

# Drug Policy

<b>Policy:</b>	<b>Inflammatory Conditions Care Value Policy</b>	<b>Annual Review Date:</b>
<b>Impacted Drugs:</b>	<p> <b>Actemra (tocilizumab subcutaneous [SC] injection)</b>  <b>Adalimumab-adaz subcutaneous injection</b>  <b>Bimzelx® (bimekizumab subcutaneous injection)</b>  <b>Cimzia (certolizumab pegol SC injection [lyophilized] and SC injection [solution])</b>  <b>Cosentyx (secukinumab SC injection)</b>  <b>Cyltezo (adalimumab-adbm subcutaneous injection)</b>  <b>Enbrel (etanercept SC injection)</b>  <b>Entyvio (vedolizumab SC injection)</b>  <b>Humira (adalimumab SC injection)</b>  <b>Hyrimoz (adalimumab-adaz subcutaneous injection)</b>  <b>Ilumya (tildrakizumab-asmn for subcutaneous injection)</b>  <b>Kevzara (sarilumab for subcutaneous injection)</b>  <b>Kineret (anakinra SC injection)</b>  <b>Olumiant (baricitinib tablets)</b>  <b>OmvoH (mirakizumab-mrkz SC injection)</b>  <b>Orencia (abatacept SC injection)</b>  <b>Otezla (apremilast tablets)</b>  <b>Rinvoq (upadacitinib extended release tablets)</b>  <b>Siliq (brodalumab SC injection)</b>  <b>Simponi (golimumab SC injection)</b>  <b>Skyrizi SC (risankizumab-rzaa) injection</b>  <b>Sotyktu (deucravacitinib tablets)</b>  <b>Stelara (ustekinumab SC injection)</b>  <b>Taltz (ixekizumab SC injection)</b>  <b>Tremfya (guselkumab for subcutaneous injection)</b>  <b>Velsipity (etrasimod tablets)</b>  <b>Xeljanz (tofacitinib tablets)</b>  <b>Xeljanz XR (tofacitinib extended-release tablets)</b>  <b>Zeposia (ozanimod capsules)</b> </p>	<b>02/15/2024</b>  <b>Last Revised Date:</b>  <b>02/15/2024</b>

**OVERVIEW**

Several products are available for use in inflammatory conditions such as rheumatoid arthritis (RA), ankylosing spondylitis (AS), juvenile idiopathic arthritis (JIA), psoriatic arthritis (PsA), plaque psoriasis, Crohn’s disease, and ulcerative colitis (UC).<sup>1-20</sup> This policy involves the use of the products listed above.

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The FDA-approved indications for each product listed in this policy are documented in [Appendix A](#). For more information on criteria within a Prior Authorization (PA) program by specific condition refer to the respective Medical Mutual of Ohio Prior Authorization Policy.

