

CATEGORY	Coverage Indicator	Step Order	PREFERRED DRUGS	Coverage Indicator	Step Order	NON-PREFERRED DRUGS Required	PA	Comments	Criteria
* PLEASE NOTE: All cost effective generics applicable to DEL are considered PREFERRED Drugs. "BASIC" Covered Drugs are bolded with the Coverage Indicator of "MC / DEL".									
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.org									
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 explanation of step order.)									
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 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.									
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 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, 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/MS with no lower threshold); 4. Adequate trials require documentation of attempts to titrate dose of preferred agents toward desired clinical response. 5. Adequate trials 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 be provided to confirm drug trials that do not appear in the member's MaineCare drug profile.									
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 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 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-rated generic equivalent available, the most cost effective medically necessary version will be approved and reimbursed, since the brand-name and A-rated generic drugs 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 the proper role of the FDA. Physicians should submit their reports of generic inequivalence directly to the FDA via the MEDWATCH.									
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 recommendations 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-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., Cymbalta, Zofran, Elidel and others).									
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.mainearepdl.org .									
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 they 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 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 to be met.									
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 requirements. These will be indicated in the PDL with DDI notation. Please see the DDI document provided in the PDL.									

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	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.
	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		UNASYN SOLR					
	MC/DEL		ZOSYN					
	CEPHALOSPORINS	MC/DEL		CEFADROXIL HEMIHYDRATE	MC			
MC/DEL			CEFAZOLIN SODIUM SOLR	MC/DEL		CEFACTOR ¹		
MC/DEL			CEFDINIR	MC/DEL		CEFADROXIL MONOHYDRATE TABS		
MC/DEL			CEFEPIME	MC/DEL		CEFTIN		
MC/DEL			CEFPODOXIME	MC/DEL		FORTAZ		
MC/DEL			CEFFPROZIL	MC/DEL		FORTAZ SOLN		
MC			CEFTAZIDIME 6MG	MC		KEFLEX CAPS		
MC/DEL			CEFTIN SUSP	MC		OMNICEF		
MC/DEL			CEFTRIAZONE	MC/DEL		ROCEPHIN		
MC/DEL			CEFUROXIME AXETIL TABS	MC		TAZICEF SOLR		
MC/DEL			CEPHALEXIN MONOHYDRATE	MC/DEL		TEFLARO		
MC			FORTAZ SOLR					

	MC MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL		FUROXONE TABS METRONIDAZOLE ¹ PENTAMIDINE ISETHIONATE SOLR PRIMSOL SOLN TRIMETHOPRIM TABS VANCOMYCIN 5GM INJ.	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC		FLAGYL TABS FLAGYL ER TBCR KETEK METRONIDAZOLE 375MG CAPS ¹ METRONIDAZOLE 750MG TABS ¹ NEBUPENT SOLR TINDAMAX VANCOMYCIN 10GM INJ. ² XIFAXAN	1. For macrolide resistant infections when quinolones inappropriate 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 trial and failure of preferred Tobi before approval will be granted. Use PA Form# 20420	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 Enblex 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.	
CARBAPENEMS				MC MC MC/DEL		INVANZ SOLR MERREM SOLR PRIMAXIN	Use PA Form# 20420	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.	
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	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.	
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	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.	
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/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC	6 6 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.	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 Enblex 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.	

						<p>1. Dosing limits apply, please see dosing consolidation list.</p> <p>7. Request will require use of the individual components Tivicay and Epzicom.</p> <p>8. Diagnosis and verify prior trials and failures or intolerance of preferred treatments is required</p> <p>9. Preferred for the treatment of HIV-1 infection in adults and pediatric patients ≥ 12 years of age</p>	<p>Preferred treatment of choice and the following drugs are considered (see the product for complete list of preferred drugs): dronedarone, rifampin, irinotecan, dihydroergotamine, ergotamine, methylethergonovine, cisapride, St. John's wort, lovastatin, simvastatin, pimoziide, 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.</p> <p>Evotaz is only available if unable to tolerate or have failed Reyataz and Norvir</p> <p>Prezcobix is only available if unable to tolerate or have failed Prezista and Norvir</p> <p>Genvoya is available to those for whom there is a clinical need for the improved renal safety profile provided by tenofovir alafenamide that cannot be met with other more cost-effective combination regimens and also to document that the patient is either treatment naïve or virologically-suppressed (HIV-1 RNA < 50 copies/ml) on a stable antiretroviral regimen for at least 6 months with no history of treatment failure and no known substitutions associated with resistance to the individual components of Genvoya.</p>	
CYTO-MEGALOVIRUS AGENTS	MC MC		FOSCARNET SODIUM VALCYTE TABS	MC/DEL MC/DEL		FOSCAVIR GANCICLOVIR	Use PA Form# 20420	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.
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	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.
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	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.
IMMUNE SERUMS								
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HEPATITIS AGENTS								
HEPATITIS C AGENTS	MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC/DEL		HARVONI ² OLYSIO ² PEGASYS KIT ¹ PEGASYS SOLN PEG-INTRON KIT ¹ RIBAVIRIN SOVALDI ² TECHNIVIE ² VIEKIRA PAK ² RIBASPHERE	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC		COPEGUS TABS DAKLINZA REBETOL CAPS RIBAPAK	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	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).

HEPATITIS AGENTS - MISC.				MC		ACTIMMUNE	Use PA Form# 20420	Approved for chronic granulomatous disease, osteopetrosis and idiopathic pulmonary fibrosis.
HEPATITIS B ONLY	MC		HEPSERA TABS	MC		BARACLUDE TYZEKA	Use PA Form# 20420	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).
RSV PROPHYLAXIS								
RSV PROPHYLAXIS				MC		SYNAGIS ¹	Use PA Form# 30120 1. MaineCare will approve Synagis PA's for start date of November 23rd for infants who meet the guidelines. PA will be approved for max of 5 doses. Maximum 1 dose/30 days.	Please see the criteria listed on the Synagis PA form.
MS TREATMENTS								
MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS - INTERFERONS	MC MC/DEL MC		AVONEX KIT ¹ BETASERON SOLR ¹ REBIF SOLN ¹	MC MC/DEL		PLEGRIDY ¹ EXTAVIA	1. Clinical PA is required to establish diagnosis and medical necessity. Use PA Form# 20430	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.
MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS - NON-INTERFERONS	MC MC/DEL MC		COPAXONE 20MG ² GILENYA ^{2,3} AUBAGIO	MC MC MC MC/DEL MC	6 8 8 8 8	TYSABRI ¹ AMPYRA COPAXONE 40MG GLATOPA TECFIDERA	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	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.
ASSORTED NEUROLOGICS								
NEUROLOGICS - MISC.	MC/DEL MC MC		ORAP TABS PROSTIGMIN TABS PYRIDOSTIGMINE	MC MC MC MC		BOTOX ² DYSPORT ¹ MESTINON MYOBLOC ¹	1. Approval will be limited to Cervical dystonia. 2. Please see botulinum PA form for additional criteria Use PA Form# 10210	Failed/did not tolerate therapeutic trials for 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.
STEROIDS								
GLUCOCORTICOIDS/ MINERALOCORTICOIDS	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		CELESTONE SUSP CORTEF 5 CORTISONE ACETATE TABS DELTASONE TABS DEPO-MEDROL SUSP	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC		BUDESONIDE EC CORTEF 10 and 20 TABS FLORINEF TABS MEDROL TABS MEDROL DOSEPAK TABS	Use PA Form# 20420	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.

	MC/DEL		DEXAMETHASONE	MC		MILLIPRED		
	MC		DEXPAK	MC		ORAPRED SOLN		
	MC/DEL		ENTOCORT EC CP24	MC		PEDIAPRED LIQD		
	MC/DEL		FLUDROCORTISONE ACETATE TABS	MC		PREDNISONE INTENSOL CONC		
	MC/DEL		HYDROCORTISONE	MC		STERAPRED TABS		
	MC		KENALOG					DDI: All preferred steroids will require clinical PA for patients over 60 that are currently on fluoroquinolone therapy.
	MC/DEL		METHYLPREDNISOLONE TABS					
	MC/DEL		PREDNISOLONE					
	MC/DEL		PREDNISONE					
	MC/DEL		SOLU-CORTEF SOLR					
	MC/DEL		SOLU-MEDROL SOLR					

HORMONE REPLACEMENT THERAPIES

ANDROGENS / ANABOLICS	MC/DEL		ANDRODERM PT24	MC		ANADROL-50	Use PA Form# 20420	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)
	MC/DEL		ANDROGEL 1%	MC		ANDRO LA 200 OIL		
	MC/DEL		DANAZOL CAPS	MC/DEL		ANDROGEL 1.62%		
	MC/DEL		DEPO-TESTOSTERONE OIL	MC/DEL		ANDROGEL PUMP		
	MC/DEL		METHITEST TABS	MC		ANDROID CAPS		
				MC		AXIRON		
				MC		DELATESTRYL OIL		
				MC		FORTESTA		
				MC		HALOTESTIN TABS		
				MC		NATESTO		
			MC/DEL		OXANDROLONE			
			MC		TESTIM			
			MC/DEL		TESTOSTERONE CYP			
			MC		TESTRED CAPS			
			MC/DEL		VOGELXO			
ESTROGENS - PATCHES / TOPICAL	MC/DEL		VIVELLE-DOT PTTW ¹	MC/DEL	5	ESTRADIOL PTWK	1. Both preferred drugs must be tried. 2. Step order drugs must be used in specified step order. Use PA Form# 20420	Approved for failures on multiple oral estrogen agents after 90 day trials or if unable to swallow any oral medication.
	MC/DEL		CLIMARA PTWK	MC/DEL	8	ALORA PTTW ²		
				MC/DEL	8	DIVIGEL ²		
				MC/DEL	8	ELESTRIN ²		
				MC	8	EVAMIST ²		
ESTROGENS - TABS	MC/DEL		CENESTIN TABS	MC/DEL		ENJUVIA	Must fail preferred products before non-preferred products. Use PA Form# 20420	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.
	MC/DEL		ESTRADIOL	MC/DEL		ESTRACE TABS		
	MC/DEL		ESTROPIPATE TABS	MC		ESTRATAB TABS		
	MC/DEL		MENEST TABS	MC		ORTHO-EST TABS		
	MC/DEL		PREMARIN TABS					
ESTROGEN COMBO'S	MC/DEL		PREMPHASE TABS	MC/DEL		ACTIVELLA TABS ¹	1. Must fail Premphase and Prempro products before non preferred products. Use PA Form# 20420	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.
	MC/DEL		PREMPRO TABS	MC/DEL		COMBIPATCH PTTW ¹		
				MC/DEL		FEMHRT 1/5 TABS ¹		
				MC/DEL		ORTHO-PREFEST TABS ¹		
				MC/DEL		SYNTEST H.S. TABS ¹		
PROGESTINS	MC		MAKENA ³	MC/DEL		AYGESTIN 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.	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.
	MC/DEL		MEDROXYPROGESTERONE ACETA ²	MC		CYCRIN TABS		
	MC/DEL		NORETHINDRONE ACETATE TABS ²	MC		PROGESTERONE POWD		
	MC		17-ALPH HYDROXYPROGESTERONE ³	MC/DEL		PROMETRIUM 100MG CAPS ¹		
				MC/DEL		PROMETRIUM 200MG ¹		
				MC/DEL		PROVERA TABS		
				MC/DEL				

CONTRACEPTIVES

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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	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.
CONTRACEPTIVES - INJECTABLE	MC/DEL		MEDROXYPROGESTERONE ACETATE 150mg IM	MC/DEL		DEPO-PROVERA 150 mg SUSP	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.
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	Approved if adequate clinical reason given why patient unable to comply with other preferred agents including long acting injectable. 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 MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		APRI TABS AVIANE TABS BALZIVA CRYSSELLE-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 SOLIA SPRINTEC 28 TABS YASMIN 28 TABS ZENCHENT	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 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 OGESTREL TABS OVCON-35/28 TABS OVRAL PORTIA-28 TABS SAFYRAL ZOVIA	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.
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. DDI: Preferred Oral Contraceptives will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with Tracleer.
CONTRACEPTIVES - TRI-PHASIC COMBINATIONS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC		ENPRESSE NECON 7/7/7 ORTHO-NOVUM 7/7/7-28 TABS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		CYCLESSA TABS ESTROSTEP FE TABS NORTREL 7/7/7	If member experienced adverse reactions, consider using Oral Contraceptives from other groups. 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.

