-HYDRIN CREA ¹	Use PA Form# 20420
	MC	AMMONIUM LACTATE LOTN 12% ¹	MC		LAC-HYDRIN LOTN 12%	
	MC	VITAMIN A & D MEDICATED OINT	MC		MEDERMA GEL	1. Dosing limits still apply.
			MC		MIMYX	Please see dose consolidation list.
			MC		RENOVA CREA	
TOPICAL - ENZYMES / KERATOLYTICS / UREA	MC	SANTYL OINT	MC		CARMOL 40 CREA	Use PA Form# 20420
			MC		SALEX CREA	
			MC		SALEX LOTN	
TOPICAL - GENITAL WARTS	MC/DEL	IMIQUIMOD ²	MC/DEL	5	PODOFILOX SOLN	Use PA Form# 20420
			MC/DEL	8	ALDARA	1. Non-preferred products must be used in specified order.
			MC/DEL	8	CONDYLOX ¹	
			MC	8	PICATO	
			MC	8	VEREGEN ¹	2. Dosing limits still apply.
			MC	8	ZYCLARA ¹	Please see dose consolidation list.
TOPICAL - IMMUNOMODULATORS			MC/DEL	8	ELIDEL CREA ¹	Use PA Form# 20420
			MC	9	PROTOPIC OINT ^{1,2}	1. Non-preferred products must be used in specified order.

						2. The FDA has issued a Public Health Advisory for both Elidel and Protopic concerning the potential cancer risk associated with their use. Use for children less than 2 years of age is not recommended.
TOPICAL - LOCAL ANESTHETICS	MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL		AF CAPSICUM OLEORESIN CREA CAPSAICIN CREA ELA-MAX ¹ LIDOCAINE/PRILOCAINE CREA ¹ LIDOCAINE GEL	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC MC		EMLA PADS EMLA CREA LIDA MANTLE CREA LIDODERM PTCH PONTOCAINE SOLN SYNERA ZOSTRIX 1. Lidocaine/Prilocaine cream and Ela-Max products require PA for users over 18 years of age. Use PA Form# 20420
TOPICAL - DEPIGMENTING AGENTS				MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC	8 8 8 8 8 8 8 9	ALUSTRA CREA EPIQUIN MICRO GLYQUIN CREA HYDROQUINONE CREA HYDROQUINONE/SUNSCREENS SOLAQUIN FORTE CREA TRI-LUMA CREA ELDOQUIN Use PA Form# 20420
TOPICAL - SCABICIDES AND PEDICULICIDES	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC	1 1 1 1 2	ACTICIN CREA LICE KILLING SHAM LICE TREATMENT CREME RINS LIQD PERMETHRIN LOTN NATROBA ^{1,2}	MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC MC		ELIMITE CREA EURAX LINDANE MALATHION OVIDE LOTN SKLICE ULESFIA 1. Dosing limits apply, please refer to dosage consolidation list. 2. Will require two applications of permethrin. Use PA Form# 20420
TOPICAL - WOUND / DECUBITUS CARE				MC MC/DEL MC/DEL		REGRANEX GEL REGENECARE RADIAPLEXRX Use PA Form# 20420
TOPICAL - ASTRINGENTS / PROTECTANTS	MC		XERAC AC SOLN	MC MC MC MC		LOWILA BAR MOISTURIN DRY SKIN CREA PROSHIELD PLUS SKIN PROTE CREA SURGILUBE GEL 1. Dosing limits apply, please refer to dosage consolidation list. Use PA Form# 20420
TOPICAL - ANTISEPTICS / DISINFECTANTS	MC/DEL MC/DEL		PHISOHEX LIQD POVIDONE-IODINE SOLN	MC MC		BETADINE OINT FORMALYDE-10 AERS Use PA Form# 20420

			MC		IODOSORB	
			MC		LAZERFORMALYDE SOLUTION SOLN	
MISCELLANEOUS EYE						
OP. - EYE	MC			MC	LENS PLUS REWETTING DROPS	Use PA Form# 20420
	MC			MC/DEL	MURO 128	
	MC			MC	NEO-SYNEPHRINE SOLN	
	MC					
	MC					
	MC/DEL					
MISCELLANEOUS EAR						
EAR	MC/DEL			MC	ANTIBIOTIC EAR SOLN	Use PA Form# 20420
	MC			MC	ANTIBIOTIC EAR SUSP	
	MC/DEL			MC	COLY-MYCIN-S SUSP	
	MC/DEL			MC/DEL	CORTISPORIN-TC SUSP	
	MC/DEL			MC/DEL	DEBROX SOLN	
	MC/DEL			MC	DERMOTIC	
	MC			MC/DEL	OFLOXACIN 0.3% OTIC	
	MC/DEL					
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MOUTH ANTISEPTICS						
MOUTH ANTI-INFECTIVES	MC			MC	MYCELEX TROC	Use PA Form# 20420
	MC/DEL			MC	ORAVIG	
MOUTH ANTISEPTICS						
	MC/DEL			MC	APHTHASOL PSTE ¹	Use PA Form# 20420
	MC/DEL			MC	PERIOGARD SOLN ¹	1. Must fail all preferred
	MC			MC	TRIAMCINOLONE ACETONIDE PSTE ¹	products before non-
	MC					preferred.
DENTAL PRODUCTS						
DENTAL PRODUCTS	MC/DEL			MC0MC	APF GEL GEL	Use PA Form# 20420
	MC/DEL			MC/DEL	DENTAGEL GEL	
	MC/DEL			MC/DEL	PHOS-FLUR GEL	

MC/DEL	PHOS FLUR SOLN	MC	THERA-FLUR-N GEL
MC/DEL	SF 5000 PLUS CREA		
MC/DEL	SF GEL		
MC	STANNOUS FLUORIDE ORAL RI CONC		

ARTIFICIAL SALIVA/STIMULANTS

ARTIFICIAL SALIVA/STIMULANTS	MC	SALIVA SUBSTITUTE SOLN	MC	EVOXAC CAPS	Use PA Form# 20420
			MC	RADIACARE SOLR	
			MC	SALAGEN TABS	

MISCELLANEOUS ANORECTAL

ANORECTAL - MISC.	MC/DEL	COLOCORT ENEM	MC/DEL	ANUSOL-HC CREA	Use PA Form# 20420
	MC	CORTENEMA ENEM	MC/DEL	CORTIFOAM FOAM	
	MC	ELA-MAX 5 CREA	MC/DEL	PROCTOFOAM HC FOAM	
	MC/DEL	HYDROCORTISONE ENEM	MC/DEL	PROCTO-KIT CREA 2.5%	
	MC/DEL	PROCTOSOL HC CREA	MC	RECTIV OINT	
	MC/DEL	PROCTOZONE-HC CREA			

T-CELL ACTIVATION INHIBITOR

PSORIASIS BIOLOGICALS	MC	COSENTYX ^d	MC	OTEZLA	<p>1. Will not require a PA if at least one systemic drug such as methotrexate, cyclosporine, methoxsalen or acitretin is in members drug profile. Please refer to dose consolidation list.</p> <p>2. Preferred dosage form allowed without PA after trial of step 1 products is multi-dose vial, with dosing limits allowing 8 injections per 28 days without pa.</p> <p>3. Will be preferred for the indication of plaque psoriasis only after trial and failure of Humira.</p>
	MC	ENBREL ^{1,2}	MC	STELARA	
	MC	HUMIRA ¹			