## Preferred and Non-Preferred Products.‡

	Rheumatology				Dermatology	Gastroenterology		
	RA	JIA	AS	nr-axSpA	PsA	Psoriasis	CD	UC
<b>Step 1 Preferred</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Enbrel</li> <li>• Adalimumab Products<sup>^</sup> – Humira, Cyltezo/ adalimumab -adbm, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314)/ adalimumab -adaz</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Enbrel</li> <li>• Adalimumab Products<sup>^</sup> – Humira, Cyltezo/ adalimumab -adbm, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314)/ adalimumab -adaz</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Enbrel</li> <li>• Adalimumab Products<sup>^</sup> – Humira, Cyltezo/ adalimumab -adbm, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314)/ adalimumab -adaz</li> <li>• Taltz</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cimzia</li> <li>• Taltz</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Enbrel</li> <li>• Adalimumab Products<sup>^</sup> – Humira, Cyltezo/ adalimumab -adbm, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314)/ adalimumab -adaz</li> <li>• Otezla</li> <li>• Skyrizi SC<sup>#</sup></li> <li>• Stelara SC</li> <li>• Taltz</li> <li>• Tremfya</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Enbrel</li> <li>• Adalimumab Products<sup>^</sup> – Humira, Cyltezo/ adalimumab -adbm, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314)/ adalimumab -adaz</li> <li>• Otezla</li> <li>• Skyrizi SC<sup>#</sup></li> <li>• Stelara SC</li> <li>• Taltz</li> <li>• Tremfya</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adalimumab Products<sup>^</sup> – Humira, Cyltezo/ adalimumab -adbm, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314)/ adalimumab -adaz</li> <li>• Skyrizi SC (on-body injector)</li> <li>• Stelara SC</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Adalimumab Products<sup>^</sup> – Humira, Cyltezo/ adalimumab -adbm, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314)/ adalimumab -adaz</li> <li>• Stelara SC</li> </ul>
<b>Step 2 Non-Preferred</b> (directed to <b>ONE</b> Step 1 Product)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Actemra SC <i>Directed to adalimumab specifically.</i></li> <li>• Rinvoq</li> <li>• Xeljanz tablets/ Xeljanz XR tablets</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Actemra SC <i>Directed to adalimumab specifically. JIA Step for Actemra SC is for PJIA.</i></li> <li>• Xeljanz tablets/ Xeljanz oral solution</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rinvoq <i>Directed specifically to Enbrel or adalimumab.</i></li> <li>• Xeljanz tablets/ Xeljanz XR tablets <i>Directed specifically to Enbrel or adalimumab.</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rinvoq <i>Directed specifically to Cimzia.</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Rinvoq <i>Directed specifically to Enbrel or adalimumab.</i></li> <li>• Xeljanz tablets/ Xeljanz XR tablets <i>Directed specifically to Enbrel or adalimumab.</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sotyktu</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cimzia <i>Directed to adalimumab specifically.</i></li> <li>• Rinvoq <i>Directed to adalimumab specifically.</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Omvoh SC</li> <li>• Rinvoq <i>Directed to adalimumab specifically.</i></li> <li>• Simponi SC <i>Directed to adalimumab specifically.</i></li> <li>• Xeljanz tablets/ Xeljanz XR tablets <i>Directed to adalimumab specifically.</i></li> </ul>
<b>Step 3a Non-Preferred</b> (directed to <b>TWO</b> Step 1 or 2 Products) <b>[documentation required]*</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cimzia</li> <li>• Kevzara</li> <li>• Kineret</li> <li>• Olumiant</li> <li>• Orencia SC</li> <li>• Simponi SC</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Orencia SC</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cimzia</li> <li>• Cosentyx SC</li> <li>• Simponi SC</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cosentyx SC</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cimzia</li> <li>• Cosentyx SC</li> <li>• Orencia SC</li> <li>• Simponi SC</li> </ul>	--	--	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Entyvio SC</li> </ul>
<b>Step 3b Non-Preferred</b> (directed to <b>TWO</b> Step 1 Products)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Zeposia <i>Refer to Multiple Sclerosis and Ulcerative Colitis – Zeposia Care Value Policy</i></li> </ul>
<b>Step 3c</b>	--	--	--	--	--	• Bimzelx	--	--

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<b>Non-Preferred</b> (directed to <b>TWO</b> Step 1 Products) <b>[documentation required]*</b>						<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cimzia</li> <li>• Cosentyx SC</li> <li>• Ilumya</li> <li>• Siliq</li> </ul>		
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**Preferred and Non-Preferred Products (continued).<sup>¥</sup>**

	Rheumatology					Dermatology	Gastroenterology	
	RA	JIA	AS	nr-axSpA	Psa	Psoriasis	CD	UC
<b>Step 4 Non-Preferred</b> (directed to <b>TWO</b> Step 1 or 2 Products <b>AND</b> <b>ONE</b> Step 3b Product) <b>[documentation required]*</b>	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	• Velsipity

RA – Rheumatoid arthritis; ^ A trial of more than one adalimumab product counts as ONE Preferred Product; JIA – Juvenile idiopathic arthritis; AS – Ankylosing spondylitis; nr-axSpA – Nonradiographic axial spondyloarthritis; PsA – Psoriatic arthritis; CD – Crohn’s disease; UC – Ulcerative colitis; SC – Subcutaneous; # Pen and syringe; PJIA – Polyarticular juvenile idiopathic arthritis; \* The prescriber must provide written documentation supporting the trial of Preferred Products, noted in the criteria as **[documentation required]**. Documentation may include, but is not limited to, chart notes, prescription claims records, and/or prescription receipts.

