

# Criteria Based Consultation Prescribing Program

## CRITERIA FOR DRUG COVERAGE

### Estradiol vaginal ring (Estring)

**Initiation (new start) criteria:** estradiol vaginal ring (Estring) will be covered on the prescription drug benefit when the following criteria are met:

- Trial of:
  - Estradiol vaginal cream (Estrace) **-AND-**
  - Estradiol vaginal tablets (Vagifem)
  
- OR-
  
- Vaginal ring to be placed by healthcare professional when patient is physically or mentally unable to apply or insert vaginal estrogen