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ALTERNATIVE MEDICINES						
ALTERNATIVE MEDICINES	MC		DIMETHYL SULFOXIDE SOLN	MC/DEL MC	CO-ENZYME Q-10 MELATONIN TABS	Use PA Form# 20420
CHELATING AGENTS						
CHELATING AGENTS	MC/DEL		CUPRIMINE CAPS	MC MC/DEL	DEPEN TITRATABS TABS EXJADE ¹	Use PA Form# 20420 1. FDA indication of treatment of chronic iron overload due to blood transfusions in membes 2 years of age and older is required for approval of Exjade.
ANTILEPROTIC						
ANTILEPROTIC				MC	THALOMID CAPS ¹	1. All PA requests for 150mg dosing will require use of Thalomid 100mg and 50mg capsules. Use PA Form# 20420
ANTINEOPLASTIC AGENTS						
ANTINEOPLASTIC AGENTS - ANTIADNDROGENS	MC/DEL		BICALUTAMIDE	MC/DEL	CASODEX	Use PA Form# 20420
ANTINEOPLASTIC AGENTS- LHRH ANALOGS	MC		LUPRON DEPOT ¹	MC MC MC/DEL	VANTAS ² FIRMAGON ² TRELSTAR	1. Dosing limits apply, please refer to dosage consolidation list. 2. PA required to confirm FDA approved indication. Use PA Form# 20420
ANTINEOPLASTIC AGENTS - TYROSINE KINASE INHIBITORS				MC MC/DEL MC	SPRYCEL ¹ TYKERB ² GLEEVEC ¹	Use PA Form# 20420 1. Verification of diagnosis is required. 2. PA required to confirm FDA approved indication and to monitor for potential drug-drug interactions.
ANTINEOPLASTICS-MISCELLANEOUS	MC MC/DEL		AMIFOSTINE MERCAPTOPYRINE	MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL	DOCEFREZ ETHYOL LEUPROLIDE OXALIPLATIN PURINETHOL ZOLINZA	Use PA Form# 20420
ANTINEOPLASTICS- MONOCLONAL ANTIBODIES				MC/DEL	HERCEPTIN ¹	1. PA required to confirm

ANTIBODIES						FDA approved indication.
CANCER						
CANCER	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL	ALIMTA ANASTROZOLE TABS AVASTIN ERBITUX LETROZOLE MEGACE ES VIDAZA	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC	ARIMIDEX BOSULIF COMETRIQ ^{3,4,5} ERIVEDGE FARYDAK FOLOTYN GILOTRIF ^{4,5} IBRANCE ICLUSIG ³ INLYTA JAKAFI KEYTRUDA ⁷ LENVIMA LYNPARZA ⁷ NEXAVAR ¹ MEKINIST ^{3,4} ODOMZO ^{1,2,5} POMALYST STIVARGA SUTENT ^{1,2} SYLATRON TAFINLAR ^{3,4,5,6} FEMARA YERVOY XALKORI XTANDI ZELBORAF ZYDELIG ZYKADIA ZYTIGA	1. PA required to confirm FDA approved indication 2. Avoid CYP3AY drug drug interaction. 3. Clinical PA required for appropriate diagnosis 4. Re-approval will require documentation of response without disease progression and tolerance to treatment 5. Dosing limits apply, please see dosage consolidation list. 6. Max daily dose of 300mg. 7. PA required to confirm FDA approved indication	Use PA Form# 20420
IMMUNOSUPPRESSANTS						
IMMUNOSUPPRESSANTS	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	CYCLOSPORINE MODIFIED GENGRAF CAPS MYCOPHENOLATE MYFORTIC NEORAL	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	CELLCEPT CYCLOSPORINE CAPS CYCLOSPORINE SOL. MODIFIED		Use PA Form# 20420

	MC		PROGRAF CAPS			
	MC/DEL		RAPAMUNE			
	MC/DEL		SANDIMMUNE			

PURINE ANALOG

PURINE ANALOG	MC		AZASAN TABS	MC/DEL		IMURAN TABS	Use PA Form# 20420
	MC/DEL		AZATHIOPRINE TABS				

K REMOVING RESINS

K REMOVING RESINS	MC/DEL		KAYEXALATE POWD				Use PA Form# 20420
	MC		KIONEX POWD				
	MC/DEL		SODIUM POLYSTYRENE SULFON				
	MC/DEL		SPS SUSP				
	MC/DEL		SPS 30GM/120ML ENEMA SUSP				

New drugs are initially non-preferred until reviewed by the DUR Committee and the State. According to State policy, any drug requiring specific diagnosis still requires the specific diagnosis unless oth

ANTI-CONVULSANTS INDICATION CHART

	SEIZURES	POST HERPETIC NEURALGIA	DIABETIC PERIPHERAL NEUROPATHY	MONOTHERAPY BIPOLAR	ADJUNCTIVE BIPOLAR	MIGRAINE PROPHYLAXIS	FIBROMYALGIA
GABITRIL	X			9	8		
LAMICTAL	X			4	4		
LYRICA	X	X(2 nd line)	X(2 nd line)				X(2 nd line)
TOPAMAX	X			9	6	X (2 nd line)	
TRILEPTAL	X			5	5		

PEDIATRIC ANTI-CONVULSANTS INDICATION CHART

	SEIZURES	MONOTHERAPY BIPOLAR	ADJUNCTIVE BIPOLAR
LITHIUM		1	1
CARBMAZEPINE	X	1	1
VALPROATE	X	1	1

ATYPICAL ANTIPSYCHOTICS EXC. CLOZAPINE	X	1	1
LAMICTAL	X	1	1
TRILEPTAL	X	5	5
CLOZAPINE	X	6	6

Criteria

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(Explanation of step order.)

the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another

on a case-by-case basis; 2. A trial will not be considered valid if preferred or non-preferred products were readily available (by override, individual purchase, samples, 5 with no lower threshold); 4. Adequate trials require documentation of attempts to titrate dose of preferred agents toward desired clinical response. 5. Adequate trials

provided to confirm drug trials that do not appear in the member's MaineCare drug profile.

are also available. It is expected that preferred generics will be used prior to any preferred brands. This will be operated as a form of step care. Preferred brands in these

and generic equivalent available, the most cost effective medically necessary version will be approved and reimbursed, since the brand-name and A-rated generic drugs are the proper role of the FDA. Physicians should submit their reports of generic inequivalence directly to the FDA via the MEDWATCH.

Applications for approval of a drug for a non- FDA approved indication will require a minimum of two published, peer reviewed, non contradicted, double- blind, placebo-

(Cymbalta, Zofran, Elidel and others).

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Providers must demonstrate high compliance with the Department's PDL. The Department will notify providers in writing which drug categories are included and what dates apply to be met.

DDIs. These will be indicated in the PDL with DDI notation. Please see the DDI document provided in the PDL.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

DDI: Ampicillin will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with either Prevacid, pantoprazole, Prilosec, or any currently non-preferred PPI.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Suprex will be preferred with dosing limits of one tablet per 7 days for prevention and treatment of STI gonorrhoea.

DDI: Vantin will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with either Prevacid, pantoprazole, Prilosec, or any currently non preferred PPI.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

DDI: Preferred erythromycin will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with either Carbamazepine, Enablex 15mg or Vesicare 10mg. Any non preferred formulation of erythromycin will require prior authorization and the member's drug profile will also be monitored for concurrent use with either Carbamazepine, Enablex 15mg or Vesicare 10mg.

DDI: Preferred clarithromycin formulations (clarithromycin tablets) will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if they are currently being used in combination with either Carbamazepine, Onglyza 5mg, Enablex 15mg or Vesicare 10mg. Any non preferred formulation of clarithromycin will require prior authorization and the member's drug profile will also be monitored for concurrent use with either Carbamazepine, Onglyza 5mg, Enablex 15mg or Vesicare 10mg.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

DDI: Preferred ofloxacin will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if they are currently being used in combination with amiodarone.

DDI: Preferred levofloxacin will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if they are currently being used in combination with amiodarone.

DDI: Preferred Avelox will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if they are currently being used in combination with amiodarone.

DDI: All preferred fluoroquinolones will require clinical PA for patients over 60 that are currently on immunosuppressants or steroid therapy.

DDI: Factive is non-preferred but with any prior authorization requests, the member's drug profile will also be monitored for concurrent use with amiodarone.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

TOBI Podhaler is limited to patients with significant impairment from using nebulized version of medication

Current users of Tobi Nebu and Tobramycin Soln will be allowed a grace period until 10/1/15 to transition to preferred Kitabis.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

DDI: Preferred rifampin will be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with either Pradaxa or Latuda.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

1. For macrolide resistant infections when quinolones inappropriate

DDI: Ketek is non-preferred but with any prior authorization requests, the member's drug profile will also be monitored for concurrent use with either Enablex 15mg or Vesicare 10mg or carbamazepine.