	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL		TRI-NORINYL 28 TABS TRI-PREVIFEM TRIPHASIL 28 TABS TRI-SPRINTEC TRINESSA TRIVORA-28 TABS	MC MC		ORTHO TRI-CYCLEN TABS ORTHO TRI-CYCLEN LO TABS			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.
CONTRACEPTIVES - MULTI-PHASIC COMBINATIONS				MC		NATAZIA		Use PA Form# 20420 Use PA Form# 20420	
DIABETES THERAPIES									
DIABETIC - INSULIN	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	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.
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 TRESIBA		1. Clinical PA will be required to establish significant visual or neurological impairment. Use PA Form# 20420	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.
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	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).
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 OSENI		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	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).

						1. Please refer to criteria section of PDL 2. Dosing limits apply please refer to Dose Consolidation List	Juvisync will remain preferred until product is eventually discontinued later in 2014.
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	Please see the criteria listed in the Symlin PA form.
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	Invokana will be considered for patients who are unable to tolerate any preferred medications from other diabetic classes.
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	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
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	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.
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	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.

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	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
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.	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.
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	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.
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.	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.
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	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.
DIABETIC - ALPHAGLUCOSIDASE	MC/DEL		GLYSET TABS	MC		PRECOSE TABS	Use PA Form# 20420	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.
DIABETIC - SULFONYLUREA /	MC/DEL		GLYBURIDE/METFORMIN	MC		GLUCOVANCE TABS ¹	1. Use individual ingredients	Approved for patients failing to achieve good diabetic control with maximal doses of individual components.

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	Approved for acromegaly patients failing surgery/radiation/drug therapy including bromocriptine and sandostatin.
VASOPRESSIN RECEPTOR ANTAGONIST								
VASOPRESSIN RECEPTOR ANTAGONIST				MC/DEL		SAMSCA	Use PA Form# 20420	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.
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	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).
ANTISPASMODICS	MC/DEL MC		OXYBUTYNIN URISPAS TABS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	8 8 9	DETROL TABS DITROPAN TROSPIUM	Use PA Form# 20420	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.
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.	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.
CHOLINERGIC	MC/DEL MC/DEL		URECHOLINE BETHANECHOL				Use PA Form# 20420	
METABOLIC MODIFIER								
HERED. TYROSINEMIA				MC		ORFADIN	Use PA Form# 20420	Approved for Type 1 hereditary tyrosinemia patients. Must include laboratory evidence of dx at first PA.
ANTIHYPERTENSIVES / CARDIAC								

CARDIAC GLYCOSIDES	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		DIGITEK TABS DIGOXIN LANOXIN			Use PA Form# 20420	
CARDIAC - SINUS NODE INHIBITORS	MC		CORLANOR				In patients with stable, symptomatic chronic heart failure with left ventricular ejection fraction ≤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
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 MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC		DILATRATE SR CPCR ISORDIL TABS ISORDIL TITRADOSE TABS ISOSORBIDE DINITRATE SUBL ISOSORBIDE DINITRATE TABS ISOSORBIDE DINITRATE CR TBCR ISOSORBIDE DINITRATE ER TBCR ISOSORBIDE DINITRATE TD TBCR IMDUR TB24 ISMO TABS MONOKET TABS	Use PA Form# 20420 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.
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 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.
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 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.
BETA BLOCKERS - NON SELECTIVE	MC/DEL MC MC 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 CORCARD 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 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.
BETA BLOCKERS - CARDIO SELECTIVE	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 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 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.
BETA BLOCKERS - ALPHA / BETA	MC/DEL		LABETALOL HCL TABS	MC		TRANDATE TABS	Use PA Form# 20420 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.
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 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	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 Enblex 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 Enblex 15mg or Vesicare 10mg.
				MC/DEL MC/DEL		PLENDIL TB24 FELODIPINE	Use PA Form# 20420	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.
				MC MC		DYNACIRC CAPS DYNACIRC CR TBCR ¹	Use PA Form# 20420 1. Established users will be grandfathered	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.
				MC MC		CARDENE SR CPCR NICARDIPINE HCL CAPS	Use PA Form# 20420	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.
	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 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	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.
				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	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.
	ANTIARRHYTHMICS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL	AMIODARONE HCL FLECAINIDE MEXILETINE HCL NORPACE PROCAINAMIDE PROPAFENONE QUINAGLUTE QUINIDINE GLUCONATE QUINIDINE SULFATE	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		CORDARONE DISOPYRAMIDE MULTAQ PACERONE QUININDEX TAMBOCOR TIKOSYN ¹ RYTHMOL SR RYTHMOL	1. Prescription must be written by Cardiologist. Use PA Form# 20420	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: 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, Phenothiazine, Ketoconazole, Itraconazole, Voriconazole, Cyclosporine, Telithromycin, Clarithromycin, Nefazodone, Ritonavir.
	ACE INHIBITORS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	BENAZEPRIL HCL CAPTOPRIL TABS ENALAPRIL MALEATE TABS FOSINOPRIL SODIUM LISINAPRIL TABS	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	5 5 8 8 8	MAVIK TABS ACCUPRIL TABS ACEON TABS ¹ ALTACE CAPS ¹ LOTENSIN TABS ¹	1. Non-preferred products must be used in specified order. Use PA Form# 20420	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.

	MC/DEL MC/DEL		RAMIPRIL QUINAPRIL HCL	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL	8 8 8 8 8 8	MOEXIPRIL HCL ¹ MONOPRIL HCT TABS ¹ PRINIVIL TABS ¹ UNIVASC ¹ VASOTEC TABS ¹ ZESTRIL TABS ¹		
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.	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.
DIRECT RENIN INHIBITOR				MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		AMTURNIDE TEKTURN 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 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 MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL		CATAPRES TABS CLONIDINE TTS GUANABENZ ACETATE TABS ISMELIN TABS MINIPRESS CAPS NEXICLON TENEX TABS	Use PA Form# 20420	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.
ACE INHIBITORS AND CA CHANNEL BLOCKERS				MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL	8 8 9 9	AMLODIPINE/BENAZEPRIL TARKA TBCR AMLODIPINE/BENAZEPRIL LOTREL CAPS	Use individual preferred generic medications. 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	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.
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	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.
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 8 8 8 8 8	IRBESARTAN HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE ATACAND HCT TABS AVALIDE TABS ¹ DIOVAN HCT TABS ¹ HYZAAR TABS TEVETEN HCT TABS	1. Preferred products only available without PA if patient on diabetic therapy or prior ACE therapy. Use PA Form# 20420	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.

							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.
						Use PA Form# 20420	DDI: All preferred statins will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with Gemfibrozil.
CHOLESTEROL - HGM COA + ABSORB INHIBITORS STATIN/ NIACIN COMBO	MC		SIMCOR	MC		ADVICOR TBCR	Use PA Form# 20420
FAMILIAL HYPERCHOLESTEROLEMIA				MC MC MC/DEL MC		JUXTAPID KYNAMRO ¹ PRALUENT ^{1,2,3} REPATHA ^{1,2,3}	<p>1. Clinical PA required for appropriate diagnosis</p> <p>2. Quantity limits apply for HeFH/ASCVD 1 injection per 14 days for HoFH 3 injectors per 30 days</p> <p>3. Documented adherence to lipid lowering medications and abstinence from tobacco for previous 90 days</p> <p>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</p> <p>Juxtapid is contraindicated with strong CYP3A4 inhibitors. Juxtapid dosage should not exceed 30mg daily when it is used concomitantly with weak CYP3A4 inhibitors.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>Praluent and Repatha initial approvals will be limited to 8 weeks (for HeFH or ASCVD) or 3 months (for HoFH). Baseline and follow up lipid profiles are required and subsequent approvals will require additional levels being done to assess changes. Will not approve if LDL-C is not at goal after a period of : 1. 24 weeks for Praluent or Repatha for treatment of HeFH/ASCVD 2. 3 months of Repatha for treatment of HoFH)</p> <p>For Repatha and Praluent, please use PA form #10800</p> <p>Use PA Form#10500</p>
PULMONARY ANTI-HYPERTENSIVES							
PULMONARY ANTI-HYPERTENSIVES	MC/DEL MC MC MC		SILDENAFIL ¹ EPOPROSTENOL INJ ⁶ VENTAVIS ² ADCIRCA ¹	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC		ADEMPAS ^{5,7} FLOLAN ⁶ OPSUMIT ^{7,8} ORENITRAM REMODULIN ⁶ REVATIO ³ UPTRAVI	<p>1. See Criteria Section.</p> <p>2. See Criteria Section.</p> <p>3. See Criteria Section.</p> <p>4. See Criteria Section.</p> <p>5. There will be dosing limits of one 20ml multidose vial/ 30 days supply without pa.</p> <p>6. PA is required to establish and conform who group 1 diagnosis of primary PAH (Primary Pulmonary Hypertension) and NYHA functional class 2 or 3.</p> <p>7. Requires previous trials/failure of multiple preferred medications.</p> <p>8. Dosing limits apply, please see the dose consolidation list.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>1. Adcirca approvals will require WHO Group 1 diagnosis of primary PAH (Primary Pulmonary Hypertension) and NYHA functional class 2 or 3.</p> <p>2. Ventavis approvals will require WHO Group 1 diagnosis of primary PAH (Primary Pulmonary Hypertension) and NYHA functional class 3 or 4.</p> <p>3. Revatio approvals will require WHO Group 1 diagnosis of primary PAH (Primary Pulmonary Hypertension) and NYHA functional class 2 or 3.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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).</p> <p>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</p> <p>DDI: Upravi will require a prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with strong inhibitors of CYP2C8 (gemfibrozil)</p> <p>Use PA Form# 20420</p>
ERA / ENDOTHELIN RECEPTOR ANTAGONIST	MC MC		LETAIRIS ^{1,2} TRACLEER ^{3,4}				<p>1. Providers must be registered with LEAP Prescribing program.</p> <p>Tracleer approvals will require WHO Group 1 diagnosis of primary PAH (Primary Pulmonary Hypertension) and NYHA functional class 2 thru 4.</p>

