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#### Intent:

The intent of this policy/guideline is to provide information to the prescribing practitioner outlining the coverage criteria for Revcovi under the patient's prescription drug benefit.

# **Description:**

#### **FDA-Approved Indication**

Revcovi is indicated for the treatment of adenosine deaminase severe combined immune deficiency (ADA-SCID) in pediatric and adult patients.

All other indications are considered experimental/investigational and not medically necessary.

# **Applicable Drug List:**

Revcovi

# **Policy/Guideline:**

#### **Documentation**

Submission of the following information is necessary to initiate the prior authorization review:

## **Initial requests:**

- Genetic or molecular test results or medical records confirming the diagnosis.
- Baseline values for plasma adenosine deaminase (ADA) activity, red blood cell deoxyadenosine triphosphate (dATP), trough deoxyadenosine nucleotide (dAXP) levels, and/or total lymphocyte counts.
- Hematologic assessment (e.g., complete blood count) demonstrating absence of severe thrombocytopenia (platelets <50,000/microL).</li>

## **Continuation requests:**

 Chart notes, lab values, or medical record documentation supporting positive clinical response

## **Prescriber Specialties**

This medication must be prescribed by an or in consultation with an immunologist or a physician who specializes in the treatment of metabolic disease and/or lysosomal storage disorders

## **Criteria for Initial Approval:**

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## **Adenosine Deaminase Severe Combined Immune Deficiency**

Authorization of 12 months may be granted for treatment of ADA-SCID when ALL the following criteria are met:

- The diagnosis is confirmed by ONE of the following:
  - Increased red blood cell deoxyadenosine triphosphate (dATP) or trough deoxyadenosine nucleotide (dAXP) concentrations and ONE of the following:
    - Absent or very low (<1% of normal) adenosine deaminase (ADA) activity in red blood cells
    - Genetically confirmed, biallelic variant in the ADA gene.
- Baseline values for plasma ADA activity, red blood cell dATP, dAXP levels, and/or total lymphocyte counts have been obtained.
- Member meets one of the following:
  - The requested medication will only be used until definitive therapy with hematopoietic stem cell transplantation (HSCT).
  - Member is not a suitable candidate for HSCT (e.g., matched sibling or family donor not available).
  - Member has failed HSCT.
- Member does not have severe thrombocytopenia (platelets <50,000/microL).</li>
- Member does not have autoimmune disease requiring immunosuppressive therapy.
- Member will be monitored for evidence of treatment efficacy per protocol outlined in the prescribing information during treatment with Revcovi

#### **Continuation of Therapy**

Authorization of 12 months may be granted for continued treatment in members requesting reauthorization for an indication listed in the coverage criteria section when ALL the following criteria are met:

- Member meets the criteria for initial approval.
- Member does not have unacceptable toxicity (e.g., severe injection site reactions/bleeding, severe thrombocytopenia).
- Member is experiencing benefit from therapy (e.g., maintenance of target trough plasma ADA activity ≥30 mmol/L, trough erythrocyte dAXP levels below 0.02 mmol/L, improved or stabilized total lymphocyte counts and/or immune function).

**Approval Duration and Quantity Restrictions:** 

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Quantity Level Limit: Reference Formulary for drug specific quantity level limits

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