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## RECOMMENDED EXCEPTION CRITERIA

Non-Preferred Product	Exception Criteria
<b>Tumor Necrosis Factor Inhibitors</b>	
<b>Cimzia</b>	<p><b>1. Rheumatoid Arthritis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p>A) Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Cimzia Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient has tried TWO of Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Rinvoq, and Xeljanz/XR [<b>documentation required</b>].</li> </ul> <p><u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</p> <p>B) If the patient has met criterion 1Ai (the MMO – <i>Cimzia Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 1Aii is not met: offer to review for a Step 1 or Step 2 Product (<u>Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Rinvoq, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz XR</u>) using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>2. Ankylosing Spondylitis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p>A) Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Cimzia Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient has tried TWO of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Rinvoq, Taltz, and Xeljanz/XR [<b>documentation required</b>].</li> </ul> <p><u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</p> <p>B) If the patient has met criterion 2Ai (the MMO – <i>Cimzia Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 2Aii is not met: offer to review for a Step 1 or Step 2 Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Rinvoq, Taltz, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz XR</u>) using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>3. Psoriatic Arthritis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p>A) Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Cimzia Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient has tried TWO of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Otezla, Rinvoq, Skyrizi subcutaneous, Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, Tremfya, and Xeljanz/XR [<b>documentation required</b>].  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-fkjp, adalimumab-adbm, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</li> </ul> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 3Ai (the MMO – <i>Cimzia Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 3Aii is not met: offer to review for a Step 1 or Step 2 Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Otezla, Rinvoq, Skyrizi subcutaneous [pen or syringe], Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, Tremfya, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz XR</u>) using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>4. Plaque Psoriasis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 3 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Cimzia Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient has tried TWO of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous, Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, and Tremfya [<b>documentation required</b>].  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-fkjp, adalimumab-adbm, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</li> </ul> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 4Ai (the MMO – <i>Cimzia Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 4Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous [pen or syringe], Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, or Tremfya</u>) using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>5. Crohn’s Disease – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Cimzia Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient has tried one adalimumab product.  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-fkjp, adalimumab-adbm, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry.</li> </ul>
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	<p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 5Ai (the MMO – <i>Cimzia Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 5Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Skyrizi subcutaneous [on-body injector], or Stelara subcutaneous</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>6. <u>Rheumatoid Arthritis, Ankylosing Spondylitis, Psoriatic Arthritis, Plaque Psoriasis, or Crohn’s Disease – Patient is Currently Receiving Cimzia.</u></b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 1 year if the patient meets BOTH of the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>i.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>Cimzia Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li><b>ii.</b> Patient meets ONE of the following (a, b, c, d, e, <u>or</u> f): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>a)</b> Patient has <u>Rheumatoid Arthritis</u> and has tried TWO of Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Rinvoq, and Xeljanz/XR [<b>documentation required</b>]; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</li> <li><b>b)</b> Patient has <u>Ankylosing Spondylitis</u> and has tried TWO of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Rinvoq, Taltz, and Xeljanz/XR [<b>documentation required</b>]; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</li> <li><b>c)</b> Patient has <u>Psoriatic Arthritis</u> and has tried TWO of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Otezla, Rinvoq, Skyrizi subcutaneous, Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, Tremfya, and Xeljanz/XR [<b>documentation required</b>]; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
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	<p>d) Patient has <u>Plaque Psoriasis</u> and has tried TWO of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous, Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, and Tremfya <b>[documentation required]</b>; OR  <u>Note</u>: Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-fkjp, adalimumab-adbm, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</p> <p>e) Patient has <u>Crohn's Disease</u> and has tried one adalimumab product; OR  <u>Note</u>: Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry.</p> <p>f) Patient has been established on Cimzia for at least 90 days <u>and</u> prescription claims history indicates <u>at least a 90-day supply of Cimzia was dispensed within the past 130 days</u> <b>[verification in prescription claims history required]</b>, or if claims history is not available, according to the prescriber <b>[verification by prescriber required]</b>.  <u>Note</u>: In cases when 130 days of the patient's prescription claim history file is unavailable to be verified, an exception to this requirement is allowed if the prescriber has verified that the patient has been receiving Cimzia for at least 90 days AND the patient has been receiving Cimzia via paid claims (e.g., patient has <u>not</u> been receiving samples or coupons or other types of waivers in order to obtain access to Cimzia).</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 6Ai (the MMO – <i>Cimzia Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 6Aii is not met: offer to review for one of the following Products using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. <b>Rheumatoid Arthritis:</b> <u>Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Rinvoq, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz XR.</u></li> <li>ii. <b>Ankylosing Spondylitis:</b> <u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Rinvoq, Taltz, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz XR.</u></li> <li>iii. <b>Psoriatic Arthritis:</b> <u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Otezla, Rinvoq, Skyrizi subcutaneous (pen or syringe), Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, Tremfya, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz XR.</u></li> <li>iv. <b>Plaque Psoriasis:</b> <u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous (pen or syringe), Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, or Tremfya.</u></li> </ol>
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	<p>v. <b>Crohn’s Disease:</b> <u>Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Skyrizi subcutaneous (on-body injector), or Stelara subcutaneous.</u></p> <p>7. <b>Other Conditions.</b> Approve <u>Cimzia</u> (initial therapy for a duration as directed or 1 year for a patient continuing therapy) if the patient meets the MMO – <i>Cimzia Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p>
<b>Simponi Subcutaneous</b>	<p>1. <b>Rheumatoid Arthritis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p>A) Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i and ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Simponi Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient has tried TWO of Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Rinvoq, and Xeljanz/XR [<b>documentation required</b>]; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</li> </ul> <p>B) If the patient has met criterion 1Ai (the MMO – <i>Simponi Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 1Aii is not met: offer to review for a Step 1 or Step 2 Product (<u>Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Rinvoq, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz XR</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p>2. <b>Ankylosing Spondylitis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p>A) Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i and ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Simponi Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient has tried TWO of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Rinvoq, Taltz, and Xeljanz/XR [<b>documentation required</b>].  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</li> </ul> <p>B) If the patient has met criterion 2Ai (the MMO – <i>Simponi Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 2Aii is not met: offer to review for a Step 1 or Step 2 Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Rinvoq, Taltz, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz XR</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p>