Cayston is only indicated to improve respiratory symptoms in CF patients with Pseudomonas aeruginosa. Dosing limits, as should be given TID X28 days (followed by 28 days OFF Cayston therapy). A bronshodilator should be used before administration of Cayston.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists. For Zyvox or Vibativ, please see the criteria listed in the Antibacterial Antibiotics PA form.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists. The other criteria are listed on the Antifungal PA form including the required proof of a non-cosmetic fungal infection.

DDI: Any Griseofulvin will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with either Prevacid, pantoprazole, Prilosec, or any currently non preferred PPI.

DDI: Sporanox is non-preferred but with any prior authorization requests, the member's drug profile will also be monitored for current use with Enablex 15mg, Vesicare 10mg, Prandin, Prevacid, pantoprazole, Prilosec, or any currently non preferred PPI, due to a significant drug-drug interaction.

DDI: Vfend is non-preferred but with any prior authorization requests, the member's drug profile will also be monitored for concurrent use with Warfarin.

DDI: Fluconazole (except 150mg strength) will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used with glimepiride (Amaryl), Enablex 15mg, or Vesicare 10mg. Diflucan is non-preferred but with any prior authorization requests, the member's drug profile will also be monitored for concurrent use with either glimepiride (Amaryl), Enablex 15mg, or Vesicare 10mg.

DDI: Fluconazole will require prior authorization if being used in combination with Plavix or Warfarin.

DDI: Ketoconazole will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if they are currently being used in combination with any of the following medications: Prevacid, Pantoprazole, Plavix, Onglyza, Enablex 15mg, Vesicare 10mg, Latuda, Cometriq, Tafenlar or Omeprazole.

Please refer to the criteria listed on the Fuzeon PA form.

DDI: Reyataz will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with either Prevacid, pantoprazole, Prilosec, or any currently non preferred PPI .

DDI: Preferred Norvir will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with either Enablex 15mg or Vesicare 10mg.

DDI: Preferred Crixivan caps will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with either Enablex 15mg or Vesicare 10mg.

EDURANT® treated subjects with HIV-1 RNA greater than 100,000 copies/mL at the start of therapy experienced virologic failure (HIV-1 RNA greater than or equal to 50 copies/mL) compared to EDURANT® treated subjects with HIV-1 RNA less than or equal to 100,000 copies/mL. Regardless of HIV-1 RNA at the start of therapy, more EDURANT® treated subjects with CD4+ cell count less than 200 cells/mm³ experienced virologic failure compared to EDURANT® treated subjects with CD4+ cell count greater than or equal to 200 cells/mm³.

Stribild needs specific indication(only indicated for HIV-1 infection in adults who are antiretroviral treatment-naïve), as there is a boxed warning that this is not indicated for Hep B and

has not been studied in those co-infected with HIV-1 and HBV. Should not be co-administered with other antiretroviral medications used for HIV1 infections, as this is a complete regimen

DDI: Nevirapine, oxcarbazepine, phenytoin, phenobarbital, carbamazepine, and St. John's wort will be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with Tivicay.

DDI: Aatazanavir or darunavir and the following drugs are contraindicated (due to potential for serious and/or life-threatening events or loss of therapeutic effect): alfuzosin, dronedarone, rifampin, irinotecan, dihydroergotamine, ergotamine, methylergonovine, cisapride, St. John's wort, lovastatin, simvastatin, pimozide, nevirapine, sildenafil (when given as Revatio® for treatment of PAH), indinavir, triazolam, or PO midazolam will be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with Tybost.

Evotaz is only available if unable to tolerate or have failed Reyataz and Norvir

Prezcobix is only available if unable to tolerate or have failed Prezista and Norvir

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved (in step order), unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved (in step order), unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved (in step order), unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

DDI: Olysio will require a prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with drugs known to be significant CYP3A4 inhibitors (ketoconazole, itraconazole, clarithromycin, indinavir, nefazodone, nelfinavir, ritonavir, atazanavir, saquinavir and telithromycin).

Approved for chronic granulomatous disease, osteopetrosis and idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved (in step order), unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Baraclude is indicated for treatment of chronic Hep B virus (HBV) in adults with: evidence of active viral replication AND either evidence of persistent elevation in serum aminotransferases (ALT or AST) or histologically active disease, Patient is 16 years of age or older. Boxed warning: Use not recommended for those co-infected with HIV and HBV who are not also receiving highly active antiretroviral therapy (HAART).

Please see the criteria listed on the Synagis PA form.

Non-Preferred drugs must be tried in step-order and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before lower ranked non-preferred drugs will be approved , unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved (in step order), unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Aubagio is preferred and is for adults with relapsing forms of MS. No concurrent use of leflunomide . Within 6 months of initiation of Aubagio, lab testing to look at (transaminase, bilirubin, CBC, TB) as boxed warning exists regarding hepatotoxicity.



Failed/did not tolerate therapeutic trials fo muscle relaxants, unless contraindicated, including but not limited to baclofen, cyclobenzaprine, orphenadrine, Skelaxin, and tizanidine.

Migraine: Consideration for Botox approvals will only be made after failures of required trials of the following preferred medications: tricyclic or venlafaxine, beta blocker, valproic acid, topiramate

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved (in step order), unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.



Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

DDI: All preferred steroids will require clinical PA for patients over 60 that are currently on fluoroquinolone therapy.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists. Additionally, laboratory evidence of a testosterone deficiency must be supplied. One of each dosage form should be tried (tablet, injection, and topical)

Approved for failures on multiple oral estrogen agents after 90 day trials or if unable to swallow any oral medication.

Preferred drugs must be tried for at least 90 days and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried for at least 90 days and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

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If member experienced adverse reactions, consider using Oral Contraceptives from other groups.

DDI: Preferred Oral Contraceptives will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with Tracleer.

The preferred drug must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Approved if adequate clinical reason given why patient unable to comply with other preferred agents including long acting injectable.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

If member experienced adverse reactions, consider using Oral Contraceptives from other groups.

DDI: Preferred Oral Contraceptives will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with Tracleer.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

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Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

If member experienced adverse reactions, consider using Oral Contraceptives from other groups.

DDI: Preferred Oral Contraceptives will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with Tracleer.

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Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved (in step order), unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved (in step order), unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

DDI: Onglyza 5mg will require a prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with drugs known to be significant CYP3A4 inhibitors (ketoconazole, itraconazole, clarithromycin, indinavir, nefazodone, nelfinavir, ritonavir, atazanavir, saquinavir and telithromycin).

DDI: Juvisync will require a prior authorization if used in concurrent use with drugs known to be significant CYP3A4 inhibitors (ketoconazole, itraconazole, clarithromycin, indinavir, nefazodone, nelfinavir, ritonavir, atazanavir, saquinavir and telithromycin).

Juvisync will remain preferred until product is eventually discontinued later in 2014.

Please see the criteria listed in the Symlin PA form.

Invokana will be considered for patients who are unable to tolerate any preferred medications from other diabetic classes.

Preferred drugs must be tried for at least 3 months at full therapeutic doses and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Glyxambi /Xigduo XR- Verify prior trials and failures or intolerance of preferred treatments from other diabetic categories

Effective October 25th 2007, approvals for all non preferred meters/ test strips will require medical necessity documenting clinically significant features that are not available on any of the preferred meters.

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Trulicity- Verify prior trials and failures or intolerance of preferred treatments from other diabetic categories and that is not being used as first-line treatment

Preferred drugs must be tried for at least 3 months at full therapeutic doses and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

DDI: All sulfonylureas (except glyburide) will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used with either ranitidine or cimetidine.

DDI: Glimepiride will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used with either fluconazole (except 150mg strength) or fluvoxamine. Amaryl is non-preferred but with any prior authorization requests, the member's drug profile will also be monitored for concurrent use with either fluconazole or fluvoxamine.

Preferred drug must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

DDI: Actos, Avandia, or any combination product with Actos or Avandia will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used with gemfibrozil.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

DDI: Actos, Avandia, or any combination product with Actos or Avandia will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used with gemfibrozil.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Approved for patients failing to achieve good diabetic control with maximal doses of individual components.

