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Policy/ Coverage Criteria Guideline	Applicable Business	Revision Summary Description	
	Clinically Significant Change(s)		
CP.PHAR.11 Burosumab-twza	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: clarified weight-based dosing limits in initial and continued approval	
(Crysvita)	HIM,	criteria; references reviewed and updated.	
	Medicaid		
CP.PHAR.14 Hydroxyprogesterone	Commercial,	Added requirement precluding concurrent therapy with Crinone or Endometrin.	
caproate (Makena)	HIM,		
	Medicaid		
CP.PHAR.16 Palivizumab (Synagis)	Commercial,	Seasonal coverage criteria are added to all indications; related AAP/CDC guidance is added to	
	HIM,	Appendix D.	
	Medicaid		
CP.PHAR.61 Cinacalcet (Sensipar)	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: added Commercial LOB; references reviewed and updated.	
	HIM,		
	Medicaid		
CP.PHAR.81 Pazopanib (Votrient)	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: For STS subtype GIST Ayvakit added per NCCN guidelines as a possible	
	HIM,	step through drug; for STS added criteria disease is stage IV, unresectable, advanced, or recurrent	
	Medicaid	with metastases as per NCCN guidelines; for uterine carcinoma added criteria disease is recurrent or	
		metastatic; for thyroid carcinoma added criteria disease is unresectable, advanced or metastatic; if	
		papillary, follicular, or Hurthle cell carcinoma, disease is progressive and/or symptomatic iodine-	
		refractory; off-label ovarian cancer added given 2A NCCN recommendation; references reviewed	
		and updated.	





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CP.PHAR.89 Peginterferon Alfa-2a,b	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: added systemic mastocytosis with associated hematologic malignancy,
(Pegasys, PegIntron, Sylatron)	HIM,	aggressive systemic mastocytosis, osteopenia or osteoporosis with refractory bone pain and/or
	Medicaid	decreasing bone mineral density on bisphosphonate therapy as per NCCN compendium; specified
		myelofibrosis as low risk and symptomatic as per NCCN compendium; added specialist
		involvement for chronic hepatitis B infection; references reviewed and updated.
CP.PHAR.103 Immune Globulins	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: for dermatomyositis added a requirement for a prior trial of rituximab;
	HIM,	added Indiana as another exception to the Section III exclusion for PANDAS; RT4: added new
	Medicaid	Hizentra prefilled syringe dosage form; references reviewed and updated.
CP.PHAR.130 Avatrombopag	Commercial,	For chronic immune thrombocytopenia: added requirement that Doptelet is not prescribed
(Doptelet)	HIM,	concurrently with rituximab or other thrombopoietin receptor agonists for ITP; revised systemic
	Medicaid	corticosteroid and immune globulin trial to tiered re-direction with immune globulin trial only if
		corticosteroid cannot be used per ASH 2011 guideline and specialist feedback.
CP.PHAR.131 Infertility and Fertility	Commercial*	HIM line of business applied to all agents; infertility/fertility preservation benefit exclusion added
Preservation	, HIM*,	for HIM line of business except for HIM Illinois; infertility/fertility preservation pharmacy benefit
	Medicaid*	requirement added for all lines of business.
CP.PHAR.146 Deferoxamine	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: revised HIM-medical benefit to HIM line of business; references reviewed
(Desferal)	HIM,	and updated.
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.150 Mecasermin (Increlex)	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: HIM non-formulary language removed; open epiphyses added; auxology
	HIM,	updated for acquired GH insensitivity to reconcile with somatropin policy; malignancy
	Medicaid	contraindication added; positive response removed in deference to growth criteria; references
		reviewed and updated.