ANTI-HISTAMINES - NON-SEDATING	MC MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC		ALAVERT TABS CETIRIZINE TABS CLARITIN (OTC) CLARITIN SYRP (OTC) LORATADINE TAVIST ND (OTC)	MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	5 5 5 5 5 8 8 8 8 8 9	CLARINEX TABS ^{1,5} CLARINEX SYR ^{1,2} FEXOFENADINE ¹ ZYRTEC ¹ ZYRTEC SYR ^{1,2} ALLEGRA ³ CLARITIN ³ DESLORATADIN LORATADINE ODT ⁴ LEVOCETIRIZINE ⁴ XYZAL ³	1. Must fail preferred drugs, OTC loratidine and cetirizine before moving to non-preferred step order drugs. 2. Clarinex and Zyrtec syrup <6 yr w/o PA. 3. Must fail all step 5 drugs (Clarinex, Fexofenadine and Zyrtec) before moving to next step product. 4. All OTC versions of loratidine ODT are now non-preferred. 5. Pa's for Clarinex RediTabs will only be approved if between the ages of 6-11 years old. Use PA Form# 20530	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.
ANTI-HISTAMINES - OTHER	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		CLEMASTINE CHLORPHENIRAMINE DIPHENHYDRAMINE				Use PA Form# 20530	
ALLERGY / ASTHMA THERAPIES								
ANAPHYLACTIC DEVICES	MC/DEL MC/DEL		AUVI- Q EPIPEN	MC		TWINJECT		
ALLERGEN IMMUNOTHERAPY				MC/DEL MC/DEL MC		GRASTEK ¹ RAGWITEK ¹ ORALAIR ¹	Use PA Form# 20420 1. See criteria section	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
ANTI-ASTHMATIC - ANTICHOLINERGICS - INHALER	MC/DEL		SPIRIVA HANDIHALER ^{1,2}	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		SPIRIVA RESPIMAT TUDORZA INCRUSE ELLIPTA ³	Use PA Form# 20420 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.	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.

						2. We ask physicians to write "asthma" on the prescription whenever Spiriva is primarily being used for that condition. 3. Quantity limit of 1 inhalation daily	
ANTIASTHMATIC - PHOSPHODIESTERASE 4 INHIBITORS			MC/DEL		DALIRESP	Use PA Form# 20420	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.
ANTIASTHMATIC - ANTICHOLINERGICS - NEBULIZER	MC/DEL		IPRATROPIUM BROMIDE SOLN	MC	ATROVENT SOLN	Use PA Form# 20420	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.
ANTIASTHMATIC - ANTIINFLAMMATORY AGENTS	MC/DEL		CROMOLYN SODIUM NEBU	MC/DEL MC/DEL	NUCALA ⁴ XOLAIR ¹	1. Need max inhaled steroids and written by pulmonary or allergy specialist 2. For patients with severe asthma aged 12 years or older Use PA Form# 20420	Nucala & Xolair approval will require suboptimal response to maximal doses of inhaled steroid as evidenced by asthmatic ER/Hospital admissions and Allergy/Pulmonary specialist management.
ANTIASTHMATIC - NASAL STEROIDS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		FLUTICASONE SPR ³ OMNARIS SPR ³ ZETONNA ³	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL	5 BECONASE AQ INHA ^{1,3} 8 DYMISTA 8 FLONASE SUSP ^{2,3} 8 FLUNISOLIDE SOLN ^{1,3} 8 NASONEX SUSP 8 QNASL 8 RHINOCORT AERO ^{2,3} 8 RHINOCORT AQUA SUSP ^{2,3} 8 TRI-NASAL SOLN ^{2,3} 8 VANCENASE POKETHALER AERS ^{2,3} 8 VERAMYST ^{2,3} 9 TRIAMCINOLONE NS	Use PA Form# 20420 1. All preferred drugs must be tried before moving to non preferred steps. 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.	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.
ANTIASTHMATIC - NASAL MISC.	MC/DEL		CROMOLYN NASAL 4%	MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL	7 ATROVENT NASAL SOL 7 ASTELIN 7 IPRATROPIUM NASAL SOL ¹ 8 ASTEPRO ² 8 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.	Approved if patient fails on nonsedating 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.
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	ACCUNEB NEBU ALBUTEROL AER ALBUTEROL HFA ALBUTEROL 0.63mg/3ml ARCAPTA ³ BRETHINE PROAIR HFA ³ PROAIR RESPICLICK STRIVERDI VENTOLIN AERS VENTOLIN HFA AERS ³ VOLMAX TBCR	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.	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.

				MC MC MC		VOSPIRE ER TB12 XOPENEX HFA ³ XOPENEX NEBU ^{1,2}		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	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.
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	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.
ANTIASTHMATIC - XANTHINES	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	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.
ANTIASTHMATIC - STEROID INHALANTS	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	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 4-11 years old. 6. Not approved for children <12 years of age	Use PA Form# 20420	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.
ANTIASTHMATIC - 5-Lipoxygenase Inhibitors				MC		ZYFLO CR TABS		Use PA Form# 20420	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.

ANTIASTHMATIC - LEUKOTRIENE RECEPTOR ANTAGONISTS	MC/DEL		MONTELUKAST SODIUM TAB	MC/DEL	7	MONTELUKAST GRANULE ¹	Use PA Form# 20420 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.
	MC/DEL		MONTELUKAST SODIUM CHEW TAB	MC/DEL MC/DEL	8 8	ACCOLATE TABS SINGULAIR ²	
ANTIASTHMATIC - ALPHA-PROTEINASE INHIBITOR				MC MC/DEL MC MC	8 8 8 8	ARALAST ZEMAIRA GLASSIA PROLASTIN SUSR	Use PA Form# 20420 Prolastin and Azemaira will be approved for members with A1AT deficiency and clinically demonstrable panacinar emphysema.
ANTIASTHMATIC - HYDRO-LYTIC ENZYMES				MC/DEL		PULMOZYME SOLN	Use PA Form# 20420 Will be approved for cystic fibrosis patients.
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 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
IDIOPATHIC PULMONARY FIBROSIS				MC MC/DEL		ESBRIET ¹ OFEV ¹	1. Diagnosis required 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 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 All non-preferred products are not covered as permitted by Federal Medicaid regulations and MaineCare Policy.
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 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.
GI - ANTI-DIARRHEAL/ ANTACID - MISC.	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		ATROPINE SULFATE SOLN BENTYL SYRP BISMATROL BISMUTH SUBSALICYLATE CALCIUM CARBONATE (ANTACID) CHEW DICYCLIMINE HCL	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC MC/DEL		BELLADONNA ALKALOIDS & OP BENTYL TABS CUVPOSA ED-SPAZ FULYZAQ ¹ GLYCOPYRROLATE INJ	Use PA Form# 20420 1. Dosing limits apply please refer to Dose Consolidation List 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.

	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	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 MC MC MC MC MC MC	HYOSCYAMINE SL LEVBI D TB12 LEVSIN ELIX LEVSIN TABS LEVSIN/SL SUBL NULEV TBDP ROBINUL INJ ROBINUL TABS		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.
GI- BILE ACID			MC	CHOLBAM		Indication of bile acid synthesis disorders due to single enzyme defects (SEDs) AND for adjunctive treatment of peroxisomal disorders (PDs)
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	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.
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 MC MC/DEL MC	6 NEXIUM CPDR ¹ 7 PRILOSEC OTC ⁴ 7 ACIPHEX TBEC ⁴ 8 DEXILANT (KAPIDEX) ² 8 PREVACID CPDR ^{4,5} 8 PREVACID SOLUTABS ¹ 8 PRILOSEC CPDR 8 PROTONIX INJ 8 PROTONIX ² 8 OMEPRAZOLE 10MG ² 8 OMEPRAZOLE-SODIUM BICARBONATE CAPS 8 LANSOPRAZOLE 9 OMEPRAZOLE 40MG ³	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. 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.	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.
GI - ULCER ANTI-INFECTIVE			MC MC MC	HELIDAC PREVPAC PYLERA	Use PA Form# 20720 Use PA Form# 20420	
GI - PROSTAGLANDINS	MC	MISOPROSTOL TABS	MC/DEL	CYTOTEC TABS	Use PA Form# 20420	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.
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	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. 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.	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.
GI - INFLAMMATORY BOWEL AGENTS	MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		APRISO AZULFIDINE TABS BALSALAZIDE CANASA SUPP COLAZAL CAPS DIPENTUM CAPS PENTASA CPCR 250MG ROWASA ENEM SULFAZINE EC TBEC SULFASALAZINE TABS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC MC		ASACOL 800MG HD AZULFIDINE EN-TABS TBEC DELZICOL GIAZO LIALDA TABS ¹ PENTASA 500MG ² SFROWASA UCERIS RECTAL FOAM ³ UCERIS TABS ³	Use PA Form# 20420 1. Current users grandfathered. 2. Use multiple Pentasa 250mg. 3. Diagnosis required	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. Giazto 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
GI - IRRITABLE BOWEL SYNDROME AGENTS				MC/DEL		LOTROXEN TABS	Use PA Form# 20420	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.
GI- SHORT BOWL SYNDROME				MC		GATTEX		Gattex requires a diagnosis of adult SBS who are dependent on parenteral support. Appropriate colonoscopy and lab assessments 6months prior to starting
MISCELLANEOUS GI								
GI - MISC.	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL		BISAC-EVAC SUPP BISACODYL BISCOLAX SUPP CINOBAC CAPS CITRATE OF MAGNESIA SOLN CITRUCEL DIOCTO SYRP DOCUSATE CALCIUM CAPS DOCUSATE SODIUM FIBER LAXATIVE TABS FLEET GENFIBER POWD GLYCERIN HIPREX TABS KRISTALOSE PACK MAALOX METAMUCIL MILK OF MAGNESIA SUSP MINERAL OIL OIL NULYTELY SOLR SENNA SENOKOT GRAN	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC		ACTIGALL CAPS BENEFIBER CARAFATE CLEARLAX POW COLACE CAPS COLYTE DIOCTO-C SYRP DOC SOD /CAS CAP DOC-Q-LAX CAPS DOCUSATE SODIUM/CAS CAPS DOK PLUS DULCOLAX SUPP FIBER CON TABS FIBER-LAX TABS GOLYTELY SOLR LINZESS MALTSUPEX MIRALAX PACK (OTC versions) MIRALAX POWD (OTC versions) MOVANTI ³ PEG 3350 POWDER ² PEG-ELECTROLYTES SOLR	1. Must show evidence of trials of preferred agents that do not require PA, such as OTC senna, docusate, mineral oil and prescription lactulose. 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. 3. Multiple preferred agents and dietary changes are required. Use PA Form# 20420	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.