Preferred drugs from other diabetic sub-categories must be tried and failed due to lack of inadequate diabetic control or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drug will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

DDI: Prandin is non-preferred but with any prior authorization requests, the member's drug profile will also be monitored for current use with both Sporanox and gemfibrozil, due to a significant drug-drug interaction.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

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Binosto use preferred generic alendronate tablets

Baseline PTH, Ca, and phosphorous levels are required and initial approvals will be limited to 3 months. Subsequent approvals will require additional levels being done to assess changes. Will not approve if baseline Ca is less than 8.4.

See Growth Hormone PA form for criteria. Step-order will still apply unless clinical contraindication supplied.

Approved for acromegaly patients failing surgery/radiation/drug therapy including bromocriptine and sandostatin.

Samsca Drug Warning - Avoid use in patients with underlying liver disease, including cirrhosis, because the ability to recover from liver injury may be impaired. Limit duration of therapy to 30 days to minimize the risk of liver injury.

Approved for central diabetes insipidus and for nocturnal enuresis. For nocturnal enuresis- must be over 6 years old, must fail an adequate trial of alarm training (higher success rate, lower relapse rate) and must periodically attempt weaning (at 6 month intervals).

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

1. Vesicare 5mg and Enablex 7.5mg maximum doses if given with drugs known to be significant CYP3A4 inhibitors. (Ketoconazole, Sporanox, Erythromycin, Fluconazole, Nefazodone, Nelfinavir, and Ritonavir)

DDI: Enablex 15mg and Vesicare 10mg will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if they are currently being used in combination with any of the following medications: clarithromycin, erythromycin, Ketek, Crixivan, Norvir, ketoconazole, fluconazole (except 150mg strength), Sporanox, nefazodone, or diltiazem.

Approved for Type 1 hereditary tyrosinemia patients. Must include laboratory evidence of dx at first PA.

In patients with stable, symptomatic chronic heart failure with left ventricular ejection fraction $\leq 35\%$, who are in sinus rhythm with resting heart rate ≥ 70 beats per minute (bpm) and either are on maximally tolerated doses of beta-blockers or have a contraindication to beta-blocker use

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

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Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

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Preferred drugs must be tried and failed (in step-order) due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

DDI: All preferred diltiazems will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if they are currently being used in combination with either Enablex 15mg or Vesicare 10mg. All non-preferred diltiazems require prior authorization, but with any prior authorization request, the member's drug profile will also be monitored for current use with Enablex 15mg or Vesicare 10mg.

Other Preferred calcium channel blockers must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

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Preferred drug must be tried and failed in step order due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs in step order will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed (in step-order) due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

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DDI: Amiodarone will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with either Lovastatin (doses greater than 40mg/day) or Lipitor (doses greater than 20mg/day) or Levofloxacin or Gemifloxacin, or Moxifloxacin, or Ofloxacin.

DDI: Multaq will be preferred unless the following medications are seen in the member's drug profile within the last 35 days for brand name medications or 90 days for generic medications: Erythromycin, Amiodarone and other antiarrhythmics, TCA's, Phentothiazine, Ketoconazole, Itraconazole, Voriconazole, Cyclosporine, Telithromycin, Clarithromycin, Nefazodone, Ritonavir.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs (in step-order) will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists. Non-preferred products are subject to step-order requirements unless clinical circumstances warrant exception.

The initial criteria to use any ARB is that the member must have failed ACE inhibitors (such as due to coughing) in the past or must currently be actively treated for diabetes and Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

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Same initial criteria as the ARB class and Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

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Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

DDI: Fenofibrate is preferred but will require a prior authorization requests if used concurrent with Warfarin.

DDI: Gemfibrozil will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used with any of the following medications: Prandin, Actos, Avandia, any Avandia/Actos combination product, any HMG-COA Reductase Inhibitors (statins), or Warfarin.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

DDI: Lipitor (doses greater than 20mg/day) will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if they are currently being used in combination cyclosporine.

DDI: Lipitor (doses greater than 20mg/day) will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with Amiodarone.

DDI: All preferred statins will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with Gemfibrozil.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists. Zetia will be approved for patients unable to tolerate all other therapies or unable to achieve cholesterol goal with maximally tolerated dose of most potent statins.

DDI: Lescol will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with diclofenac.

DDI: Lovastatin (doses greater than 40mg/day) will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with Amiodarone.

DDI: Lovastatin (doses greater than 20mg per day) will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination cyclosporine.

DDI: All preferred statins will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with Gemfibrozil.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists

Juxtapid is contraindicated with strong CYP3A4 inhibitors. Juxtapid dosage should not exceed 30mg daily when it is used concomitantly with weak CYP3A4 inhibitors.

Kynamro requires an appropriate lab testing prior to starting (ALT<AST), Alkaline phosphatase and total bilirubin, monthly liver-related tests for the first year, then every three months.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

1. Adcirca approvals will require WHO Group 1 diagnosis of primary PAH (Primary Pulmonary Hypertension) and NYHA functional class 2 or 3.
2. Ventavis approvals will require WHO Group 1 diagnosis of primary PAH (Primary Pulmonary Hypertension) and NYHA functional class 3 or 4.
3. Revatio approvals will require WHO Group 1 diagnosis of primary PAH (Primary Pulmonary Hypertension) and NYHA functional class 2 or 3.
3. Revatio approvals will require WHO Group 1 diagnosis of primary PAH (Primary Pulmonary Hypertension) and NYHA functional class 2 or 3.
4. Sildenafil will be preferred with clinical PA for treatment of pulmonary arterial hypotension (WHO Group 1) in adults to improve exercise ability and delay clinical worsening.

DDI: Opsumit will require a prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with drugs known to be significant CYP3A4 inhibitors (ketoconazole, itraconazole, clarithromycin, indinavir, nefazodone, nelfinavir, ritonavir, atazanavir, saquinavir and telithromycin).

DDI: Adempas will require a prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with drugs known to be PDE inhibitors should be avoided (including dipyridamole, adcirca and tadalafil) with adempas

Tracleer approvals will require WHO Group 1 diagnosis of primary PAH (Primary Pulmonary Hypertension) and NYHA functional class 2 thru 4.

DDI: Preferred Oral Contraceptives will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with Tracleer.

Letairis approvals will require WHO Group 1 diagnosis of primary PAH (Primary Pulmonary Hypertension) and functional class 2 or 3 symptoms.

As of January 1, 2006, per CMS (federal govt.), impotence agents are no longer covered.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs and step therapy must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists. * Ondansetron limits still apply as listed on the Ondansetron PA form for covered indications including chemotherapy, radiotherapy, post operative nausea & vomiting and hyperemesis gravidarum. Other medical indications will be approved or denied on a case by case basis. Hyperemesis and other medical indications approved are still subject to failure of multiple preferred antiemesis drugs.

Akynzeo- Concomitant use should be avoided in patients who are chronically using a strong CYP3A inducer such as rifampin.

Preferred drug must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved (in step order), unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists. No combination product with decongestant will be approved since pseudoephedrine available without PA.

Pseudoephedrine is available with prescription.

Prescriber must provide the testing to show that the patient is allergic to the components in the prescribed therapy and must provide a clinically valid rationale why single agent sublingual therapy is being chosen over subcutaneous therapy

Treatment must start 12 weeks before expected onset of pollen season and only after confirmed by positive skin test or in vitro testing for pollen-specific IgE antibodies for short ragweed pollen (Ragwitek), timothy grass or cross-reactive grass pollens (Grastek), or any of the 5 grass species contained in Oralair

Have an auto-injectable epinephrine on-hand

Grastek : Patient age ≥ 5 years and ≤ 65 years

Ragwitek: Patient age ≥ 18 years and ≤ 65 years

Oralair: Patient age ≥ 10 years and ≤ 65 years

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Xolair approval will require suboptimal response to maximal doses of inhaled steroid as evidenced by asthmatic ER/Hospital admissions and Allergy/Pulmonary specialist management.