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	<p><b>3. <u>Psoriatic Arthritis – Initial Therapy.</u></b></p> <p>A) Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Simponi Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient has tried TWO of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Otezla, Rinvoq, Skyrizi subcutaneous, Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, Tremfya, and Xeljanz/XR <b>[documentation required]</b>. <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</li> </ul> <p>B) If the patient has met criterion 3Ai (the MMO – <i>Simponi Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 3Aii is not met: offer to review for a Step 1 or Step 2 Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Otezla, Rinvoq, Skyrizi subcutaneous [pen or syringe], Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, Tremfya, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz XR</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>4. <u>Ulcerative Colitis – Initial Therapy.</u></b></p> <p>A) Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Simponi Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>2. Patient has tried one adalimumab product. <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry.</li> </ul> <p>B) If the patient has met criterion 4Ai (the MMO – <i>Simponi Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 4Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, or Stelara subcutaneous</u>) using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>5. <u>Rheumatoid Arthritis, Ankylosing Spondylitis, Psoriatic Arthritis, or Ulcerative Colitis – Patient is Currently Receiving Simponi Subcutaneous or Aria.</u></b></p> <p>A) Approve for 1 year if the patient meets BOTH of the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Simponi Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient meets ONE of the following (a, b, c, d, e, <u>or</u> f):</li> </ul>
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	<p>a) Patient has <u>Rheumatoid Arthritis</u> and has tried TWO of Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Rinvoq, and Xeljanz/XR <b>[documentation required]</b>; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</p> <p>b) Patient has <u>Ankylosing Spondylitis</u> and has tried TWO of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Rinvoq, Taltz, and Xeljanz/XR <b>[documentation required]</b>; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</p> <p>c) Patient has <u>Psoriatic Arthritis</u> and has tried TWO of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Otezla, Rinvoq, Skyrizi subcutaneous, Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, Tremfya, and Xeljanz/XR <b>[documentation required]</b>; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</p> <p>d) Patient has <u>Ulcerative Colitis</u> and has tried one adalimumab product; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry.</p> <p>e) According to the prescriber, the patient has been established on Simponi Aria for at least 90 days; OR</p> <p>f) Patient has been established on Simponi subcutaneous for at least 90 days <u>and</u> prescription claims history indicates <u>at least a 90-day supply of Simponi subcutaneous was dispensed within the past 130 days</u> <b>[verification in prescription claims history required]</b>, or if claims history is not available, according to the prescriber <b>[verification by prescriber required]</b>.</p>
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	<p><u>Note</u>: In cases when 130 days of the patient’s prescription claim history file is unavailable to be verified, an exception to this requirement is allowed if the prescriber has verified that the patient has been receiving Simponi subcutaneous for at least 90 days AND the patient has been receiving Simponi subcutaneous via paid claims (e.g., patient has <u>not</u> been receiving samples or coupons or other types of waivers in order to obtain access to Simponi subcutaneous).</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 5Ai (the MMO – <i>Simponi Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 5Aii is not met: offer to review for one of the following Products using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>i. Rheumatoid Arthritis:</b> <u>Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Rinvoq, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz XR.</u></li> <li><b>ii. Ankylosing Spondylitis:</b> <u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Rinvoq, Taltz, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz XR.</u></li> <li><b>iii. Psoriatic Arthritis:</b> <u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Otezla, Rinvoq, Skyrizi subcutaneous (pen or syringe), Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, Tremfya, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz XR.</u></li> <li><b>iv. Ulcerative Colitis:</b> <u>Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, or Stelara subcutaneous.</u></li> </ul> <p><b>6. Other Conditions.</b> Approve <u>Simponi subcutaneous</u> (initial therapy for a duration as directed or <u>1 year</u> for a patient continuing therapy) if the patient meets the MMO – <i>Simponi Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p>
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**Interleukin-6 Blockers**