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CP.PHAR.168 Corticotropin (H.P.	Commercial,	Revised multiple sclerosis approval duration from 4 weeks to 3 weeks and added max vial quantity
Acthar)	HIM,	of 6 vials total; revised Appendix D; references reviewed and updated.
,	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.173 Leuprolide Acetate	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: revised HIM-Medical Benefit to HIM line of business; added Fensolvi (new
(Lupron, Lupron Depot, Eligard,	HIM,	dosage form) to the policy for Central Precocious Puberty; added off-label NCCN indication and
Lupaneta Pack, Fensolvi)	Medicaid	criteria for salivary gland tumor; references reviewed and updated.
CP.PHAR.179 Romiplostim (Nplate)	Commercial,	For immune thrombocytopenia: added requirement that Nplate is not prescribed concurrently with
	HIM,	rituximab or other thrombopoietin receptor agonists for ITP.
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.180 Eltrombopag	Commercial,	For chronic immune thrombocytopenia: added requirement that Promacta is not prescribed
(Promacta)	HIM,	concurrently with rituximab or other thrombopoietin receptor agonists for ITP.
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.212 Dornase alfa	HIM,	Added pulmonologist prescriber requirement; added requirement of therapeutic plan including
(Pulmozyme)	Medicaid	concomitant use of standard CF therapies as indicated in PI.
CP.PHAR.243 Alemtuzumab	Commercial,	Added requirements for documentation of baseline relapses/EDSS and objective measures of
(Lemtrada)	HIM,	positive response upon re-authorization; references reviewed and updated.
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.258 Mitoxantrone	Commercial,	MS: added requirements for documentation of baseline relapses/EDSS and objective measures of
(Novantrone)	HIM,	positive response upon re-authorization; references reviewed and updated.
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.259 Natalizumab (Tysabri)	Medicaid	MS: added requirements for documentation of baseline relapses/EDSS and objective measures of
		positive response upon re-authorization; modified continued approval duration to 6 months for the
		first re-authorization and 12 months for second/subsequent re-authorizations; references reviewed
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CP.PHAR.260 Rituximab (Rituxan,	HIM,	Added criteria for off-label indication of ITP; for RA, added specific diagnostic criteria for definite
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Ruxience, Truxima, Rituxan Hycela)	Medicaid	RA, baseline CDAI score requirement, and decrease in CDAI score as positive response to therapy.
CP.PHAR.270 Paricalcitol Injection	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: added Commercial line of business, modified HIM-Medical Benefit to HIM
(Zemplar)	HIM,	line of business; references reviewed and updated.
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.285 Nintedanib (Ofev)	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: criteria added for new FDA indication: chronic fibrosing ILD with a
	HIM,	progressive phenotype; references reviewed and updated.
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.286 Pirfenidone (Esbriet)	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: added HIM line of business; references reviewed and updated.
	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.302 Ixazomib (Ninlaro)	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: NCCN recommended uses for MM and Waldenstrom added; references
	HIM,	reviewed and updated.
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.303 Brentuximab (Adcetris)	Commercial,	Q3 2020 annual review: HIM line of business added; per NCCN, breast-implant associated ALCL
	HIM,	stage restriction removed, primary mediastinal large B-cell lymphoma added, post-transplant
	Medicaid	lymphoproliferative disorder limited to monomorphic PTLD (T-cell type) inclusive of primary
	1,120,120,10	therapy; references reviewed and updated.
CP.PHAR.310 Daratumumab,	Medicaid,	3Q 2020 annual review: Darzalex Faspro added; references reviewed and updated.
Daratumumab-Hyaluronidase-fihj	HIM	
(Darzalex, Darzalex Faspro)		
CP.PHAR.322 Pembrolizumab	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: new FDA approved dosing of 400 mg every 6 weeks added to all labeled
(Keytruda)	HIM,	adult indications; NSCLC: first-line removed from combination with chemotherapy per NCCN;
(125) (126)	Medicaid	brain metastasis moved under PD-L1 positive disease per NCCN; SCLC: relapsed disease added per
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		NCCN; cHL: Keytruda as single-agent therapy added per NCCN; HNSCC: first-line therapy requirement removed from combination platinum/FU therapy per NCCN; MSI-H/dMMR tumors: first-line therapy for occult primary tumor and small bowel added per NCCN; HCC: Child-Pugh Class A added per NCCN/pivotal trial with no prior checkpoint inhibitor therapy caveat per NCCN; references reviewed and updated.
CP.PHAR.335 Ocrelizumab (Ocrevus)	Commercial, HIM, Medicaid	Added requirements for documentation of baseline relapses/EDSS and objective measures of positive response upon re-authorization; modified Medicaid/HIM continued approval duration to 6 months for the first re-authorization and 12 months for second/subsequent re-authorizations; references reviewed and updated.
CP.PHAR.360 Olaparib (Lynparza)	Commercial, HIM, Medicaid	Criteria added for two newly FDA-approved indications: 1) HRD-positive ovarian cancers in combination with bevacizumab after bevacizumab primary therapy, and 2) HRR-mutated mCRPC.
CP.PHAR.365 Neratinib (Nerlynx)	Commercial, HIM, Medicaid	Added NCCN Compendium supported use in combination with capecitabine for CNS metastases; references reviewed and updated.
CP.PHAR.379 Etelcalcetide (Parsabiv)	HIM, Medicaid	3Q 2020 annual review: added to Section I requirement that member does not have serum calcium less than the lower limit of the normal to align with prescribing information and similar Sensipar criteria requirements; modified HIM-Medical Benefit to HIM line of business; references reviewed and updated.
CP.PHAR.381 Mechlorethamine (Valchlor)	Commercial, HIM, Medicaid	3Q 2020 annual review: added to Section I requirement that member does not have serum calcium less than the lower limit of the normal to align with prescribing information and similar Sensipar criteria requirements; modified HIM-Medical Benefit to HIM line of business; references reviewed and updated.