Preferred drugs and step therapy must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Approved if patient fails on non-sedating antihistamines and steroid nasal sprays.
Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

ADVAIR DISKUS- Patients currently using Advair Diskus® will have a 90 day grace period to transition to Advair HFA® or another preferred product on the PDL such as Dulera® or Symbicort®. Advair Diskus will be approved for patients with asthma or COPD who: have difficulty using MDIs due to lack of hand-breath coordination AND/OR have a history or develop thrush with MDI formulations of inhaled corticosteroids AND/OR are 4-11 years old.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists. Duoneb components are available separately without PA.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Other Preferred asthma controller drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Prolastin and Azemaira will be approved for members with A1AT deficiency and clinically demonstrable panacinar emphysema.

Will be approved for cystic fibrosis patients.

Kalydeco will be considered for patients 6 years of age or older; and has a diagnosis of cystic fibrosis with a G551D mutation in the CFTR gene as detected by an FDA-cleared CF mutation test; and prescriber is a CF specialist or pulmonologist; and patient does not have one of the following infections: Burkholderia cenocepacia, dolosa or mycobacterium abscessus

Ofev- Avoid concomitant use with P-gp and CYP4A inducers (e.g. carbamazepine, phenytoin, and St. John's wort

Esbriet- The concomitant use with strong CYP1A2 inhibitors (e.g. fluvoxamine, enoxacin) is not recommended

All non-preferred products are not covered as permitted by Federal Medicaid regulations and MaineCare Policy.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists. As listed in MaineCare Policy, certain drugs require specific diagnoses for approval.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists. **As listed in MaineCare Policy, certain drugs require specific diagnoses for approval.**

Preferred products that used to require diag codes still require diag codes unless indicated otherwise.

Fulyzaq requires a diagnosis of non-infectious diarrhea in patients with HIV/AIDS on anti-retroviral therapy, prior trials of preferred, more cost effective anti-diarrheals.

Indication of bile acid synthesis disorders due to single enzyme defects (SEDs) AND for adjunctive treatment of peroxisomal disorders (PDs)

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

DDI: Ranitidine and cimetidine will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used with any sulfonylurea (except for glyburide).

DDI: Cimetidine will require prior authorization if being used in combination with Plavix.

All preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs (in step-order) will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Patients obtaining refills as of 7/10/09 will begin to require prior authorizations if they have been on any PPI longer than 60 days in the past year. The 12-month period is patient specific and begins 12 months before the requested date of prior authorization. Payment for usage beyond these limits will be authorized for cases in which there is a diagnosis of:

1. Barrett's esophagus.
2. Erosive esophagitis
3. Hypersecretory conditions (Zollinger-Ellison syndrome, systemic mastocytosis, multiple endocrine adenomas). Recurrent peptic ulcer disease after documentation of previous trials and therapy failure with at least one histamine H2-receptor antagonist at full therapeutic doses and with documentation of either failure of Helicobacter pylori treatment or anegative Helicobacter pylori test result.

4. Symptomatic gastroesophageal reflux after documentation of previous trials and therapy failure with at least one histamine H2-receptor antagonist at full therapeutic doses. Patients may be required to step down from a PPI to a histamine H2-receptor antagonist during the 12 months or on an annual clinical review if PPI therapy is continued.

DDI: Omeprazole will require prior authorization if being used in combination with Plavix.

DDI: Prevacid, Omeprazole and pantoprazole will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if they are currently being used in combination with any of the following medications: Ampicillin, B-12, Fe salts, Griseofulvin, Sporanox, Ketoconazole, Reyataz, or Vantin.

DDI: All non-preferred PPIs require prior authorization, but with any prior authorization request, the member's drug profile will also be monitored for current use with ampicillin, B-12, Fe salts, griseofulvin, itraconazole, ketoconazole, Reyataz or Vantin due to a significant drug-drug interaction.

Preferred drug must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drug will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Non -Preferred drugs must be tried and failed in step-order due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before other non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists. **As listed in MaineCare Policy, certain drugs require specific diagnoses for approval.**

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Giazo is only indicated for males, as the safety/efficacy for use in females has not been established. Prior trials of preferred products.

Uceris Rectal Foam or Tab- Concomitant use with CYP3A inhibitors (e.g. ketoconazole, itraconazole, ritonavir, indinavir, saquinavir, erythromycin, cyclosporine, and grapefruit juice) should be avoided. Verify prior trials and failures or intolerance of preferred treatments

Lotronex will be approved for females with IBS and predominant diarrhea. Prior failed trials of multiple preferred GI agents must occur first. IBS dx must be thoroughly documented.

Gattex requires a diagnosis of adult SBS who are dependent on parenteral support. Appropriate colonoscopy and lab assessments 6months prior to starting

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists. **As listed in MaineCare Policy, certain drugs require specific diagnoses for approval.**

Preferred products that used to require diag codes still require diag codes unless indicated otherwise.

Linzess is non-preferred and is for adults as treatment of IBS-Constipation AND treatment of chronic idiopathic constipation in adults. Prior trials of preferred agents for constipation and IBS-constipation.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed in step-order due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before less preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

DDI: Miconazole will require prior authorization if being used in combination with Warfarin.

Preferred drug must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drug will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs (in step-order) will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists. Approval of a non-preferred 5-alpha reductase inhibitor requires objective clinical evidence of a very enlarged prostate rather than just the presence of obstructive urinary outflow symptoms along with adequate trial of preferred Proscar.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered

on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs (including a preferred SSRI, a non-SSRI, and Venlafaxine ER) must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs (including failure of at least one preferred SSRI, one SNRI and one non-SSRI/SNRI) must be tried for at least 4 weeks each and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Criteria for new starters <18 years of age: Must have had fluoxetine trial for at least 30 days before accessing other preferred antidepressants without PA.

CYMBALTA: Fibromyalgia diagnosis- prior use and failure of preferred generics (amitriptyline or cyclobenzaprine) and gabapentin prior to approval.

SAVELLA: Fibromyalgia diagnosis and trial of a preferred generic amitriptyline, cyclobenzaprine and gabapentin prior to approval.

Exceptions to the rule are as follows.

1. If the member (<18) is already an established user for any of the preferred or non-preferred drugs under the Antidepressant category on the PDL, then they can continue to get that drug.
2. If the member (<18) has a prescription for an antidepressant that is on the PREFERRED side of the PDL and has had a 30 day supply of Fluoxetine at least 30 days before the date they are getting it filled, the claim will pay. If they do not have the trial of Fluoxetine in their profile, the claim will reject for PA required.
3. If the member (<18) has a prescription for a medication that is on the NON-PREFERRED side of the PDL regardless of having Fluoxetine in their profile, the prescription will need a PA.
4. Use of a preferred antidepressant for anxiety will require the diagnosis of anxiety on written prescription and submitted during claim submission.

DDI: Fluvoxamine will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used with glimepiride (Amaryl).

DDI: Preferred nefazodone will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with either Onglyza 5mg, Enblex 15mg or Vesicare 10mg.

DDI: Fluoxetine will require prior authorization if being used in combination with Plavix.

DDI: Fluvoxamine will require prior authorization if being used in combination with Plavix.

SAVELLA: Fibromyalgia diagnosis and trial of a preferred generic amitriptyline, cyclobenzaprine, duloxetine and gabapentin prior to approval.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists. Benzodiazepines do cause dependence with continued use and usage should be limited to 7-10 days at a time. Chronic intermittent use (2-3 Days per week max) is the standard of care

Preferred drug must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Ambien, Ambien CR, Lunesta, Sonata, Zaleplon and Zolpidem may cause dependence with continued use and as with benzodiazepines, usage should be limited to 7-10 days at a time. Chronic intermittent use (2-3 days per week max) is the standard of care. Please refer to Sedative/Hypnotic PA form.

DDI: Belsomra® with strong CYP3A inhibitors (e.g. ketoconazole, itraconazole, posaconazole, clarithromycin, nefazodone, ritonavir, saquinavir, nelfinavir, indinavir, boceprevir, telaprevir, telithromycin, and conivaptan) is not recommended

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists. Non preferred atypicals will be approved for patients with FDA-approved indications, and for specific conditions supported by at least two published peer-reviewed double-blinded, placebo-controlled randomized trials that are not contradicted by other studies of similar quality and as long as all first line preferred therapies have been tried and failed at full therapeutic doses for adequate durations (at least two weeks). * Abilify: doses above 15mg were not shown to be more effective than doses in the 10-15mg range.