<p><b>Actemra Subcutaneous</b></p>	<p><b>1. Polyarticular Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>i.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>Actemra Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li><b>ii.</b> Patient meets ONE of the following (a <u>or</u> b): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>a)</b> Patient has tried one adalimumab product; OR  <u>Note</u>: Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of Enbrel, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi Aria also counts.</li> <li><b>b)</b> According to the prescriber, the patient has heart failure or a previously treated lymphoproliferative disorder.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 1Ai (the MMO – <i>Actemra Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 1Aii is not met: offer to review</p>
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	<p>for a Preferred Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), or adalimumab-adaz</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>2. <u>Rheumatoid Arthritis – Initial Therapy.</u></b></p> <p>A) Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i and ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Actemra Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient meets ONE of the following (a or b): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Patient has tried one adalimumab product; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of Cimzia, Enbrel, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts.</li> <li>b) According to the prescriber, the patient has heart failure or a previously treated lymphoproliferative disorder.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>B) If the patient has met criterion 2Ai (the MMO – <i>Actemra Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 2Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), or adalimumab-adaz</u>) using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>3. <u>Polyarticular Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis or Rheumatoid Arthritis – Patient is Currently Receiving Actemra Subcutaneous or Intravenous.</u></b></p> <p>A) Approve for 1 year if the patient meets BOTH of the following (i and ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Actemra Subcutaneous Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient meets ONE of the following (a, b, c, d, or e): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Patient has <u>Polyarticular Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis</u> and has tried one adalimumab product; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of Enbrel, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi Aria also counts.</li> <li>b) Patient has <u>Rheumatoid Arthritis</u> and has tried one adalimumab product; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of Cimzia, Enbrel, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts.</li> <li>c) According to the prescriber, the patient has heart failure or a previously treated lymphoproliferative disorder; OR</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
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	<p>d) According to the prescriber, the patient has been established on Actemra intravenous for at least 90 days; OR</p> <p>e) Patient has been established on Actemra subcutaneous for at least 90 days <u>and</u> prescription claims history indicates <u>at least a 90-day supply of Actemra subcutaneous was dispensed within the past 130 days</u> <b>[verification in prescription claims history required]</b>, or if claims history is not available, according to the prescriber <b>[verification by prescriber required]</b>.</p> <p><u>Note:</u> In cases when 130 days of the patient’s prescription claim history file is unavailable to be verified, an exception to this requirement is allowed if the prescriber has verified that the patient has been receiving Actemra subcutaneous for at least 90 days AND the patient has been receiving Actemra subcutaneous via paid claims (e.g., patient has <u>not</u> been receiving samples or coupons or other types of waivers in order to obtain access to Actemra subcutaneous).</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 3Ai (the MMO – <i>Actemra Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 3Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria:</p> <p><b>i. Polyarticular Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis:</b> <u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), or adalimumab-adaz.</u></p> <p><b>ii. Rheumatoid Arthritis:</b> <u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), or adalimumab-adaz.</u></p> <p><b>4. All Other Conditions</b> (including systemic juvenile idiopathic arthritis). Approve <u>Actemra subcutaneous</u> (initial therapy for a duration as directed or <u>1 year</u> for a patient continuing therapy) if the patient meets the MMO – <i>Actemra Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p>
<p><b>Kevzara</b></p>	<p><b>1. Rheumatoid Arthritis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <p><b>i.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>Kevzara Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</p> <p><b>ii.</b> Patient meets ONE of the following (a <u>or</u> b):</p> <p><b>a)</b> Patient has tried TWO of Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Rinvoq, and Xeljanz/XR <b>[documentation required]</b>; OR</p> <p><u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of Actemra intravenous,</p>



