

# **2019 Prior Authorization Criteria**

ACTHAR		
<b>Drug Products Affected:</b>	Drug Products Affected: H.P. Acthar gel	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.	
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	N/A	
Required Medical Information	N/A	
Age Restrictions	N/A	
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A	
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year	
Other Criteria	N/A	

ATTENTION-DEFICIT HYPERACTIVITY DISORDER (ADHD)		
<b>Drug Products Affected:</b>	Drug Products Affected: Desoxyn, Methamphetamine	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.	
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	N/A	
Required Medical Information	N/A	
Age Restrictions	N/A	
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A	
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year	
Other Criteria	N/A	

AIDS RELATED WEIGHT LOSS		
<b>Drug Products Affected:</b>	Drug Products Affected: Dronabinol, Marinol, Serostim, Syndros	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.	
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	N/A	
Required Medical Information	N/A	
Age Restrictions	N/A	
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	N/A	
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year	
Other Criteria	N/A	

BOTULINUM TOXINS	
Drug Products Affected: Botox, Dysport, Xeomin	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

CARISOPRODOL PRODUCTS	
<b>Drug Products Affected:</b> Aspirin/Carisoprodol; Aspirin/Carisoprodol/Codeine Phosphate, Carisoprodol, Soma	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

COSMETIC INDICATION	COSMETIC INDICATION	
<b>Drug Products Affected:</b> Atralin, Avita, Retin-A, Retin-A Micro, Tazorac, Tretin-X, Tretinoin		
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.	
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Treatment for cosmetic purposes.	
Required Medical Information	N/A	
Age Restrictions	N/A	
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A	
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year	
Other Criteria	N/A	

CYSTIC FIBROSIS  Drug Products Affected: Kalydeco	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

DICLOFENAC PATCH	
<b>Drug Products Affected:</b>	Flector
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

BENIGN PROSTATIC HYPERPLASIA		
<b>Drug Products Affected:</b>	Drug Products Affected: Cialis 2.5 mg, 5 mg tablets	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.	
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Stand Alone Erectile Dysfunction	
Required Medical Information	N/A	
Age Restrictions	N/A	
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A	
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year	
Other Criteria	N/A	

FERTILITY TREATMENT	
<b>Drug Products Affected:</b> Crinone, Chorionic gonadotropin injection, Novarel, Pregnyl	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

HEPATITIS DRUGS	
<b>Drug Products Affected:</b> Daklinza, Epclusa, Harvoni, Mavyret, Olysio, Sovaldi, Technivie, Viekira Pak, Viekira XR, Vosevi, Zepatier	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	N/A
Required Medical Information	Genotype must be documented
Age Restrictions	N/A
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	N/A
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

HYPERCHOLESTEROLEMIA  Drug Products Affected: Juxtapid, Kynamro, Praluent, Repatha	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

LIDOCAINE PATCH	
Drug Products Affected: Lidoderm	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS	
<b>Drug Products Affected:</b>	Aubagio
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

NUVIGIL/PROVIGIL		
<b>Drug Products Affected:</b>	Drug Products Affected: Armodafinil, Modafinil, Nuvigil, Provigil	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.	
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	N/A	
Required Medical Information	N/A	
Age Restrictions	N/A	
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	N/A	
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year	
Other Criteria	N/A	

PAIN TREATMENT		
<b>Drug Products Affected:</b>	Drug Products Affected: Demerol injection, Meperidine injection	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.	
Exclusion Criteria	N/A	
Required Medical Information	N/A	
Age Restrictions	N/A	
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A	
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year	
Other Criteria	N/A	

PLAQUE PSORIASIS/PSORIATIC ARTHRITIS	
Drug Products Affected: Otezla, Stelara	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

PULMONARY FIBROSIS	
Drug Products Affected: Esbriet	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

PSEUDOBULBAR AFFECT	
Drug Products Affected: Nuedexta	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

PULMONARY ARTERIAL HYPERTENSION  Drug Products Affected: Adcirca, Adempas, Opsumit, Revatio, Remodulin, Sildenafil 20mg tablets, Tadalafil	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
Exclusion Criteria	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

SKELETAL MUSCLE RELAXANTS	
Drug Products Affected: Amrix, Cyclobenzaprine, Flexmid	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
<b>Prescriber Restrictions</b>	N/A
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

SOMATROPIN PRODUCTS	
<b>Drug Products Affected:</b> Genotropin, Humatrope, Norditropin, Nutropin, Omnitrope, Saizen, Tev-Tropin, Zomacton, Zorbtive	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
<b>Coverage Duration</b>	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

TASIMELTEON Drug Products Affected: Hetlioz	
Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	N/A
Required Medical Information	N/A
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	N/A
Coverage Duration	Through the end of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

# TRANSMUCOSAL IMMEDIATE RELEASE FENTANYL (TIRF)

**Drug Products Affected:** 

Actiq (and generics) – fentanyl citrate, oral transmucosal lozenge

Fentora (and generics) – fentanyl citrate, buccal tablet

**Abstral** – fentanyl citrate, sublingual tablets

**Lazanda** – fentanyl, nasal spray

**Subsys** – fentanyl, sublingual metered spray

Covered Uses	All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
<b>Exclusion Criteria</b>	Diagnosis of Non-Cancer related pain
Required Medical Information	Diagnosis of Cancer pain. Documentation of tolerance to around-the-clock opioid therapy for their underlying persistent pain.
Age Restrictions	N/A
Prescriber Restrictions	Patient under care of Oncologist or Hospice/Palliative Care Specialist.
Coverage Duration	Through the End of the Plan Contract Year
Other Criteria	N/A

You must reside in the Kaiser Permanente Medicare health plan service area in which you enroll.

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# **Multi-language Interpreter Services**

# **English**

ATTENTION: If you speak a language other than English, language assistance services, free of charge, are available to you. Call **1-800-443-0815** (TTY: **711**).

# **Spanish**

ATENCIÓN: si habla español, tiene a su disposición servicios gratuitos de asistencia lingüística. Llame al **1-800-443-0815** (TTY: **711**).

## Chinese

注意:如果您使用繁體中文,您可以免費獲得語言援助服務。請致電 **1-800-443-0815** (TTY: 711)。

## Vietnamese

CHÚ Ý: Nếu bạn nói Tiếng Việt, có các dịch vụ hỗ trợ ngôn ngữ miễn phí dành cho bạn. Gọi số **1-800-443-0815** (TTY: **711**).

## **Tagalog**

PAUNAWA: Kung nagsasalita ka ng Tagalog, maaari kang gumamit ng mga serbisyo ng tulong sa wika nang walang bayad. Tumawag sa **1-800-443-0815** (TTY: **711**).

#### Korean

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## Armenian

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#### Russian

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# **Japanese**

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## Punjabi

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1-800-443-0815 (TTY: 711) 'ਤੇ ਕਾਲ ਕਰੋ।



## Cambodian

ប្រយ័ត្ន៖ បើសិនជាអ្នកនិយាយ ភាសាខ្មែរ, សេវាជំនួយផ្នែកភាសា ដោយមិនគិតឈ្នួល គឺអាចមានសំរាប់បំរើអ្នក។ ចូរ ទូរស័ព្ទ **1-800-443-0815** (TTY: **711**)។

# **Hmong**

LUS CEEV: Yog tias koj hais lus Hmoob, cov kev pab txog lus, muaj kev pab dawb rau koj. Hu rau **1-800-443-0815** (TTY: **711**).

## Hindi

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## Thai

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## Farsi

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## **Arabic**

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