	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.	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.
	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	Use PA Form# 20420	
	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	UROCID-K				
	MC/DEL	UROQID #2 TABS				

PHOSPHATE BINDERS

PHOSPHATE BINDERS	MC/DEL	CALCIUM ACETATE TAB ¹	MC	AURYXIA ¹	Use PA Form# 20420	
	MC/DEL	CALCIUM ACETATE CAP ¹	MC/DEL	FOSRENOL ¹	1. Diag required.	
	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	NUVESSA	1. Step order must be followed to avoid PA. Must fail Cleocin Cream and Metronidazole products before moving to next step product without PA.	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.
	MC/DEL	METROGEL VAGINAL GEL ²	MC/DEL	VANDAOZOLE	2. Dosing limits apply, please see Dosage Consolidation List.	
	MC/DEL	METRONIDAZOLE VAGINAL GEL ²				
	MC/DEL	CLEOCIN SUPP ¹			Use PA Form# 20420	

VAGINAL - ANTI FUNGALS	MC	CLINDESSE CREA	MC	AVC CREA	1. Quantity limit: 1/script/2 weeks	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.
	MC/DEL	CLOTRIMAZOLE CREA	MC	CLOTRIMAZOLE 3 DAY CREA		
	MC/DEL	GYNE-LOTRIMIN CREA	MC	GYNAZOLE-1 CREA		
	MC	MICONAZOLE CREA	MC	GYNE-LOTRIMIN 3 TABS	Use PA Form# 20420	
	MC/DEL	MICONAZOLE 3 COMBO PACK KIT ¹	MC/DEL	MICONAZOLE 3 SUPP		
	MC/DEL	MICONAZOLE 7 CREA	MC	TERAZOL 3 CREA		
	MC/DEL	MICONAZOLE NITRATE CREA	MC	TERAZOL 7 CREA		
	MC	NYSTATIN TABS	MC/DEL	TERCONAZOLE 0.8MG		
	MC/DEL	TERCONAZOLE 0.4MG	MC/DEL	TERCONAZOLE SUPP		DDI: Miconazole will require prior authorization if being used in combination with Warfarin.

	MC MC		VAGITROL V-R MICONAZOLE-7 CREA						
VAGINAL - CONTRACEPTIVES									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. 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		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.
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		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.
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	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		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.
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 9	ALPRAZOLAM ER ATIVAN NIRAVAM SERAX TRANXENE XANAX TABS XANAX XR	Use PA Form# 20420		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.
ANXIOLYTICS - MISC.	MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL		BUSPIRONE HCL TABS HYDROXYZINE HCL SOLN HYDROXYZINE HCL SYRP HYDROXYZINE PAMOATE CAPS MEPROBAMATE TABS	MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		BUSPAR TABS DROPERIDOL SOLN HYDROXYZINE HCL TABS HYDROXYZINE PAMOATE 100MG CAPS VISTARIL	Use PA Form# 20420		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.
ANTI-DEPRESSANTS									
ANTIDEPRESSANTS - MAO INHIBITORS	MC/DEL MC/DEL		NARDIL TABS PARNATE TABS	MC/DEL		TRANLYCYPROMIINE	Use PA Form# 20420		
ANTIDEPRESSANTS - MAO INHIBITORS TOPICAL				MC/DEL		EMSAM ¹	1. Dosing limits apply, please refer to Dose consolidation list. Use PA Form# 20420		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.
ANTIDEPRESSANTS - SELECTED SSRI's	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		BUPROPION HCL TABS BUPROPION SR BUPROPION XL CITALOPRAM ⁴ DULOXETINE ESCITALOPRAM ⁴ FLUOXETINE HCL CAPS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	8 8 8 8 8 8 8	APLENZIN ⁷ BRINTELLIX ¹³ CELEXA ⁴ CYMBALTA ⁵ EFFEXOR TABS EFFEXOR XR CP24 ^{3,10} FETZIMA ¹²	1. Use Fluoxetine 20 mg in multiples. 2. See Zoloft splitting table. Sertraline requires splitting of scored tabs to avoid PA.		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. <u>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.</u>

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 ⁵		SAVELLA: Fibromyalgia diagnosis and trial of a preferred generic amitriptyline, cyclobenzaprine and gabapentin prior to approval.
MC/DEL	MIRTAZAPINE	MC	8	FORFIVO XL		SAVELLA: Fibromyalgia diagnosis and trial of a preferred generic amitriptyline, cyclobenzaprine and gabapentin prior to approval. Lavepentin is the rule as follows.
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	3. Strong caution with pediatric population.	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.
MC/DEL	TRAZODONE HCL TABS	MC	8	LUVOX TABS	4. See Celexa/Citalopram and Lexapro splitting tables.	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.
MC/DEL	VENLAFAXINE ER CAPS ⁹	MC	8	MAPROTILINE HCL TABS		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.
		MC/DEL	8	MIRTAZAPINE ODT		4. Use of a preferred antidepressant for anxiety will require the diagnosis of anxiety on written prescription and submitted during claim submission.
		MC	8	OLEPTRO		
		MC/DEL	8	PAROXETINE CR ³		DDI: Fluvoxamine will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used with glimepiride (Amaryl).
		MC/DEL	8	PAXIL ³		DDI: Preferred nefazodone will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with either Onglyza 5mg, Enablex 15mg or Vesicare 10mg.
		MC/DEL	8	PAXIL CR ³		DDI: Fluoxetine will require prior authorization if being used in combination with Plavix.
		MC/DEL	8	PRISTIQ	5. Max daily dose allowed is 60mg, only 1 capsule per day allowed for all strengths. Combination of multiple strengths require PA.	DDI: Fluvoxamine will require prior authorization if being used in combination with Plavix.
		MC	8	PROZAC		
		MC	8	PROZAC CAPS		
		MC	8	PROZAC WEEKLY CPDR		
		MC/DEL	8	REMERON TABS	6. Use Fluoxetine 10mg tabs in multiples.	
		MC/DEL	8	SARAFEM CAPS		
		MC/DEL	8	TRAZODONE HCL 300MG TABS	7. Provide clinical documentation as to why a preferred generic alternative cannot be used.	
		MC/DEL	8	WELLBUTRIN TABS		
		MC/DEL	8	WELLBUTRIN SR TBCR		
		MC/DEL	8	WELLBUTRIN XL		
		MC/DEL	8	REMERON SOLTAB TBDP		
		MC/DEL	8	SAVELLA ⁸	8. Dosing limits allowing 2 tabs/day and a max daily limit of 200mg / day applies. Please see dose consolidation list.	
		MC/DEL	8	ZOLOFT		
		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.	SAVELLA: Fibromyalgia diagnosis and trial of a preferred generic amitriptyline, cyclobenzaprine, duloxetine and gabapentin prior to approval.
		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.	

ANTIDEPRESSANTS - TRI-CYCLICS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC		AMITRIPTYLINE HCL TABS ¹ ANAFRANIL CAPS ¹ DESIPRAMINE HCL TABS ¹ DOXEPIH HCL ¹ IMIPRAMINE HCL TABS ¹ NORTRIPTYLINE HCL ¹ PROTRIPTYLINE HCL TABS ¹ SURMONTIL CAPS ¹	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC		AMOXAPINE TABS CLOMIPRAMINE HCL CAPS DOXEPIH HCL 150 MG ² NORPRAMIN TABS PAMELOR TOFRANIL VIVACTIL TABS	Use PA Form# 20420 1. Users over the age of 65 require a pa. 2. Use multiples of 50mg. Use PA Form# 20420 Use PA Form# 10220 for Brand Name requests	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.	
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	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.	
SEDATIVE/HYPNOTICS - BENZODIAZEPINES	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	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	
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	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	
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/DEL MC MC MC/DEL	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	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: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• schizophrenia• bipolar disorder• agitation related to autism	

			MC/DEL	8	SAPHRIS	1. Please use multiple 25mg tablets.	severe behavioral dyscontrol with risk of imminent need for emergency services such as the emergency room, crisis services, or an inpatient psychiatric facility.
			MC/DEL	8	SEROQUEL 50MG TABS ^{1,2}		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.
			MC	8	ZYPREXA TABS	2. Established users of single therapy atypicals	
			MC	8	ZYPREXA ZYDIS TBP ²	3. Abilify requires splitting of tab to avoid PA. Please see Abilify splitting table.	Aristada- establish tolerability to Abilify/oral aripiprazole
			MC/DEL	8	SEROQUEL TABS		
			MC/DEL	9	SEROQUEL XR ⁵	4. Prior Authorization will be required for preferred medications for members under the age of 5. 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. 6. Dosing limits apply: quetiapine 25mg, 50mg and 100mg are available without PA if the daily dosage is less than 1.5 tablets 7. Clinical PA required establishing significant reason why an oral agent can't be used	
ANTIPSYCHOTICS - SPECIAL ATYPICALS	MC/DEL		CLOZAPINE TABS	MC/DEL	CLOZARIL TABS FAZACLO	Use PA Form# 20420	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.
ANTIPSYCHOTICS - TYPICAL	MC/DEL		CHLORPROMAZINE HCL	MC/DEL	COMPAZINE	Use PA Form# 20420	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.
	MC/DEL		FLUPHENAZINE DECANOATE	MC/DEL	COMPRO SUPP	If prescribing 2 or more antipsychotics, PA will be required for both drugs, except if one is Clozapine.	If prescribing 2 or more antipsychotics, PA will be required for both drugs, except if one is Clozapine.
	MC/DEL		FLUPHENAZINE HCL	MC	HALDOL DECANOATE		
	MC		HALDOL	MC/DEL	LOXITANE CAPS		
	MC/DEL		HALOPERIDOL	MC	MELLARIL		
	MC		HALOPERIDOL DECANOATE SOLN	MC/DEL	NAVANE CAPS		
	MC		HALOPERIDOL LACTATE SOLN	MC	PROLIXIN		
	MC/DEL		LOXAPINE SUCCINATE CAPS	MC	STELAZINE TABS		
	MC/DEL		LOXITANE-C CONC				
	MC		MOBAN TABS				
	MC/DEL		PERPHENAZINE				
	MC/DEL		PROCHLORPERAZINE				
	MC		SERENTIL				
	MC/DEL		THIORIDAZINE HCL				
	MC/DEL		THIOTHIXENE				
	MC/DEL		TRIFLUOPERAZINE HCL TABS				
LITHIUM							
LITHIUM	MC/DEL		LITHIUM CARBONATE	MC/DEL	ESKALITH CAPS	Use PA Form# 20420	
	MC/DEL		LITHIUM CITRATE SYRP	MC/DEL	ESKALITH CR TBCR		

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	
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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, Adderal & 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	
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STIMULANT - LONG ACTING AMPHETAMINES SALT	MC		VYVANSE ^{2,3,4}	MC MC/DEL	8 9	ADDERALL XR CP24 ^{1,3,4} AMPHETAMINE/DEXTROAMPHET ER	<p>Use PA Form# 20420</p> <p>1. As per recent FDA alert, Adderal should not be used 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>	<p>Adderal 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</p> <p>Quillivant is only indicated for use in patients 6 years of age and older. Prior trials of preferred products</p>
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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, Adderal & Dexedrine should not be used in patients with underlying heart defects since they may be at increased risk for sudden death.</p>	
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							3. Dosing limits apply, please see dosing consolidation list. Use PA Form# 20420	
STIMULANT - METHYLPHENIDATE	MC/DEL 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 METHYLPHENIDATE HCL ^{1,2}	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL		FOCALIN IR TABS METHYLIN CHEWABLES RITALIN	1. Preferred stimulants will be available without PA if diagnosis of ADHD. Use PA Form# 20420 2. Dosing limits apply, please see dosing consolidation list. Maximum daily doses are as follows: 72mg daily for methylphenidate and 36mg daily for dexamethylphenidate.	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.
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 CPCR 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	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.
STIMULANT - STIMULANT LIKE	MC/DEL MC		GUANFACINE ER KAPVAY	MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC	7 7 8 8 8 9 9 9	PROVIGIL TABS ³ STRATTERA ^{1,2} CAFICIT 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.	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