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	<p>Cimzia, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), Orencia (intravenous or subcutaneous), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts <b>[documentation required]</b>.</p> <p>b) According to the prescriber, the patient has heart failure or a previously treated lymphoproliferative disorder.</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 1Ai (the MMO – <i>Kevzara Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 1Aii is not met: offer to review for a Step 1 or Step 2 Product (<u>Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Rinvoq, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz XR</u>) using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>2. <u>Rheumatoid Arthritis – Patient is Currently Receiving Kevzara.</u></b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 1 year if the patient meets BOTH of the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Kevzara Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient meets ONE of the following (a, b, <u>or</u> c): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Patient has tried TWO of Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Rinvoq, and Xeljanz/XR <b>[documentation required]</b>; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of Actemra intravenous, Cimzia, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), Orencia (intravenous or subcutaneous), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts <b>[documentation required]</b>.</li> <li>b) According to the prescriber, the patient has heart failure or a previously treated lymphoproliferative disorder; OR</li> <li>c) Patient has been established on Kevzara for at least 90 days <u>and</u> prescription claims history indicates <u>at least a 90-day supply of Kevzara was dispensed within the past 130 days</u> <b>[verification in prescription claims history required]</b>, or if claims history is not available, according to the prescriber <b>[verification by prescriber required]</b>.  <u>Note:</u> In cases when 130 days of the patient’s prescription claim history file is unavailable to be verified, an exception to this requirement is allowed if the prescriber has verified that the patient has been receiving Kevzara for at least 90 days AND the patient has been receiving Kevzara via paid claims (e.g., patient has <u>not</u> been</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
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	<p>receiving samples or coupons or other types of waivers in order to obtain access to Kevzara).</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 2Ai (the MMO – <i>Kevzara Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 2Aii is not met: offer to review for a Step 1 or Step 2 Product (<u>Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Rinvoq, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz XR</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>3. Other Conditions.</b> Approve <u>Kevzara</u> (initial therapy for a duration as directed or <u>1 year</u> for a patient continuing therapy) if the patient meets the MMO – <i>Kevzara Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p>
<b>Interleukin-17 Blockers</b>	
<b>Bimzelx</b>	<p><b>1. Plaque Psoriasis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 3 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>i.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>Bimzelx Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria for plaque psoriasis; AND</li> <li><b>ii.</b> Patient has tried TWO of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous, Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, and Tremfya [<b>documentation required</b>].</li> </ul> <p><u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 1Ai (the MMO – <i>Bimzelx Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 1Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous (pen or syringe), Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, or Tremfya</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>2. Plaque Psoriasis – Patient is Currently Receiving Bimzelx.</b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 1 year if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>i.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>Bimzelx Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li><b>ii.</b> Patient meets ONE of the following (a <u>or</u> b): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>a)</b> Patient has tried TWO of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous, Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, or Tremfya [<b>documentation required</b>]; OR</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</p>