Prescriptions for quetiapine are limited to a maximum daily dose of 800mg.

DDI: Abilify, Latuda, Quetiapine, and Zyprexa will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if they are currently being used in combination with carbamazepine. Please use Drug-Drug Interaction PA form #10400.

Atypicals: Prior Authorization will be required for preferred medication to assure indication is in accordance with FDA approved or literature supported evidence-based best practices.

The approved indications are:

- schizophrenia
- bipolar disorder
- agitation related to autism

• severe behavioral dyscontrol with risk of imminent need for emergency services such as the emergency room, crisis services, or an inpatient psychiatric facility.

If prescribing 2 or more antipsychotics, PA will be required for both drugs, except if one is Clozapine. This also includes combination of Seroquel with Seroquel XR.

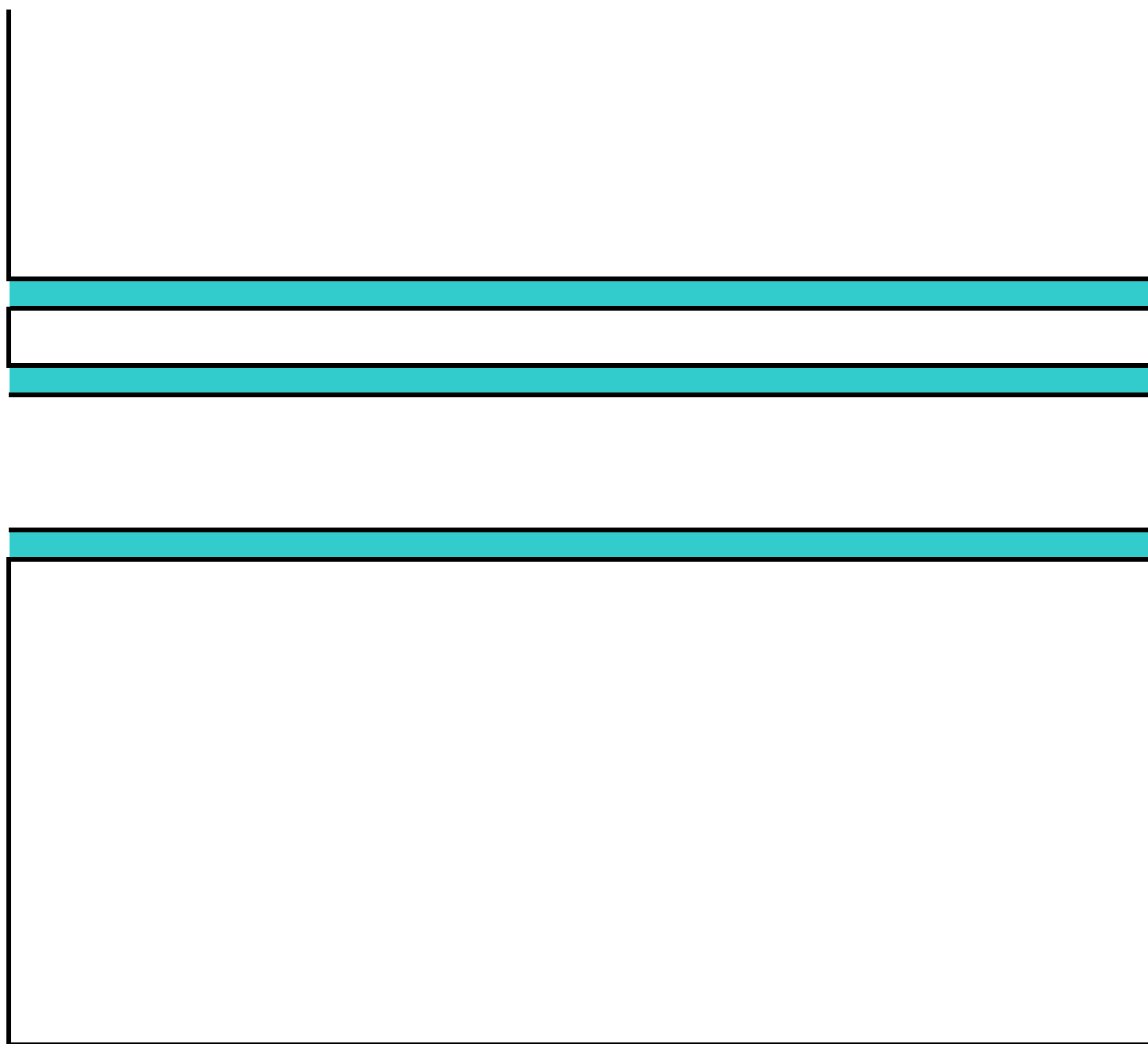
Aristada- establish tolerability to Abilify/oral aripiprazole

Preferred generic drug must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred brand will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists. Patients previously stabilized on brand name drug will be approved.

DDI: Clozapine will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with carbamazepine.
Please use Drug-Drug Interaction PA form #10400.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

If prescribing 2 or more antipsychotics, PA will be required for both drugs, except if one is Clozapine.

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Adderall XR- Current users as of 12/31/11 without prior use of Vyvanse will be required to transition to the preferred vyvanse product. Other members will required PA

Quillivant is only indicated for use in patients 6 years of age and older. Prior trials of preferred products



Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists. Please refer to General Criteria category E.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Provigil requests require diagnosis of Narcolepsy, ADHD, or Obstructive Sleep Apnea. Previous failures of methylphenidate and amphetamine is required for Narcolepsy and ADHD diagnosis, with additional Strattera trial needed with ADHD diagnosis. Please refer to detailed criteria on Provigil PA form

FDA reminded healthcare professionals and patients that the combined use of Xyrem (sodium oxybate) with alcohol or central nervous system (CNS) depressant drugs can markedly impair consciousness and may lead to severe breathing problems (respiratory depression)

Weight loss drugs are not covered as permitted by Federal Medicaid regulations and Maine Medicaid (MaineCare) Policy.

Preferred drug must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs (in step-order) will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

As of July 1, 2014 per MaineCare policy, smoking cessation products will be covered without a copay(including MEDEL). No annual or lifetime limits, must follow FDA approved indications and therapy guidelines.

Preferred drug must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs (in step-order) will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Note: MaineCare policy, smoking cessation product were "not covered" except for during pregnancy between 9/1/12 and 1/1/14, between 1/1/2014 and 7/1/14 smoking cessation products were covered with limitations

Patients may qualify for the medication through The Maine Tobacco Helpline. Patients are encouraged to call The Maine Tobacco helpline at 1-800-207-1230.

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Preferred generic drug must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

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Preferred drugs (Fentanyl Patch, Morphine Sulfate ER tab, Kadian Methadone or Methadose) must be tried for at least 2 weeks each & failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug & the preferred drug(s) exists. Adequate trials include prevention/treatment of common adverse effects associated w/ narcotics (antinausea, antipruritics, etc.) as well as adequate equianalgesic dosing when converting from one narcotic to another. Also, adequate documentation of attempts to titrate dose of preferred agents to achieve adequate pain relief & desired clinical response must be provided. Member's drug regimen for additions &/or discontinuations of medications that may affect absorption &/or metabolism of preferred agents must be monitored. Approvals will not be granted if patient had access to either non-preferred products or high doses of short acting narcotics during the trial period. Non-preferred drugs will not be approved for patients showing evidence of usage patterns consistent w/ controlled substance abuse such as:

- 1.Frequent or persistent early refills of controlled drugs;
- 2.Multiple instances of early refill overrides due to reports of misplacement, stolen, dropped in toilet or sink, distant travel, etc.;
- 3.Breaches of narcotic contracts with any provider;

4.Failure to comply with patient responsibilities in attached opioid documentation (see PA form) including but not limited to failing to submit to and pass pill counts;

5.Failing to take or pass random drug testing;

6.Failing to provide old records regarding prior use of narcotics;

7.Receiving controlled substances from other prescribers that the provider submitting the PA is unaware of

8.Documented history of substance abuse. Substance abuse evaluations may be required for patients with medical records displaying documented substance abuse or potential signs of narcotic misuse and abuse such as chronic early refills, short dosing intervals, frequent dose increases, multiple lost/stolen etc scripts and intolerance or "allergy" to all products but Oxycontin.