									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				NUDEXTA XYREM SOL ¹ XENAZINE	Use PA Form# 20710 for Xyrem Use PA Form# 20710 for Xenazine 1. See criteria section	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										
WEIGHT LOSS									No longer covered: PHENTERMINE, XENICAL, DIDREX, and MERIDIA	Weight loss drugs are not covered as permitted by Federal Medicaid regulations and Maine Medicaid (MaineCare) Policy.
ALZHEIMER DISEASE										
ALZHEIMER - Cholinomimetics/Others	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		DONEPEZIL HYDROCHLORIDE TABS ¹ DONEPEZIL HYDROCHLORIDE ODT ¹ EXELON DIS ¹ GALANTAMINE CAPS ¹ GALANTAMINE TAB ¹ NAMENDA ¹ NAMENDA XR CAPS ¹ RIVASTIGMINE TARTRATE CAPS ¹	MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC	6 6 7 8 8 8 8 9		ARICEPT TABS ² ARICEPT ODT ² DONEPEZIL HYDROCHLORIDE TABS 23MG EXELON CAP NAMZARIC RAZADYNE ² COGNEX CAPS 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	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.	
SMOKING CESSATION										
NICOTINE PATCHES / TABLETS	MC/DEL MC/DEL		CHANTIX TAB ^{1,2} NICOTINE DIS PT24 ¹	MC/DEL			NICODERM CQ PT24 ¹ hemocyte	Use PA Form# 20420 1. See criteria section for exemptions 2. The Starter/Titration packs are non-preferred. Please use the tablets.	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.	
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.	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.	
ALCOHOL DETERRENENTS										
ALCOHOL DETERRENENTS	MC MC		ANTABUSE TABS DISULFIRAM TABS	MC/DEL			ACAMPRO ¹	1. Should only be used in conjunction with formal alcohol abuse treatment	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.	

	MC/DEL		NALTREXONE HCL TABS				structured outpatient detoxification program. Use PA Form# 20420	and the preferred drug(s) exists.
MISCELLANEOUS ANALGESICS								
ANALGESICS - MISC.	MC/DEL		ACETAMINOPHEN	MC		AXOCET CAPS	Use PA Form# 20420	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.
	MC/DEL		ASPIRIN	MC/DEL		ESGIC-PLUS		
	MC/DEL		ASPRIN/ APAP/ CAFF TAB	MC/DEL		FIORICET TABS		
	MC/DEL		BUTAL/ASA/CAFF	MC		FIORINAL CAPS		
	MC/DEL		BUTALBITAL COMPOUND	MC		FIORTAL CAPS		
	MC/DEL		BUTALBITAL/ACET TABS	MC/DEL		FORTABS TABS		
	MC/DEL		BUTALBITAL/APAP CAPS	MC		PHRENILIN TABS		
	MC/DEL		BUTALBITAL/APAP/CAFFEINE	MC		PHRENILIN FORTE CAPS		
	MC/DEL		CHOLINE MAGNESIUM TRISALI	MC		TRILISATE LIQD		
	MC/DEL		DIFLUNISAL TABS	MC		TRILISATE TABS		
	MC		EXCEDRIN	MC		ZEBUTAL CAPS		
	MC/DEL		SALSALATE TABS	MC		ZORPRIN TBCR		
LONG ACTING NARCOTICS								
NARCOTICS - LONG ACTING	MC/DEL		EMBEDA	MC	8	AVINZA	Use PA Form# 20510	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:
	MC/DEL		FENTANYL PATCH ⁴	MC	8	BELBUCA	Use PA form #10300 for PAs over the opiate limit	
	MC		KADIAN	MC	8	DURAGESIC PT72 ⁴		
	MC/DEL		METHADONE	MC	8	EXALGO	1. Oxycotin 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.	
	MC/DEL		METHADOSE	MC/DEL	8	HYSINGLA ER		
	MC/DEL		MORPHINE SULFATE ER TB12	MC/DEL	8	MORPHINE SULFATE SUPP		
	MC/DEL		BUTRANS ⁴	MC/DEL	8	MS CONTIN TB12		
				MC	8	OPANA ER		
				MC/DEL	8	ORAMORPH SR TB12		
				MC/DEL	8	OXYCONTIN TB12 ¹		
				MC	8	XARTEMIS ER		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.;
				MC	8	ZOHYDRO ER		3.Breaches of narcotic contracts with any provider;
				MC/DEL	9	NUCYNTA ER		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;
				MC/DEL	9	OXYCODONE ER ^{3,5}		5.Failing to take or pass random drug testing;
							2. Established users are grandfathered.	6.Failing to provide old records regarding prior use of narcotics;
							3. Oxycodone ER allowed only 2 per day for all strengths except 80 mg, when 4 are allowed to.	7.Receiving controlled substances from other prescribers that the provider submitting the PA is unaware of
							4. Dosing limits apply. Please see dose consolidation list.	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 Oxycotin.
							5. Non-preferred products must be used in specific order.	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 (Oxycotin, 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
NARCOTICS - SELECTED	MC/DEL		TRAMADOL HCL TABS	MC/DEL	7	RYZOLT	Use PA Form# 20420	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
				MC	8	BUPRENEX SOLN	Use PA form #10300 for PAs over the opiate limit	
				MC/DEL	8	BUTORPHANOL		
				MC	8	NALBUPHINE HCL SOLN	1. Only available if	

				MC	8	STADOL NS SOLN	component ingredients are unavailable.	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.
				MC	8	TRAMADOL ER		
				MC	8	ULTRACET TABS ¹		
				MC	8	ULTRAM TABS		
				MC	9	ULTRAM ER		
								<p>Non-preferred drugs will not be approved for patients showing evidence of usage patterns consistent with controlled substance abuse such as:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 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; 3.breaches of narcotic contracts with any provider; 4.failure to comply with patient responsibilities in attached opiod documentaion (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. in 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 Oxycontin. 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. <p>Effective 1/01/2013, MaineCare will implement a 15 day limit for members prescribed opiates for their treatment of pain.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 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 <p>Please see the Pain Management Policy_Sec. 80 tab for the complete criteria</p>

MISCELLANEOUS NARCOTICS

NARCOTICS - MISC.	MC/DEL	ACETAMINOPHEN/CODEINE	MC/DEL	8	ABSTRAL	1. Fentanyl OT loz (Barr	<p>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.</p> <p>Effective 1/01/2013, MaineCare will implement a 15 day limit for members prescribed opiates for their treatment of pain.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 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 <p>Please see the Pain Management Policy_Sec. 80 for the complete criteria</p>
	MC/DEL	ASPIRIN/CODEINE TABS	MC/DEL	8	ASCOMP/CODEINE CAPS	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.	
	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	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 acet. dose similar to certain non-preferred drugs.	
	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	3. Only preferred		

	MC		ROXIPRIN TABS	MC	8	PHRENILIN W/CAFFEINE/CODE CAPS	manufacturer's products will be available without prior authorization.	
				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 Use PA Form# 10100 for Suboxone Restart	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.
				MC		BUNAVAIL ⁴	1. Buprenorphine will only be approved for use during pregnancy.	
				MC/DEL		BUPRENORPHINE ^{1,2}	2. See Criteria Section	Suboxone Criteria
				MC		ZUBSOLV ⁴	3. The manufacturer will be discontinuing the tablets by the end of quarter one 2013.	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, flim 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.
							4. 24month lifetime limit for treatment of opioid addiction	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).

NARCOTIC - ANTAGONISTS	MC/DEL		NALTREXONE HCL TABS	MC	EVZIO	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.	Please see the criteria listed on the Vivitrol PA form.
	MC/DEL		NALOXONE INJ REVIA TABS ¹	MC/DEL			
	MC/DEL		VIVITROL INJ ²	MC			

COX 2 / NSAIDS

COX 2 INHIBITORS - SELECTIVE / HIGHLY SELECTIVE	MC/DEL		CELEBREX CAPS ^{4,5,6}	MC/DEL	MOBIC 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. 4. Dosing limits will be set at a maximum of 200mg twice daily for PA requests. 5. Users 60 years of age or older will not require PA. If under 60 years of age, Celebrex will require PA. 6. The FDA has issued a Public Health Advisory warning of the potential for increased cardiovascular risk & GI bleeding with NSAID use.	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.
	MC/DEL		KETOROLAC TROMETHAMINE ^{2,3,6}	MC/DEL	MOBIC SUSP ⁶		
	MC/DEL		NABUMETONE TABS ⁶	MC/DEL	RELAFEN TABS ⁶		
	MC/DEL		MELOXICAM ^{1,6}	MC/DEL	VIVLODEX		

NSAIDS	MC/DEL		CHILDRENS IBUPROFEN	MC	ADVIL TABS	The FDA has issued a Public Health Advisory warning of the potential for increased cardiovascular risk & GI bleeding with NSAID 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. 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.
	MC/DEL		DICLOFENAC POTASSIUM TABS	MC	ANAPROX TABS		
	MC/DEL		DICLOFENAC SODIUM	MC	ANAPROX DS TABS		
	MC/DEL		ETODOLAC	MC	CAMBIA		
	MC/DEL		FENOPROFEN CALCIUM TABS	MC/DEL	CATAFLAM TABS		

	MC/DEL		FLURBIPROFEN TABS	MC	CHILDRENS ADVIL SUSP		
	MC/DEL		IBUPROFEN	MC	CHILD'S IBUPROFEN SUSP		
	MC/DEL		INDOMETHACIN	MC/DEL	CHILDREN'S MOTRIN SUSP	Use PA Form# 20420	
	MC/DEL		KETOPROFEN	MC/DEL	CLINORIL TABS		
	MC/DEL		MECLOFENAMATE SODIUM CAPS	MC/DEL	DAYPRO TABS		DDI: Diclofenac will now be non-preferred and require prior authorization if it is currently being used in combination with lescol.
	MC/DEL		NAPROSYN SUSP	MC/DEL	EC-NAPROSYN TBEC		
	MC/DEL		NAPROXEN SUSP	MC/DEL	ETODOLAC ER 600MG		The FDA has issued a Public Health Advisory warning of the potential for increased cardiovascular risk & GI bleeding with NSAID use.
	MC/DEL		NAPROXEN TABS	MC	FELDENE CAPS		
	MC/DEL		NAPROXEN SODIUM TABS	MC/DEL	IBU-200		
	MC/DEL		OXAPROZIN TABS	MC	INDOCIN		
	MC/DEL		SULINDAC TABS	MC/DEL	LODINE		
	MC/DEL		TOLMETIN SODIUM	MC/DEL	MOTRIN		
				MC	NALFON CAPS		
				MC/DEL	NAPRELAN TBCR		
				MC/DEL	NAPROSYN TABS		
				MC/DEL	NAPROXEN DR TBEC		
				MC/DEL	NAPROXEN SODIUM TBCR		
				MC	PENNSAID		
				MC/DEL	PIROXICAM CAPS		
				MC	PONSTEL CAPS		
				MC	SB IBUPROFEN TABS		
				MC	SPRIX		
				MC	TOLECTIN		
				MC/DEL	VOLTAREN		
				MC	V-R IBUPROFEN TABS		
				MC	ZORVOLEX		

NSAID - PPI				MC MC/DEL	PREVACID NAPRA-PAC VIMOVO ¹	1. Use a preferred NSAID and PPI separately. Use PA Form# 20420	
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RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS

