

#03-01 Prior Authorization PDL Implementation Schedule UPDATES

	<u>Drugs on PDL</u>	<u>Drugs which Require PA</u>	<u>Implementation Date</u>
26. Bone Resorption Suppression Agents	Alendronate (Fosamax) Calcitonin-salmon (Miacalcin) Risendronate (Actonel)	Etidronate (Didronel) Raloxifene (Evista) Tiludronate (Skelid)	February 12, 2003
30. Beta Adrenergic Receptor Blocking Agents	Acebutolol Atenolol Betaxolol Bisoprolol Carvedilol (Coreg) Labetalol Metoprolol Metoprolol XL (Toprol XL) Nadolol Pindolol Propanolol Sotalol Timolol	Carteolol (Cartrol) Penbutolol (Levitol) Propranolol (Inderal LA) Sotalol (Betapace AF)	February 12, 2003

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41. Antihyperlipidemic Agents-Non Statins	Cholestyramine Clofibrate Colestipol (Colestid) Fenofibrate (Tricor) Gemfibrozil Niacin ER (Niaspan) Niacin ER/Lovastatin (Advicor) Cholestyramine/Aspartane	Colesevelam (Welchol)	February 12, 2003
42. Combination Estrogen Agents	17 β -Estradiol/Norgestimate (Ortho-Prefast) Conjugated Estrogens (CE)/ Medroxyprogesterone Acetate (MPA) (Premphase)	17 β -Estradiol/Norethindrone Acetate (Activella) 17 β -Estradiol/Norethindrone Acetate (CombiPatch) Conjugated Estrogens (CE)/ Medroxyprogesterone Acetate (MPA) (Prempro) Ethinyl Estradiol/Norethindrone Acetate (Femhrf)	February 19, 2003
43. Alzheimer's Drugs - Cholinesterase Inhibitors	Donepezil (Aricept) Galantamine (Reminyl) Rivastigmine (Exelon)	Tacrine (Cognex)	February 19, 2003

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44. Antiparkinson Agents - Anticholinergic and Other	Amantadine Hcl Benztropine Mesylate Bromocriptine Mesylate Diphenhydramine Entacapone (Comtan) Levodopa (Larodopa) Levodopa/Carbidopa Pergolide (Permax) Pramipexole (Mirapex) Ropinirole (Requip) Selegiline Trihexyphenidyl	Biperiden (Akineton) Procyclidine (Kemadrin) Tolcapone (Tasmar)	February 19, 2003
45. Allergic Conjunctivitis	Azelastine Hydrochloride (Optivar) Cromolyn Sodium Ketotifen Fumarate (Zaditor) Levocabastine (Livostin) Lodoxamide Tromethamine (Alomide) Loteprednol (Alrex) Nedocromil Sodium (Alocril) Olopatadine Hydrochloride (Patanol) Pemirolast Potassium (Alamast)	Emedastine Difumarate (Emadine) Ketorolac Tromethamine (Acular)	February 26, 2003
46. Intraocular Pressure (IOP) Reducers	Brimonidine (Alphagan P) Brinzolamide (Azopt) Dipivefrin Dorzolamide (Trusopt) Dorzolamide/Timolol (Cosopt) Epinephrine	NONE	February 26, 2003
47. Fluoroquinolones, Otic	Ciprofloxacin/Hydrocortisone (Cipro HC Otic) Ofloxacin (Floxin Otic)	NONE	February 26, 2003

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48. Erythropoietins	Epoetin alfa (Epogen; Procrit) Darbepoetin alfa (Aranesp) - Pediatrics only (Under 21 years old)	Darbepoetin alfa (Aranesp)	March 5, 2003
49. Growth Hormones	Somatropin (Nutropin) Somatropin (Nutropin AQ) Somatropin (Nutropin Depot) Somatropin (Serostim)	Somatrem (Protropin) Somatropin (Genotropin) Somatropin (Humatrope) Somatropin (Norditropin) Somatropin (Saizen)	March 5, 2003
50. Multiple Sclerosis Agents (Immunomodulatory Agents)	Interferon beta-1a (Avonex) Interferon beta-1b (Betaseron)	Glatiramer (Copaxone) Interferon beta-1a (Rebif)	March 5, 2003
51. Ulcerative Colitis Agents	Mesalamine (Asacol) Mesalamine (Pentasa) - Pediatric only (Under 21 years old) Olsalazine (Dipentum) Sulfasalazine (Generic)	Balsalazide (Colazal) Mesalamine (Pentasa) Mesalamine (Rowasa)	
52. Phosphate Binders	Calcium Acetate (PhosLo) Magnesium Carbonate, Calcium Carbonate, Folic Acid (Magnebind 400 Rx) Sevelamer (RenaGel)	NONE	March 19, 2003
53. Atopic Dermatitis Immunomodulators	Pimecrolimus (Elidel)	Tacrolimus (Protopic)	March 19, 2003