9.Circumventing MaineCare prior authorization requirements for narcotics by paying cash for affected narcotics (prescribers failed to submit prior authorization prior to cash narcotic scripts being filled by member).

10.Requests for any Brand name controlled substance, considered by authorities to be highly abused and diverted (Oxycontin, Percocet, Tylox, Vicodin, Dilaudid, Ultracet...) with an available AB rated generic equivalent will be denied unless it will be provided in a setting that virtually eliminates the risk of diversion.

11.Allergic reactions to any product within a specific narcotic class will justify and preclude use of any other product in the same class due to the risk of cross-hypersensitivity.

Hysingla ER- Concomitant use should be avoided with mixed agonist/antagonist analgesics, partial agonist analgesics, and MAOIs. Verify prior trials and failures or intolerance of preferred treatments

Preferred drugs from this and other narcotic classes must be tried for at least 2 weeks each and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs from this class will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists. Approvals will not be granted if patient had access to either non-preferred products or high doses of short acting narcotics during the trial period. Substance abuse evaluations may be required for patients with medical records displaying potential signs of narcotic misuse and abuse such as chronic early refills, short dosing intervals, frequent dose increases, multiple lost/stolen etc scripts and intolerance or "allergy" to all products but desired product. Allergic reactions to any product within a specific narcotic class will justify and preclude use of any other product in the same class due to the risk of cross-hypersensitivity.

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3.breaches of narcotic contracts with any provider;

4.failure to comply with patient responsibilities in attached opioid documentation (see PA form) including but not limited to failing to submit to and pass pill counts;

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Effective 1/01/2013, MaineCare will implement a 15 day limit for members prescribed opiates for their treatment of pain.

1. MaineCare members will be allowed over a rolling 12 month period up to a 15 day supply of an opiate without prior authorization
2. Members requiring longer than 15 days will require a PA for continuation of therapy and providers may provide medical necessity
3. Members may be eligible for up to three prior authorizations of up to 14 day supplies of opiates during the 12 month period
4. MaineCare members that are in Hospice care or are being treated for a diagnosis of Cancer, HIV or AIDS will be exempt from these limits
5. Post surgical members may receive prior authorizations for opiates up to 60 days in length if medical necessity is provided by the Surgeon

Please see the Pain Management Policy_Sec. 80 tab for the complete criteria

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Suboxone Criteria

1. Effective 1/1/2013, MaineCare will implement a 24 month lifetime limit for members prescribed Suboxone for the treatment of opioid addiction.
2. Prior authorization request will be reviewed for dose titration downward, whether the patient is engaged in recovery oriented support services, periodic urine drug screens, film counts, factors that threaten stability of recovery or evidence of improvement is social, physical and occupational areas.
3. Members that stop treatment after 24 months and need to restart will require a prior authorization. This prior authorization will assess the patient risk of relapsing or evidence that the patient has relapsed.

Members will continue to be required to follow the criteria listed below:

- 1-Induction period for new starts max of 60 days
- 2-Max dose of 32 mg for induction
- 3-Max dose of 16 mg for maintenance
- 4-There is not more than one narcotic fill in member's drug profile between today's fill of suboxone and a prior suboxone fill within the past 90 days.
- 5- Prescribers limited to those with X-DEA
- 6- Should be evidence provided of monthly monitoring including random pill counts urine drug tests and prescription monitoring program reports.
- 7-Suboxone tablets will be available upon demonstrated allergy to the preferred product. Allergy may be established by 1) formal allergy testing by a board certified allergist or 2) demonstration of hives after skin exposure for 24 hours to the Suboxone Film. (The product may be applied to the skin using a band-aid and member can be assessed after 24 hours to ascertain the presence of hives by the prescriber).

Please see the criteria listed on the Vivitrol PA form.

Approved without PA for patients 60 years old or over. Patients under 60 can use a preferred proton pump inhibitor with any preferred generic NSAID to achieve similar reductions in GI bleeding risk to that seen with the COX-II agents. Approvals for Celebrex will be granted for other requests based on failure of at least one generic NSAID from at least 2 different NSAID classes as described in the COX-II PA form. High risk GI bleeding patients must fail on adequate trials of safer agents (non-NSAID/Cox-2) for GI tract, such as acetaminophen.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

Approvals will be granted for other requests based on failure of at least one generic NSAID from at least 3 different NSAID classes as described in the COX-II PA form.

DDI: Diclofenac will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with lescol.

The FDA has issued a Public Health Advisory warning of the potential for increased cardiovascular risk & GI bleeding with NSAID use.

See criteria as listed on Rheumatoid Arthritis PA form.

Enbrel is preferred after a trial of a step 1 product (e.g. azathioprine, methotrexate, etc.); however, dosing limits will also still apply. Dosing limits will allow 8 injections per month without pa. Use of greater than 8 injections per month will require PA.

Xeljanz is limited to adults with moderately to severely active RA who have had an inadequate response or intolerance to methotrexate. Should not be used concomitantly with biologic DMARDs or potent immunosuppressants. Therapy should not be started in those with lymphocyte count $<500\text{cells/mm}^3$, an ANC $<1000\text{cells/mm}^3$, or have a hemoglobin $<9\text{g/dl}$.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists. The individual components of Arthrotec are available without PA.

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on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

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Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

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Under the Maine Immunization Program Gardasil is covered under the Vaccine for Children Program for ages 9-18. Gardasil will be preferred by MaineCare for ages 19-26. Children who are 18 years old or younger are eligible for this vaccine through the Maine Immunization Program. Please contact 1-800-867-4775 or 207-287-3746 for assistance.

One time PA is required to determine seizure diagnosis for any non-preferred anticonvulsant. Other approvals will be for patients with a variety of drug-specific FDA-approved indications and for specific conditions supported by at least two published peer-reviewed double-blinded, placebo-controlled randomized trials that are not contradicted by other studies of similar quality after recommendation by the DUR Committee and as long as all first line therapies have been tried and failed at full therapeutic doses for adequate durations (at least two weeks).

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Topamax and Neurontin - Second line therapy for migraine prophylaxis after trial of at least three preferred preventive medications from Group 1 listed on page 2 of the Acute Migraine PA form.

Lyrica- Second line therapy for Diabetic Peripheral Neuropathy and Post Herpetic Neuralgia. With Fibromyalgia diagnosis, Lyrica will not require PA if previous 4 week trials of the following three are seen in drug profile at full therapeutic doses: TCA or cyclobenzaprine, gabapentin, and savella.

All non-preferred meds must be used in specified order.

DDI: Any Carbamazepine formulation will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if any of the following drugs are currently being used in combination with carbamazepine: Abilify, clarithromycin, clozapine, erythromycin, Latuda, Seroquel, telithromycin or Zyprexa.

Please use Drug-Drug Interaction PA form #10400 for this combination.

ONFI will require a clinical PA to confirm LGS diagnosis



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Preferred drug must be tried and failed in step-order due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

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At least 4 preferred drugs (including tizanidine) must be tried for at least 2 weeks and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an..... acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists. Elderly patients, over 65, will require written notice of the increased sedative risks and impaired driving. Prior Authorization will not be given for: 1. frequent or persistent early refills of controlled drugs; 2. multiple instances of early refill overrides due to reports of misplacement, stolen, dropped in toilet or sink, distant travel, etc.

Non-preferred drugs will not be approved if members circumventing MaineCare prior authorization requirements by paying (prescribers failed to submit prior authorization prior to cash narcotic scripts being filled by member).

Non-preferred products must be used in specified step order.

Lorzone is non preferred and requires at least 4 preferred drugs (including tizanidine) and step care therapy (orphenadrine), as well as reasons for why chlorzoxazone is not acceptable.