RHEUMATOID ARTHRITIS	MC/DEL	1	AZATHIOPRINE	MC/DEL	ARAVA	Use PA Form# 20900	See criteria as listed on Rheumatoid Arthritis PA form.
	MC/DEL	1	HYDROXYCHLOROQUINE	MC/DEL	ACTEMRA	1. Only one step 1 drug is required to obtain Enbrel or Humira without PA.	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.
	MC/DEL	1	LEFLUNOMIDE	MC/DEL	CIMZIA		
	MC/DEL	1	METHOTREXATE	MC/DEL	ENTYVIO		
	MC/DEL	1	SULFASALAZINE TABS	MC/DEL	ILARIS ^{2,5,6}		
	MC	2	ENBREL ^{1,4}	MC	KINERET SOLN	2. Dosing limits apply. Please see dose consolidation list.	
	MC	2	HUMIRA ^{1,2,4}	MC	ORENCIA		
				MC	RASUVO ⁷		
				MC	REMICADE	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.	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 <500cells/mm ³ , an ANC <1000cells/mm ³ , or have a hemoglobin <9g/dl.
				MC		4. Established users will be grandfathered for Enbrel and Humira.	
				MC/DEL	SIMPONI	5. Clinical PA is required to establish diagnosis and medical necessity.	
					XELJANZ	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 MYOCHRYSLINE SOLN	MC/DEL	ARTHROTEC ¹	1. The individual components of Arthrotec are available without PA. Use PA Form# 20420	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.
LUPUS-SLE							
LUPUS-SLE				MC	BENLYSTA	Use PA Form# 20420	
MIGRAINE THERAPIES							
MIGRAINE - ERGOTAMINE DERIVATIVES	MC MC		MIGRANAL SOLN SANSERT TABS	MC/DEL	D.H.E. 45 SOLN	Use PA Form# 10110	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.
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	AMERGE TABS ^{1,2} AXERT TABS ^{1,2} FROVA TABS ^{1,2} IMITREX TABS ^{1,2} MAXALT ^{1,2,3} MAXALT MLT1,2,3 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	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. Quantity limit exceptions will require ongoing therapy with therapeutic doses of highly effective prophylactic medication as listed on the Triptan PA form.
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	ZECUITY 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	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.

GOUT

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

ANTI-PARKINSON DRUGS

PARKINSONS - ANTICHOLINERGICS	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL		BENZTROPINE MESYLATE TABS COGENTIN SOLN TRIHENXYPHENIDYL					Use PA Form# 20420	
PARKINSONS - COMT INHIBITORS	MC/DEL		COMTAN TABS	MC/DEL		TASMAR TABS		Use PA Form# 20420	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.
PARKINSONS - SELECTED DOPAMIN AGONISTS	MC/DEL MC/DEL		PRAMIPEXOLE ROPIROLE	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	5 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.	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.
PARKINSONS - DOPAMINERGICS/CARBI/ 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 ² 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	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.
PARKINSONS - COMBO.				MC/DEL		STALEVO ¹		Use PA Form# 20420	

				MC		CARBIDOPA/LEVODOPA/ENTACA ¹		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 CHLORZOAZONE TABS CYCLOBENZAPRINE HCL TABS LIORESAL INTRATHECAL KIT METHOCARBAMOL TABS TIZANIDINE HCL TABS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	6 7 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 9 9	SKELAXIN TAB ORPHENADRINE CITRATE CARISOPRODOL 350MG TABS AMRIX DANTRUM CAPS LIORESAL TABS LORZONE METAXALONE NORFLEX TBCR ROBAXIN-750 TABS VECUROMIUM INJ ZANAFLEX TABS CARISOPRODOL 250MG TABS SOMA TABS		Use PA Form# 20420	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.
MUSCLE RELAXANT - COMBO.				MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC		CARISOPRODOL/ASPIRIN TABS CARISOPRODOL/ASPIRIN/CODE NORGESIC TABS ORPHENADRINE COMPOUND ORPHENADRINE/ASA/CAFF ORPHENGESIC		Use PA Form# 20420	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.
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.	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.
VITAMINS									
VITAMINS	MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC		ASCORBIC ACID TABS BIOTIN CYANOCOBALAMIN SOLN FERIVA CAP FERIVAFA CAP FERRALET 90 TAB FOLIC ACID TABS FUSION PLUS CAP HEMOCYTE PLU CAP INTEGRA CAP INTEGRA PLUS CAP INTEGRA F CAP MEPHYTON TABS NIACIN NIACOR TABS NICOTINIC ACID SR CPCR PYRIDOXINE HCL TABS SLO-NIACIN TBCR TANDEM CAP TANDEM PLUS CAP	MC MC MC MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC		AQUASOL E SOLN AQUAVIT-E SOLN DHT SOLN NASCOBAL GEL		Use PA Form# 20420 Please refer to OTC list for covered products. Click here for the OTC List	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. 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.

	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		VITAMIN E/D-ALPHA CAPS				
	MC		VITAMIN K1 SOLN				
	MC		V-R VITAMIN E CAPS				

VITAMIN D's	MC/DEL		CALCITRIOL CAPS ¹	MC/DEL		DRISDOL CAPS	1. Diagnosis of dialysis (renal failure) required.	Preferred products require dialysis/renal failure diagnosis.
	MC/DEL		VITAMIN D	MC		CALCIJEX		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 <70mg ² /dl ²
	MC		ZEMPLAR TABS	MC/DEL		HECTOROL (ORAL)	Use PA Form# 20420	
				MC/DEL		HECTOROL (PARENTERAL)		
				MC/DEL		ROCALTROL		
				MC		ZEMPLAR INJ		

MISC MULTI-VITAMINS

VITAMINS - MISC.	MC		CENTRUM LIQD	MC		ADEKS	1. Diag codes are no longer required on prenatal vitamins.	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.
	MC		CENTRUM TABS	MC/DEL		ADVANCED NATALCARE TABS		
	MC		CENTRUM JR/IRON CHEW	MC		AQUADEKS		
	MC		CENTRUM SILVER TABS	MC		CENTRUM JR/EXTRA C CHEW	Please refer to OTC list.	
	MC		CENTRUM-LUTEIN TABS	MC		CENTRUM PERFORMANCE TABS		Please refer to OTC list.
	MC		CEROVITE ADVANCED FO TABS	MC		CITRANATAL	Use PA Form# 20420	
	MC/DEL		CHEWABLE MULTIVIT/FL CHEW	MC		DALYVITE LIQD		Preferred products that used to require diag codes still require diag codes unless indicated otherwise.
	MC		COD LIVER OIL CAPS	MC		EMBEX 600 MISC		
	MC		COMPLETE SENIOR TABS	MC		IBERET	Click here for the OTC List	
	MC		DAILY MULTI VIT/IRON	MC		MATERNA TABS		
	MC/DEL		DIALYVITE 1MG	MC		MAXARON		
	MC/DEL		DIALYVITE 800MG	MC		MULTIRET FOLIC-500 TBCR		
	MC		FERRALET 90	MC/DEL		NATAFORT TABS		
	MC/DEL		FULL SPECTRUM B	MC/DEL		NATALCARE CFE 60 TABS ¹		
	MC		M.V.1-12 INJ	MC/DEL		NATALCARE GLOSS TABS ¹		
	MC		MULTI-VIT/FLUORIDE	MC		NATALCARE PIC TABS ¹		
	MC/DEL		NATALCARE RX TABS	MC		NATALCARE PIC FORTE TABS ¹		
	MC/DEL		NEPHRONEX	MC/DEL		NATALCARE PLUS TABS ¹		
	MC/DEL		O-CAL PRENATAL	MC		NATALCARE THREE TABS ¹		
	MC/DEL		ONE DAILY TABS	MC/DEL		NATACHEW CHEW		
	MC/DEL		ONE-DAILY MULTIVITAMINS	MC		NATALFIRST TABS		
	MC/DEL		ONE-TABLET-DAILY	MC		NATABAB RX TABS		
	MC/DEL		POLY-VIT/IRON/FLUORID SOLN	MC/DEL		NEPHPLEX RX TABS		
	MC/DEL		POLY-VITAMIN/FLUORIDE SOLN	MC/DEL		NEPHROCAPS CAPS		
	MC/DEL		POLY-VITAMINS/IRON SOLN	MC/DEL		NEPHRO-VITE TABS		
	MC/DEL		PRENATAL TABS ¹	MC		NESTABS RX TABS		
	MC/DEL		PRENATAL FORMULA 3 TABS ¹	MC/DEL		NIFEREX		
	MC/DEL		PRENATAL PLUS TABS ¹	MC/DEL		OCUVITE TABS		
	MC/DEL		PRENATAL PLUS NF TABS ¹	MC		POLY-VI-FLOR SOLN		
	MC		PRENATAL PLUS/27MG IRON ¹	MC		POLY-VI-SOL SOLN		
	MC		PRENATAL PLUS/IRON TABS ¹	MC		POLY-VI-SOL/IRON SOLN		
	MC/DEL		PRENATAL RX/BETA-CAROTENE ¹	MC		POLY-VITAMIN DROPS SOLN		
	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
	MC	CALCI-MIX CAPSULE CAPS	MC	CALCET TABS	Please refer to OTC list.
	MC	CALCIQUID SYRP	MC/DEL	CALCIUM 600-D TABS	
		CALCITRATE/VITAMIN D TABS	MC	CALCIUM/VITAMIN D TABS	Click here for the OTC List
	MC	CALCIUM	MC	CALTRATE 600 PLUS/VIT D TABS	
	MC/DEL	CALCIUM CARBONATE	MC	CALTRATE PLUS TABS	
	MC/DEL	CALCIUM CITRATE TABS	MC	CHROMAGEN	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.
	MC/DEL	CALCIUM GLUCONATE TABS	MC	CITRACAL PLUS TABS	
	MC/DEL	CALCIUM LACTATE TABS	MC	CONTRIN CAPS	Please refer to OTC list.
	MC	CALCIUM/MAGNESIUM TABS	MC	FEOGEN FORTE CAPS	
	MC/DEL	CALCIUM/VITAMIN D TABS	MC	FEROCON CAPS	Preferred products that used to require diag codes still require diag codes unless indicated otherwise.
	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	HEMOCYTE TABS	
	MC	EFFERVESCENT POTASSIUM TBEF	MC/DEL	K-DUR TBCR	
	MC/DEL	FEOSTAT CHEW	MC	KLOR-CON PACK	
	MC	FERATAB TABS	MC	K-LYTE	
	MC/DEL	FER-GEN-SOL SOLN	MC/DEL	K-PHOS TABS NEUTRAL	
	MC	FER-IRON SOLN	MC	K-TABS TBCR	
	MC	FERRONATE TABS	MC	K-VESCENT PACK	
	MC/DEL	FERROUS SULFATE	MC	MICRO-K 10 MEG CPCR	
	MC/DEL	FLUOR-A-DAY CHEW	MC	NU-IRON 150 CAPS	
	MC	FLUORIDE CHEW	MC/DEL	OYSTER SHELL CALCIUM/VITA TABS	
	MC	FLUORIDE SODIUM CHEW	MC/DEL	POLY-IRON 150 CAPS	
	MC	FLUORITAB CHEW	MC/DEL	POLYSACCHARIDE IRON CAPS	
	MC	HM CALCIUM TABS	MC/DEL	POTASSIUM BICARB/CHLORIDE	
	MC	K+ POTASSIUM PACK	MC/DEL	POTASSIUM CHLORIDE 10MEQ CAPS	
	MC	KAON ELIX	MC/DEL	POTASSIUM CHLORIDE 8MEQ CAPS	
	MC	KAON-CL-10 TBCR	MC/DEL	SLOW FE TBCR	
	MC	KCL 0.075%/D5W/NACL 0.2% SOLN	MC	TUMS 500 CHEW	
	MC	K-EFFERVESCENT TBEF	MC	VIACTIV CHEW	
	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	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 MC MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC MC MC/DEL MC 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	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. 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
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ERYTHROPOEITINS	MC	PROCRIT SOLN ¹	MC	6	EPOGEN SOLN	Use PA Form# 10520	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
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				MC	8	ARANESP SOLN	1. Clinical PA is required to establish medical necessity and that appropriate lab monitoring is being done.	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.
				MC/DEL	8	MIRCERA ¹		
				MC/DEL	8	OMONTYS		
GRANULOCYTE CSF								
GRANULOCYTE CSF				MC	8	LEUKINE	1. Must be used in specified step order.	See approval criteria detailed on Neupogen PA form.
				MC	8	NEUPOGEN SOLN ²		
				MC	9	NEULASTA ¹	2.10 day supply/month may be used without a PA.	
				MC/DEL		ZARXIO		
							Use PA Form# 20520	
GAUCHER DISEASE								
GAUCHER DISEASE				MC		CERDELGA		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.
							Use PA Form# 20420	
ANTICOAGULANTS / PLATELET AGENTS								
ANTICOAGULANTS	MC		ARIXTRA SOLN ¹	MC/DEL		LOVENOX SOLN	1. Arixtra, Fragmin and Enoxaparin therapy durations greater than 7 days require 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. Exceeding days supply limits for LMWH class requires PA.
	MC/DEL		ENOXAPARIN ¹	MC/DEL		FONDAPARINUX		
	MC/DEL		ELIQUIS	MC		IPRIVASK		
	MC		COUMADIN TABS	MC/DEL		JANTOVEN		
	MC/DEL		FRAGMIN INJ ¹	MC/DEL		LOVENOX 300 ²		
	MC		HEPARIN SODIUM/NACL 0.9% SOLN	MC/DEL		WARFARIN SODIUM TABS3		DDI: Warfarin will require prior authorization if being used in combination with fluconazole, miconazole, or voriconazole.
	MC		HEP-LOCK SOLN	MC/DEL		SAVAYSAS ⁴		DDI: Warfarin will require prior authorization if being used in conjunction with Gemfibrozil or Fenofibrate.
	MC/DEL		INNOHEP	MC/DEL			2. Use other strengths available to obtain desired dose.	
	MC		HEPARIN LOCK SOLN				3.Established users will be grandfathered, new starters must use preferred product Coumadin.	DDI: Rifampin will require prior authorization if being used in combination with Savaysa
	MC/DEL		HEPARIN LOCK FLUSH SOLN				4. Diagnosis required	
	MC/DEL		HEPARIN SODIUM SOLN					
	MC/DEL		PRADAXA					
	MC/DEL		XARELTO					
	MC/DEL		HEPARIN SODIUM LOCK FLUSH SOLN					
							Use PA form# 20725 for Pradaxa requests	
							Use PA form# 20420 for other requests	
ANTIHEMOPHILIC AGENTS	MC		ALPHANATE	MC		ADVATE ^{1,2}	1. Only if other products unavailable.	Non-preferred will only be approved if other preferred products are unavailable.
	MC		ALPHANINE SD	MC		KOATE-DVI		
	MC/DEL		BENEFIX SOLR				2. Advate may be available with PA in cases of large volume dosing in patients with poor venous access.	
	MC/DEL		HELIXATE FS KIT					
	MC		HEMOPIL - M					
	MC		HUMATE-P SOLR					
	MC		KOGENATE FS					
	MC		KONYNE - 80					
	MC		MONARC - M					
	MC		MONOCLATE - P					
	MC		MONONINE					
	MC		NOVOSEVEN SOLR					
	MC/DEL		PROFILNINE					
	MC		RECOMBINATE SOLR					
	MC		REFACTO				Use PA Form# 20420	