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CP.PHAR.383 Trifluridine-tipiracil	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: added HIM line of business; added advanced CRC, GC, and GEJ per
(Lonsurf)	HIM,	NCCN guidelines; changed T/F of Herceptin to trastuzuamb allowing usage of biosimilars as
	Medicaid	supported by NCCN guidelines; updated Appendix B; references reviewed and updated.
CP.PHAR.384 Lutetium Lu 177	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: revised HIM-Medical Benefit line of business to HIM; added Commercial
dotatate (Lutathera)	HIM,	line of business; revised criteria requiring disease progression while on a long-acting somatostatin
	Medicaid	analog to allow short and long acting somatostatin analogs; updated Appendix B and D; references
		reviewed and updated.
CP.PHAR.385 Corticosteroid	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: added HIM line of business, removed HIM-Medical Benefit; references
Intravitreal Implants (Iluvien, Ozurdex,	HIM,	reviewed and updated.
Retisert, Yutiq)	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.408 Niraparib (Zejula)	Commerical,	Criteria added for expanded FDA-indication as maintenance treatment in advanced ovarian, fallopian tube, or
	Medicaid	primary peritoneal cancer in patients who are in a complete or partial response to first-line platinum-based
		chemotherapy; added that Zejula must be used as a single agent or in combination with bevacizumab per
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CP.PHAR.423 Erdafitinib (Balversa)	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: recurrent disease and checkpoint inhibitor prior therapy option added per NCCN;
	HIM,	references reviewed and updated.
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.424 Fulvestrant (Faslodex	Commercial,	3Q2020 annual review: for endometrial carcinoma, added option for us in stage II disease, in combination
Injection)	HIM,	with sequential external beam radiation therapy; references reviewed and updated.
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.433 Polatuzumab vedotin-	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: HIM and Commercial lines of business added; NCCN off-label uses added for
piiq (Polivy)	HIM,	HGBL, follicular and mantle cell lymphomas, post-transplant lymphoproliferative disorder, AIDS-related B-
	Medicaid	cell lymphoma, histologic transformation of nodal marginal lymphoma to DLBCL; 6 cycles total highlighted
		in approval section; more than 6 cycles added if supported by NCCN compendium in continuation section;
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CP.PHAR.450 Luspatercept-aamt	Commercial,	Criteria added for new FDA indication: MDS; references reviewed and updated.
(Reblozyl)	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.460 Monomethyl fumarate	Commercial,	Drug is now FDA approved - criteria updated per FDA labeling; modified CIS re-direction to include
(Bafiertam)	HIM,	glatiramer per SDC; added requirements for documentation of baseline relapses/EDSS and objective
	Medicaid	measures of positive response upon re-authorization; modified continued approval duration to 6 months for
		the first re-authorization and 12 months for second/subsequent re-authorizations; added primary progressive
		MS as a diagnosis not covered; references reviewed and updated.
CP.PHAR.462 Ozanimod (Zeposia)	Commercial,	Drug is now FDA approved - criteria updated per FDA labeling; modified CIS re-direction to include
	HIM,	glatiramer per SDC; added requirements for documentation of baseline relapses/EDSS and objective
	Medicaid	measures of positive response upon re-authorization; modified continued approval duration to 6 months for
		the first re-authorization and 12 months for second/subsequent re-authorizations; added primary progressive
		MS as a diagnosis not covered; references reviewed and updated.
CP.PHAR.465 Teprotumumab	Commercial,	Added requirement that member has not had previous surgical intervention for TED consistent with clinical
(Tepezza)	HIM,	trial exclusion criteria.
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.475 Sacituzumab govitecan-	Commercial,	Drug is now FDA-approved - criteria updated per FDA-labeling: removed requirement for previous taxane-
hziy (Trodelvy)	HIM,	based regimen as this is neither in the PI nor required by NCCN.
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.476 Ubrogepant (Ubrelvy)	Commercial,	Revised requirement 'for monthly quantities > 1 box of 6 tablets per month' to 10 tablets per month as this is
	HIM,	the smallest available package size. Updated Section VI to remove the 6 and 8 tablet package sizes.
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.478 Selpercatinib (Retevmo)	Commercial,	Drug is now FDA approved - criteria updated per FDA labeling: For NSCLC, failure of platinum-based
,	HIM,	chemotherapy and PD-1/PD-L1 therapy removed per FDA; recurrent, advanced or metastatic replaces
	Medicaid	advanced per FDA and NCCN; dosing added; for thyroid cancer, MTC restricted to mutant-positive rather