Individual components are available with PA described in the section above. 1. frequent or persistent early refills of non-controlled drugs; 2. multiple instances of early refill overrides due to reports of misplacement stolen, dropped in toilet or sink, distant travel, etc.

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Please refer to OTC list for covered products.

DDI: B-12 will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with either Prevacid, pantoprazole, Prilosec, or any currently non preferred PPI.

Preferred products that used to require diag codes still require diag codes unless indicated otherwise.

Preferred products require dialysis/renal failure diagnosis.

Non-preferred products require: Secondary hyperparathyroidism in patients with Chronic Kidney Disease on dialysis., iPTH>400 pg/ml, Phosphorous .6.5mg/dl, corrected calcium <12.2mg/dl, corrected calcium x phosphorous products <70mg²/dl²

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DDI: Fe salts will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with either Prevacid, pantoprazole, Prilosec, or any currently non preferred PPI.

Please refer to OTC list.

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Medical foods are not to be authorized solely for the purpose of enhancing nutrient intake or managing body weight if the participant is able to eat conventional foods adequately. Medical foods may be approved if the member has a medical condition which precludes or restricts the use of conventional foods and necessitates the use of a formula. Concurrent Stimulant therapy is not an acceptable medical reason/condition for use of medical foods for enhancing nutrient intake or managing body weight.

For children under the age of 5, MaineCare will not provide milk- or soy-based standard infant formulas. Regular formulas may be sought through your nearest WIC office. MaineCare will continue to cover medical food for all participants in MaineCare when medical necessity is met.

Vascepa requires adjunct therapy for specific indication to reduce TG in those with severe hypertriglyceridemia (500mg per deciliter or more). Proper indication per lab values is required before approval

Non-Preferred drugs must be tried and failed in step-order, due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists. Please see the EPO PA form for other approval and renewal criteria.

See approval criteria detailed on Neupogen PA form.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists. Exceeding days supply limits for LMWH class requires PA.

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DDI: Warfarin will require prior authorization if being used in combination with fluconazole, miconazole, or voriconazole.

DDI: Warfarin will require prior authorization if being used in conjunction with Gemfibrozil or Fenofibrate.

DDI: Rifampin will require prior authorization if being used in combination with Savaysa

Non-preferred will only be approved if other preferred products are unavailable.

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

A special PA may be obtained at the pharmacy for members scheduled for "stent" placement or have had placement if in the last 12months. Please indicate on prescription date of stent placement.

DDI: Plavix will require prior authorization if being used in combination with omeprazole, esomeprazole, cimetidine, fluconazole, ketoconazole, intelence, fluoxetine, ticlopidine, and fluvoxamine.

DDI: exists for using maintenance ASA dose >100mg, as it reduces the effectiveness of Brilinta

Brilianta- Concomitant use with strong CYP3A4 inhibitors should be avoided (including ketoconazole, itraconazole, atazanavir, and telithromycin). Doses of simvastatin and lovastatin >40mg should be avoided.

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A diagnosis of Paroxysmal nocturnal hemoglobinuria (PNH) using the HAM test or flow cytometry is required. In addition, the patient must show evidence of having received a meningitis vaccine at least 2 weeks prior to the start of therapy.

Clinical PA required. Must see prior trial with insufficient response to corticosteroids and immunoglobulins.

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Preferred drugs must be tried and failed, in step-order, due to lack of efficacy (failure to reach target IOP reduction) or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

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Must fail adequate trials of multi agents from artificial tears and lubricant category.



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DDI: Ketoconazole will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if they are currently being used in combination with any of the following medications: Prevacid, pantoprazole, Onglyza or Omeprazole.

Kerydin- Verify prior trials and failures or intolerance of preferred treatments, including both topical and oral agents

Preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

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At least 1 drug from each potency of preferred drugs must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.

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Ziox, Panafil and Papain products have been removed from the PDL due to FDA safety concerns regarding drugs containing Papain.

Preferred corticosteroids from other classes must be tried and failed due to lack of efficacy or intolerable side effects before non-preferred drugs will be approved, unless an acceptable clinical exception is offered on the Prior Authorization form, such as the presence of a condition that prevents usage of the preferred drug or a significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists. Approvals will be made for small amounts of non-preferred products for the treatment of very steroid-sensitive areas in conjunction with topical steroids for the treatment of atopic dermatitis.

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As per Medicaid Policy, cosmetic drugs are not covered. Non-cosmetic clinical applications will be considered by prior authorization on a case by case basis.

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Approved for severe chronic plaque psoriasis unresponsive to first line therapies. A trial of at least several potent topicals from the following categories: corticosteroids, coal tars, anthralin, calcipotriene and tazarotene, and at least one systemic drug such as methotrexate, cyclosporine, methoxsalen or acitretin and phototherapy/UVA.

Enbrel is preferred after a trial of a step 1 product (e.g. azathioprine, methotrexate, etc.); however, dosing limits will also still apply. Dosing limits will allow 8 injections per month without pa. Use of greater than 8 injections per month will require PA. In addition, the preferred Enbrel 25mg product will be the multi-dose vial (NDC- 58406-0425-34). The single-use prefilled syringes are non-preferred.

Will only be approved for specific conditions supported by at least two double-blinded, placebo-controlled randomized trials that are not contradicted by other studies of similar quality.

Approved for indications of leprosy, treatment-resistant multiple myeloma and AIDS.

A clinical PA is required for Inlyta to verify diagnosis and failure of one prior systemic therapies

Xalkori will be considered for patients with a diagnosis of locally advanced or metastatic non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) that is anaplastic lymphoma kinase (ALK)-positive as detected by an FDA- approved test (please included a copy of test results; and is prescribed by an oncologist; quantity limit of 60 tablets per 30 days.

Zelboraf will be considered for patients 18 years of age or older; has a diagnosis of unresectable or metastatic melanoma with BRAF mutation as detected be an FDA-approved test; prescriber is an oncologist with a quantity limit of 240 tablets per 30 days.

Bosulif requires a clinical PA, requiring diagnosis. Must have resistance or intolerance to prior therapy (such as imatinib [Gleevec®] or a TKI) seen in drug profile, monthly hepatic enzyme tests should be performed for the first three months of treatment , as clinically indicated.

Iclusig requires prior trail of TKI therapy, appropriate monitoring and has DDI with strong CYP3A4 inducers

Stivarga is non-preferred and is for the treatment of metastatic colorectal cancer (CRC) who have been previously treated with fluoropyrimidine- oxaliplatin- and irinotecan-based chemotherapy, an anti-VEGF therapy, and if KRAS wild type, an anti-EGFR therapy).The safety and efficacy of use in children under the age of 18 years have not been established.

DDI: Cometriq, Ibrance and Tafinlar will require a prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with drugs known to be significant CYP3A4 inhibitors (ketoconazole, itraconazole, clarithromycin, indinavir, nefazodone, nelfinavir, ritonavir, atazanavir, saquinavir and telithromycin).

Gilotrif needs to be prescribed by an oncologist

Xtandi is non-preferred and is limited to adults treatment of metastatic castration-resistant prostate cancer, with previous trials of docetaxel.

Pomalyst has a DDI with strong inhibitors of CYP1A2 and CYP3A4 drugs. Complete blood counts weekly for first 8 weeks, then monthly, patients have at least 2 prior therapies, including lenalidomide and bortezomib, female patients of reproductive potential must have 2 negative pregnancy tests and use 2 forms of contraception and providers must be certified with Pomalyst REMS Program.

DDI: Strong and moderate CYP3A inhibitors and Strong and moderate CYP3A inducers should be avoided with use of Lynparza

Clinical PA required for Ibrance to verify diagnosis and concomitant use with letrozole

Farydak in combination with bortezomib and dexamethasone for the treatment of patients with multiple myeloma (MM) who have received ≥2 prior regimens, including bortezomib and an immunomodulatory agent

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DDI: Cyclosporine will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with either Lipitor (doses greater than 20mg/day), Crestor, or

lovastatin (doses greater than 20mg).

DDI: Cyclosporine will require prior authorization when used with Livalo.

DDI: All preferred immunosuppressants will require clinical PA for patients over 60 that are currently on fluoroquinolone therapy.

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