	MC		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.	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.
PLATELET AGGR. INHIBITORS / COMBO'S - MISC.	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		AGGRENOX CILOSTAZOL PENTOXIFYLLINE ER TBCR	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC		AGRYLIN CAPS ANAGRELIDE CAPS PLETAL TABS TRENAL TBCR	Use PA Form# 20420	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.
HEMATOLOGICALS								
MONOCLONAL ANTIBODY				MC		SOLIRIS	Use PA Form# 20420	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.
IMMUNE GLOBULIN INTRAVENOUS (IVIG)	MC		OCTAGAM INJ ¹	MC		GAMMAPLEX INJ	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	Clinical PA required. Must see prior trial with insufficient response to corticosteroids and immunoglobulins.
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 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/DEL 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 TOBEX OINT TRIFLURIDINE SOLN	Use PA Form# 20420	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.
OP. - QUINOLONES	MC/DEL MC/DEL		CILOXAN OINT CIPROFLOXACIN SOL 0.3%	MC/DEL MC		CILOXAN SOLN OCUFLOX SOLN	Use PA Form# 20420	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.

	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	BESIVANCE OFLOXACIN QUIXIN SOLN						Preferred drug(s) exists.
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 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/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL 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.	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.	
OP. - BETA - BLOCKERS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	BETOPTIC-S SUSP CARTEOLOL HCL SOLN LEVOBUNOLOL HCL SOLN METIPRANOLOL SOLN TIMOLOL MALEATE SOLG (GEL) TIMOLOL MALEATE SOLN	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL		BETAGAN SOLN BETAXOLOL HCL SOLN BETIMOL SOLN ISTALOL OCUPRESS SOLN OPTIPRANOLOL SOLN TIMOPTIC SOLN TIMOPTIC-XE SOLG	Use PA Form# 20420	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.	
OP. - ANTI-INFLAMMATORY / STEROIDS OPTH.	MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL 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 MC/DEL MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL 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	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.	
OP. - PROSTAGLANDINS	MC/DEL MC/DEL	LATANOPROST SOL 0.005% TRAVATAN-Z	MC/DEL MC	7 8	ZIOPTAN LUMIGAN SOLN ¹	1. All preferreds must be tried.	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.	

			MC	8	RESCULA ^{1,2,3}	2. Dosing limits apply, please see dosing consolidation list. 3. Clinical PA is required to establish diagnosis and medical necessity. Use PA Form# 20420	Significant potential drug interaction between another drug and the preferred drug(s) exists.
			MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	8 8 8	TRAVATAN SOLN TRAVOPROST XALATAN SOLN ¹		
OP. - CYCLOPLEGICS	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC		AK-PENTOLATE SOLN ATROPINE SULFATE CYCLOPENTOLATE HCL SOLN ISOPTO HYOSCINE SOLN	Use PA Form# 20420 Use PA Form# 20420 Use PA Form# 20420 Use PA Form# 20420	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.
OP. - MIOTICS - DIRECT ACTING	MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL		MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL		ISOPTO CARBACHOL SOLN ISOPTO CARPINE SOLN PILOCAR SOLN PILOCARPINE HCL SOLN PILOPINE HS GEL	Use PA Form# 20420	
OP. - ADRENERGIC AGENTS	MC/DEL MC		MC MC		DIPIVEFRIN HCL SOLN EPIFRIN SOLN	Use PA Form# 20420	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.
OP. - SELECTIVE ALPHA ADRENERGIC AGONISTS	MC MC/DEL		MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL		ALPHAGAN P 0.15% SOLN SIMBRINZA	Use PA Form# 20420 Use PA Form# 20420 Use PA Form# 20420 Use PA Form# 20420	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.
OP. - ANTI-ALLERGICS	MC/DEL MC/DEL		MC MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL	8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 9	PATADAY SOLN PATANOL SOLN ALOCRIL SOLN ALOMIDE SOLN BEPREVE ELESTAT EMADINE SOLN LASTACAF OPTIVAR OPTICROM SOLN PAZEO ZADITOR SOLN EPINASTINE	Use PA Form# 20420	All 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.
OP. ANTI-ALLERGICS- MASTCELL STABILIZER CLASS			MC/DEL		ALAMAST SOLN	Use PA Form# 20420	
OP. - CARBONIC ANHYDRASE INHIBITORS/COMBO	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL		MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		AZOPT SUSP COMBIGAN DORZOLAMIDE DORZOLAMIDE/TIMOLOL	Use PA Form# 20420 Use PA Form# 20420 Use PA Form# 20420 Use PA Form# 20420	
OP. - NSAID'S	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL	8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 9	FLURBIPROFEN SODIUM SOLN DICLOFENAC OPTH 0.1% KETOROLAC OPTH 0.4% KETOROLAC OPTH 0.5% ACULAR LS ¹ ACULAR SOLN ¹ ILEVRO PROLENSA NEVANAC ¹ OCUFEN SOLN ¹ XIBROM ¹ VOLTAREN SOLN ¹ ACUVAIL ¹ BROMFENAC	1. Must fail all preferred products before non-preferred. Use PA Form# 20420	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.
OP. - OF INTEREST	MC/DEL		MC MC		ENUCLENE SOLN BOTOX SOLR RESTASIS ¹	1. Must have kerato conjunctivitis sicca and failed other dry eye therapies. Use PA Form# 20420	Must fail adequate trials of multi agents from artificial tears and lubricant category.

	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC		ECONAZOLE NITRATE CREA KETOCONAZOLE CREA KETOCONAZOLE SHAM LOPROX 1.0 CREA LOPROX 1.0 LOTN LOPROX GEL LOPROX TS LOTN LOTRISONE CREA MICONAZOLE NITRATE CREA MYCO-TRIACET II CREA NYSTATIN NYSTATIN/TRIAMCINOLONE CREA NYSTOP POWD PEDI-DRI POWD TINACTIN TRI-STATIN II CREA	MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL	8 9	HYDROCORT/ODOQ CREA JUBLIA KERYDIN ¹ LAMISIL LOPROX 0.77 LOTN LOPROX 0.77 CREA LOPROX 0.77 SUSP LOPROX SHAMPOO SHAM LOTRIMIN LOTRISONE LOT LUZU MENTAX CREA MYCOGEN II CREA NAFTIN NIZORAL SHAM NYSTATIN/TRIAMCINOLONE OINT NYSTAT-RX POWD OXISTAT PENLAC NAIL LACQUER SOLN			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	
TOPICAL - ANTIPRURITICS	MC		ZONALON CREA	MC		PRUDOXIN CREA			Use PA Form# 20420	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.
TOPICAL - ANTIPSORIATICS	MC/DEL MC		SORIATANE CAPS TAZORAC	MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC		OXSORALEN ULTRA CAPS ¹ PSORIATEC CREA ¹ SORIATANE CK KIT ¹ TACLONEX ^{1,2} VECTICAL ¹	1. Must fail all preferred products before non-preferred. 2. Individual ingredients are available as preferred witout PA.		Use PA Form# 20420	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.
TOPICAL - ANTISEBORRHEICS	MC/DEL		SELENIUM SULFIDE SHAM	MC MC		CARMOL SCALP TREATMENT KIT ZNP BAR			Use PA Form# 20420	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.
TOPICAL - ANTIVIRALS				MC/DEL MC		DENAVIR CREA ^{1,3} ZOVIRAX OINT ^{1,2}	1. Must fail oral treatment with Acyclovir or Valacyclovir. 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	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.
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	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.
TOPICAL - CORTICOSTEROIDS				MC/DEL		ACLOVATE			Use PA Form# 20420	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.
	MC MC/DEL MC MC MC MC MC		LOW POTENCY DESOWEN ¹ HYDROCORTISONE CREA HYDROCORTISONE LOTN LACTICARE-HC LOTN NUTRACORT LOTN TEXACORT SOLN	MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL		AMCINONIDE CREA ANUSOL HC-1 OINT CLOBETASOL PROPINATE LOTN CLODERM CREA CORDRAN CORMAX	1. Dosing limits apply, please see dosing consolidation list.			