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		than also fusion-positive; failure of systemic therapy removed per FDA; dosing added; references reviewed
		and updated.
CP.PMN.40 Acitretin (Soriatane)	Medicaid	3Q 2020 annual review: added rheumatologist as a prescriber option; references reviewed and
		updated.
CP.PMN.44 Pyrimethamine (Daraprim)	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: added requirement for use of generic products before brand product;
	HIM,	references reviewed and updated. 3Q 2020 annual review: added requirement for use of generic
	Medicaid	products before brand product; references reviewed and updated
CP.PMN.76 Calcifediol (Rayaldee)	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: added HIM line of business; references reviewed and updated.
	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PMN.163 Sodium zirconium	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: clarified redirection to preferred sodium polystyrene sulfonate; added to
cyclosilicate (Lokelma)	Medicaid	Section III exclusion for emergency treatment of hyperkalemia to align with prescribing information
		limitation of use and Veltassa; references reviewed and updated.
CP.PMN.199 Esketamine (Spravato)	Commercial,	Added requirements for PHQ-9 score of at least 15 for initial approval with a decrease of at least
	HIM,	50% from baseline for continued approval.
	Medicaid	
CP.PMN.208 Halobetasol-Tazarotene	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: added HIM line of business; added rheumatologist as prescriber
(Duobrii)	HIM,	involvement for plaque psoriasis; references reviewed and updated.
	Medicaid	
New		
CP.PHAR.487 Osilodrostat (Isturisa)*	Commercial,	Policy created.
	HIM,	
	Medicaid	





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CP.PHAR.489 Eptinezumab (Vyepti)*	Commercial,	Policy created.
	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.490 Rimegepant (Nurtec	Commercial,	Policy created.
ODT)*	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.491 Setmelanotide (RM-	Commercial,	Policy created.
493)	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.492 Teplizumab	Commercial,	Policy created.
	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.493 Infusion Therapy Site of	Commercial,	Policy created.
Care Optimization	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.494 Capmatinib (Tabrecta)*	Commercial,	Policy created.
	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.495 Mitomycin for	Commercial,	Policy created.
Pyelocalyceal Solution (Jelmyto)*	HIM,	
·	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.496 Pemigatinib	Commercial,	Policy created.
(Pemazyre)*	HIM,	
	Medicaid	





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CP.PHAR.497 Tucatinib (Tukysa)*	Commercial, HIM,	Policy created.
	Medicaid	
CP.PMN.236 Amisulpride (Barhemsys)	Commercial,	Policy created.
	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PMN.239 Chenodiol (Chenodal)	Commercial,	Policy created.
	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PMN.240 Gabapentin ER (Gralise,	Commercial,	Policy created.
Horizant)	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PMN.241 Lactitol (Pizensy)*	Commercial,	Policy created.
	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PMN.243 Progesterone (Crinone,	Commercial,	Policy created.
Endometrin, Milprosa)	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PMN.245 Opicapone (Ongentys)*	Commercial,	Policy created.
	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
No Significant Change(s)		





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CP.PHAR.27 Tolvaptan (Jynarque,	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; updated product availability; updated Jynarque
Samsca)	HIM,	boxed warnings as per updated prescribing information; references reviewed and updated.
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.28 Immunization coverage	Medicaid	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; references reviewed and updated.
CP.PHAR.82 Collagenase (Xiaflex)	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; revised HIM-Medical Benefit to HIM line of
	HIM,	business; references reviewed and updated.
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.83 Vorinostat (Zolinza)	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; Appendix D subtype classification updated per
	HIM,	NCCN/WHO-EORTC 2018; references reviewed and updated.
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.88 Belimumab (Benlysta)	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; revised from HIM-Medical Benefit to HIM line of
	HIM,	business; references reviewed and updated.
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.95 Thyrotropin alfa	HIM,	3Q 2020 annual review: revised HIM-Medical Benefit line of business to HIM; no significant
(Thyrogen)	Medicaid	changes; references reviewed and updated.
CP.PHAR.109 Tesamorelin (Egrifta	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; replaced old formulation Egrifta with new
SV)	HIM,	formulation Egrifta SV; references reviewed and updated.
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.145 Deferasirox (Exjade,	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; references reviewed and updated.
Jadenu)	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.147 Deferiprone (Ferriprox)	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; added new tri-scored 1,000 mg tab formulation;
	Medicaid	references reviewed and updated.