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	<p>b) Patient has been established on Bimzelx for at least 90 days <u>and</u> prescription claims history indicates <u>at least a 90-day supply of Bimzelx was dispensed within the past 130 days</u> <b>[verification in prescription claims history required]</b>, or if claims history is not available, according to the prescriber <b>[verification by prescriber required]</b>.</p> <p><u>Note:</u> In cases when 130 days of the patient’s prescription claim history file is unavailable to be verified, an exception to this requirement is allowed if the prescriber has verified that the patient has been receiving Bimzelx for at least 90 days AND the patient has been receiving Bimzelx via paid claims (e.g., patient has <u>not</u> been receiving samples or coupons or other types of waivers in order to obtain access to Bimzelx).</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 2Ai (the MMO – <i>Bimzelx Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 2Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous (pen or syringe), Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, or Tremfya</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>3. Other Conditions.</b> Approve <u>Bimzelx</u> (initial therapy for a duration as directed or <u>1 year</u> for a patient continuing therapy) if the patient meets the MMO – <i>Bimzelx Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p>
<p><b>Cosentyx SC</b></p>	<p><b>1. Ankylosing Spondylitis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>i.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>Cosentyx Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li><b>ii.</b> Patient has tried TWO of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Rinvoq, Taltz, and Xeljanz/XR <b>[documentation required]</b>.</li> </ul> <p><u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of Cimzia, an infliximab product (e.g. Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts <b>[documentation required]</b>.</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 1Ai (the MMO – <i>Cosentyx Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 1Aii is not met: offer to review for a Step 1 or Step 2 Product (<u>Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Enbrel, Rinvoq, Taltz, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz XR</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p>