				MC	8	ZYCLARA ¹	Please see ase consolidation list.		
TOPICAL - IMMUNOMODULATORS				MC/DEL MC	8 9	ELIDEL CREA ¹ PROTOPIC OINT ^{1,2}	Use PA Form# 20420 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.	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.	
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	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.	
TOPICAL - DEPIGMENTING AGENTS				MC MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC MC	8 8 8 8 8 8 9	ALUSTR A CREA EPIQUIN MICRO GLYQUIN CREA HYDROQUINONE CREA HYDROQUINONE/SUNSCREENS SOLAQUIN FORTE CREA TRI-LUMA CREA ELDOQUIN	Use PA Form# 20420	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.	
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	Use PA Form# 20420 1. Dosing limits apply, please refer to dosage consolidation list. 2. Will require two applications of permethrin.	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.	
TOPICAL - WOUND / DECUBITUS CARE				MC MC/DEL MC/DEL		REGANEX GEL REGENECARE RADIAPLEXRX	Use PA Form# 20420	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. Regranex will be approved for diabetic patients in good control (HgbA1c <8), who are not smoking, with a stage III or IV WOCN AND NPUAP lower extremity diabetic ulcer and with an adequate blood supply (TcP O2 >30, ABI>0.7 or ASP> 70), and where the underlying cause has been corrected. The wound must be free of infection and have been previously treated with preferred standard therapies for at least 2 months. Maximum approval for 20 weeks. Accuzyme and Ethezyme products have been removed from the PDL due to FDA concerns regarding drugs containing Papain.	
TOPICAL - ASTRINGENTS / PROTECTANTS	MC		XERAC AC SOLN	MC MC MC MC		LOWILA BAR MOISTURIN DRY SKIN CREA PROSHIELD PLUS SKIN PROTE CREA SURGILUBE GEL	Use PA Form# 20420 1. Dosing limits apply, please refer to dosage consolidation list.	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.	
TOPICAL - ANTISEPTICS / DISINFECTANTS	MC/DEL MC/DEL		PHISOHEX LIQD POVIDONE-IODINE SOLN	MC MC MC MC		BETADINE OINT FORMALYDE-10 AERS IODOSORB LAZERFORMALYDE SOLUTION SOLN	Use PA Form# 20420	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.	
MISCELLANEOUS EYE									
OP. - EYE	MC MC MC MC		AK-DILATE SOLN EYE WASH SOLN NAPHAZOLINE HCL SOLN PHENYLEPHRINE HCL SOLN	MC MC/DEL MC		LENS PLUS REWETTING DROPS MURO 128 NEO-SYNEPHRINE SOLN	Use PA Form# 20420	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.	

	MC MC/DEL		PONTOCAINE SOLN SODIUM CHLORIDE					
MISCELLANEOUS EAR								
EAR	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL		A/B OTIC SOLN ACETASOL SOLN ACETASOL HC SOLN ACETIC ACID ACETIC ACID/HYDROCORTISON ALLERGEN SOLN CARBAMIDE PEROXIDE 6.5% OTIC SOLN. CIPRODEX CIPRO HC SUSP CORTISPORIN SOLN CORTOMYCIN EAR DROPS SOLN EAR DROPS RX SOLN EAR WAX REMOVAL DROPS NEOMYCIN/POLYMYXIN/HC	MC MC MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL		ANTIBIOTIC EAR SOLN ANTIBIOTIC EAR SUSP COLY-MYCIN-S SUSP CORTISPORIN-TC SUSP DEBROX SOLN DERMOTIC OFLOXACIN 0.3% OTIC	Use PA Form# 20420	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.
MOUTH ANTISEPTICS								
MOUTH ANTI-INFECTIVES	MC MC/DEL		NILSTAT SUSP NYSTATIN SUSP	MC MC		MYCELEX TROC ORAVIG	Use PA Form# 20420	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.
MOUTH ANTISEPTICS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC		CHLORHEXIDINE GLUCONATE LIDOCAINE VISCOUS SOLN TRIAMCINOLONE IN ORABASE PSTE TRIAMCINOLONE ORADENT PSTE	MC MC MC MC		APHTHASOL PSTE ¹ PERIOGARD SOLN ¹ TRIAMCINOLONE ACETONIDE PSTE ¹	Use PA Form# 20420 1. Must fail all preferred products before non-preferred.	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.
DENTAL PRODUCTS								
DENTAL PRODUCTS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC		ETHEDENT CREA GEL-KAM CONC GEL-KAM GEL 0.4% PHOS FLUR SOLN SF 5000 PLUS CREA SF GEL STANNOUS FLUORIDE ORAL RI CONC	MC/MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC		APF GEL GEL DENTAGEL GEL PHOS-FLUR GEL THERA-FLUR-N GEL	Use PA Form# 20420	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.
ARTIFICIAL SALIVA/STIMULANTS								
ARTIFICIAL SALIVA/STIMULANTS	MC		SALIVA SUBSTITUTE SOLN	MC MC MC		EVOXAC CAPS RADIACARE SOLR SALAGEN TABS	Use PA Form# 20420	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.
MISCELLANEOUS ANORECTAL								
ANORECTAL - MISC.	MC/DEL MC MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		COLOCORT ENEM CORTENEMA ENEM ELA-MAX 5 CREA HYDROCORTISONE ENEM PROCTOSOL HC CREA PROCTOZONE-HC CREA	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC		ANUSOL-HC CREA CORTIFOAM FOAM PROCTOFOAM HC FOAM PROCTO-KIT CREA 2.5% RECTIV OINT	Use PA Form# 20420	
T-CELL ACTIVATION INHIBITOR								
PSORIASIS BIOLOGICALS	MC		COSENTYX ²	MC		OTEZLA	1. Will not require a PA if at	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,

	MC MC		ENBREL ^{1,2} HUMIRA ¹	MC	STELARA	<p>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> <p>Use PA Form# 20910</p>	<p>anthrain, calcipotriene and tazarotene, and at least one systemic drug such as methotrexate, cyclosporine, methoxsalen or acitretin and phototherapy/UVA.</p> <p>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.</p>
ALTERNATIVE MEDICINES							
ALTERNATIVE MEDICINES	MC		DIMETHYL SULFOXIDE SOLN	MC/DEL MC	CO-ENZYME Q-10 MELATONIN TABS	Use PA Form# 20420	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.
CHELATING AGENTS							
CHELATING AGENTS	MC/DEL		CUPRIMINE CAPS	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 members 2 years of age and older is required for approval of Exjade.
ANTILEPROTIC							
ANTILEPROTIC				MC	THALOMID CAPS ¹	Use PA Form# 20420	1. All PA requests for 150mg dosing will require use of Thalomid 100mg and 50mg capsules. Approved for indications of leprosy, treatment-resistant multiple myeloma and AIDS.
ANTINEOPLASTIC AGENTS							
ANTINEOPLASTIC AGENTS - ANTIANDROGENS	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	Use PA Form# 20420	1. Dosing limits apply, please refer to dosage consolidation list. 2. PA required to confirm FDA approved indication.
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 FDA approved indication. Use PA Form# 20420	

CANCER							
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CANCER	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL		ALIMTA ANASTROZOLE TABS AVASTIN ERBITUX LETROZOLE MEGACE ES VIDAZA	MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC 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/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC	ALECENSA ARIMIDEX BOSULIF COMETRIQ ^{3,4,5} COTELLIC EMPLICITI(IV) ⁸ ERIVEDGE FARYDAK FOLOTYN GILOTRIF ^{4,5} IBRANCE ICLUSIG ³ IMLYGIC INLYTA JAKAFI KEYTRUDA ⁷ LENVIMA LONSURF LYNPARZA ⁷ NEXAVAR ¹ NINLARO(PO) MEKINIST ^{3,4} ODOMZO ^{1,2,5} POMALYST STIVARGA SUTENT ^{1,2} SYLATRON TAFINLAR ^{3,4,5,6} TAGRISSO 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 8. Monitor liver enzymes periodically and stop treatment upon Grade 3 or higher elevation of liver enzymes approved indication	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 by 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 heptic enzyme tests should be preformed for the first three months of treatment , as clinically indicated. clusig 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 DDI: Strong or moderate CYP3A inhibitors and strong or moderate CYP3A inducers (carbamazepine, efavirenz, phenytoin, rifampin and St. John's Wort) should be avoided with use of Cotellic DDI: Acyclovir/other antihperitic viral agents may interfere with the effectiveness of lmylgic Ninlaro: prior to starting a new cycle of therapy, it is recommended that: the absolute neutrophil count be ≥ 1,000/ mm3, platelet count be ≥ 75,000/ mm3 and non-hematologic toxicities be recovered to patient's baseline condition or Grade 1 or lower
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Lonsurf: Complete blood cell count should be obtained prior to an on day 15 of each cycle
 Cycle of Lonsurf should not be started until: absolute neutrophil count (ANC) is \geq 1500/mm3 or febrile neutropenia is resolved; platelets are $>$ 75,00/ mm3; and Grade 3 or 4 non-hematological adverse reactions are resolved to Grade 0 or 1.

-Within a treatment cycle, withhold Lonsurf if: ANC $<$ 500/ mm3 or febrile neutropenia; platelets $<$ 50,000/ mm3; Grade 3 or 4 non-hematological adverse reactions

- After Recovery, resume Lonsurf after reducing the dose by 5mg/m2/dose from the previous dose if the following occurs: febrile neutropenia; uncomplicated Grade 4 neutropenia or thrombocytopenia that results in $>$ 1 week delay in start of next cycle; or non-hematologic Grade 3 or Grade 4 adverse reaction except for Grade 3 nausea and/or vomiting controlled by antiemetic therapy or Grade 3 diarrhea responsive to antidiarrheal medication

DDI: Avoid concomitant use of Tagrisso with strong CYP3A inhibitors, strong CYP3A inducers, drugs that are sensitive substrates of CYP3A, breast cancer resistance protein (BCRP), or CYP1A2 with narrow therapeutic indices.

IMMUNOSUPPRESSANTS

IMMUNOSUPPRESSANTS	MC/DEL MC MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL MC/DEL		CYCLOSPORINE MODIFIED GENGRAF CAPS MYCOPHENOLATE MYFORTIC NEORAL RAPAMUNE SANDIMMUNE TACROLIMUS	MC/DEL MC/DEL MC	CELLCEPT CYCLOSPORINE CAPS CYCLOSPORINE SOL. MODIFIED PROGRAF CAPS	Use PA Form# 20420	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: 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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PURINE ANALOG

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

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

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