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CP.PHAR.169 Vigabatrin (Sabril)	HIM,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; references reviewed and updated.
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.277 Cytomegalovirus	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: changed HIM-Medical Benefit to HIM line of business; no significant
Immune Globulin (Cytogam)	HIM,	changes; references reviewed and updated.
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.287 Obeticholic acid	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; references reviewed and updated.
(Ocaliva)	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.312 Blinatumomab	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; HIM line of business added; references reviewed
(Blincyto)	HIM,	and updated.
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.323 Plerixafor (Mozobil)	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; references reviewed and updated.
	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.338 Cerliponase alfa	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; references reviewed and updated.
(Brineura)	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.351 Daptomycin (Cubicin,	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: revised HIM-Medical Benefit line of business to HIM; no significant
Cubicin RF)	HIM,	changes; references reviewed and updated.
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.382 Panobinostat (Farydak)	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; HIM line of business added; references reviewed
, ,	HIM,	and updated.
	Medicaid	





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CP.PHAR.425 Metreleptin (Myalept)	Commercial, HIM,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; references reviewed and updated.
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.429 Valproate (Depacon)	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; references reviewed and updated
	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.430 Alpelisib (Piqray)	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; references reviewed and updated
	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.431 Selinexor (Xpovio)	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; references reviewed and updated
	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PHAR.432 Tafamidis (Vyndaqel,	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; references reviewed and updated
Vyndamax)	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PMN.09 Lindane shampoo	Medicaid	3Q2020 annual review; no significant changes; references reviewed and updated
CP.PMN.60 SSRI SNRI Duplicate	Medicaid	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; references reviewed and updated.
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CP.PMN.83 Short ragweed pollen	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; added HIM line of business; references reviewed
allergen extract (Ragwitek)	HIM,	and updated.
	Medicaid	
CP.PMN.84 Timothy grass pollen	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; added HIM line of business; references reviewed
allergen extract (Grastek)	HIM,	and updated.
	Medicaid	





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CP.PMN.85 Mixed pollens allergen	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; added HIM line of business; references reviewed
extract (Oralair)	HIM,	and updated.
	Medicaid	
CP.PMN.111 House dust mite allergen	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; added HIM line of business; references reviewed
extract (Odactra)	HIM,	and updated.
	Medicaid	
CP.PMN.139 Naloxone (Evzio)	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; references reviewed and updated.
	Medicaid	
CP.PMN.144 Epinephrine (Auvi-Q,	Medicaid	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; references reviewed and updated.
Epipen, Epipen Jr) Quantity Limit		
CP.PMN.152 Lofexidine (Lucemyra)	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; references reviewed and updated.
	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PMN.202 Benzyl alcohol (Ulesfia)	Medicaid	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; references reviewed and updated.
CP.PMN.205 Patiromer (Veltassa)	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; references reviewed and updated.
	Medicaid	
CP.PMN.207 Triclabendazole (Egaten)	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; references reviewed and updated.
	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PMN.211 Midazolam (Nayzilam)	Commercial,	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; references reviewed and updated.
	HIM,	
	Medicaid	
CP.PMN.230 Mometasone-formoterol	Medicaid	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes; references reviewed and updated.
(Dulera)		





uckeye Health Plan (BHP) routinely reviews their Prior Authorization (PA) and Medical Necessity (MN) criteria. Decisions on PA and MN criteria content

are coordinated with input from pharmacy and medical practitioners, Buckeye Health Plan representatives, and review of current available medical literature and professional standards of practice. Below is the list of changes to the Medicaid criteria this quarter.

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OH.PHAR.PPA.02 Opioid Rx Limits	Medicaid	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes		
OH.PHAR.PPA.03 Pharmacy	Medicaid	3Q 2020 annual review: no significant changes		
Compounds				
Policies to retire				
CP.PHAR.276	Commercial,	Retire, since drug is off the market and drug will be obsolete by 8/2020		
Ombitasvir/Paritaprevir/Ritonavir	HIM,			
(Technivie)	Medicaid			
CP.PHAR.280 Simeprevir (Olysio)	Medicaid	Retire, since drug is off the market and drug will be obsolete by 8/2020		
CP.PMN.75 Age Limit for Tazarotene	Medicaid	Retire, replaced by CP.PMN.244 Tazarotene (Arazlo, Fabior, Tazorac) to accommodate for SDC		
(Tazorac, Arazlo)		recommendation to add Arazlo and Fabior		

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