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	<p><b>2. <u>Non-Radiographic Spondyloarthritis (nr-axSpA) – Initial Therapy.</u></b></p> <p>A) Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Cosentyx Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient has tried TWO of Cimzia, Taltz, and Rinvoq <b>[documentation required]</b>.</li> </ul> <p><u>Note:</u> A trial of Enbrel, an adalimumab product (e.g., Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry), an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts <b>[documentation required]</b>. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</p> <p>B) If the patient has met criterion 2Ai (the MMO – <i>Cosentyx Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 2Aii is not met: offer to review for a Step 1 or Step 2 Product (<u>Cimzia, Taltz, or Rinvoq</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>3. <u>Plaque Psoriasis – Initial Therapy.</u></b></p> <p>A) Approve for 3 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Cosentyx Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient has tried TWO of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous, Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, and Tremfya <b>[documentation required]</b>.</li> </ul> <p><u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</p> <p>B) If the patient has met criterion 3Ai (the MMO – <i>Cosentyx Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 3Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous (pen or syringe), Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, or Tremfya</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>4. <u>Psoriatic Arthritis – Initial Therapy.</u></b></p> <p>A) Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Cosentyx Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient meets one of the following (a <u>or</u> b): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Patient is <math>\geq 18</math> years of age AND has tried TWO of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Otezla, Rinvoq, Skyrizi subcutaneous, Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, Tremfya, and Xeljanz/XR <b>[documentation required]</b>; OR</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
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	<p>b) Patient is &lt; 18 years of age AND has tried ONE of Enbrel or Stelara SC <b>[documentation required]</b>.</p> <p><u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of Cimzia, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi (subcutaneous or Aria) also counts toward a trial of a TNFi <b>[documentation required]</b>. For a patient &lt; 18 years of age, a trial of another TNFi counts towards a trial of Enbrel <b>[documentation required]</b>. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</p> <p>B) If the patient has met criterion 4Ai (the MMO – <i>Cosentyx Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 4Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous (pen or syringe), Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, or Tremfya</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p>5. <b><u>Ankylosing Spondylitis; nr-axSpA; Plaque Psoriasis; or Psoriatic Arthritis – Patient is Currently Receiving Cosentyx (SC or IV).</u></b></p> <p>A) Approve for 1 year if the patient meets the following (i and ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Cosentyx Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient meets ONE of the following (a, b, c, d, e, f, or g): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Patient has <u>Ankylosing Spondylitis</u> and has tried TWO of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Rinvoq, Taltz, and Xeljanz/XR <b>[documentation required]</b>; OR <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of Cimzia, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts <b>[documentation required]</b>.</li> <li>b) Patient has <u>nr-axSpA</u> and has tried TWO of Cimzia, Taltz, and Rinvoq <b>[documentation required]</b>; OR <u>Note:</u> A trial of Enbrel, an adalimumab product (e.g., Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, Yusimry), an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts <b>[documentation</b></li> </ul> </li> </ul>
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	<p><b>required]</b>. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</p> <p>c) Patient has <u>Plaque Psoriasis</u> and has tried TWO of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous, Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, and Tremfya <b>[documentation required]</b>; OR  <u>Note</u>: Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</p> <p>d) Patient is <math>\geq 18</math> years of age with <u>Psoriatic Arthritis</u> and has tried TWO of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Otezla, Rinvoq, Skyrizi subcutaneous, Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, Tremfya, or Xeljanz/XR <b>[documentation required]</b>; OR  <u>Note</u>: Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of Cimzia, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts <b>[documentation required]</b>.</p> <p>e) Patient is <math>&lt; 18</math> years of age with <u>Psoriatic Arthritis</u> and has tried ONE of Enbrel or Stelara SC <b>[documentation required]</b>; OR  <u>Note</u>: A trial of another TNFi counts towards a trial of Enbrel <b>[documentation required]</b>.</p> <p>f) According to the prescriber, the patient with AS, nr-axSpA, or PsA has been established on Cosentyx intravenous for at least 90 days; OR</p> <p>g) Patient has been established on Cosentyx subcutaneous for at least 90 days and prescription claims history indicates <u>at least a 90-day supply of Cosentyx SC was dispensed within the past 130 days</u> <b>[verification in prescription claims history required]</b>, or if claims history is not available, according to the prescriber <b>[verification by prescriber required]</b>.  <u>Note</u>: In cases when 130 days of the patient's prescription claim history file is unavailable to be verified, an exception to this requirement is allowed if the prescriber has verified that the patient has been receiving Cosentyx SC for at least 90 days AND the patient has been receiving Cosentyx SC via paid claims (e.g., patient has <u>not</u> been receiving samples or coupons or other types of waivers in order to obtain access to Cosentyx SC).</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 5Ai (the MMO – <i>Cosentyx Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 5Aii is not met: offer to review</p>
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	<p>for one of the following Products using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. <b>Ankylosing Spondylitis:</b> <u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Rinvoq, Taltz, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz XR.</u></li> <li>ii. <b>nr-axSpA:</b> <u>Cimzia, Taltz, or Rinvoq.</u></li> <li>iii. <b>Plaque Psoriasis:</b> <u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous (pen or syringe), Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, or Tremfya.</u></li> <li>iv. <b>Psoriatic Arthritis in a Patient ≥ 18 years of age:</b> <u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous (pen or syringe), Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, or Tremfya.</u></li> <li>v. <b>Psoriatic Arthritis in a Patient &lt; 18 years of age:</b> <u>Enbrel, Stelara SC.</u></li> </ul> <p>6. <b>Other Conditions.</b> Approve Cosentyx SC (initial therapy for a duration as directed or <u>1 year</u> for a patient continuing therapy) if the patient meets the MMO – <i>Cosentyx Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p>
<p><b>Siliq</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>Plaque Psoriasis – Initial Therapy.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A) Approve for 3 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Siliq Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria for plaque psoriasis; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient has tried TWO of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous, Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, and Tremfya [<b>documentation required</b>].</li> </ul> <p><u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</p> </li> <li>B) If the patient has met criterion 1Ai (the MMO – <i>Siliq Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 1Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous (pen or syringe), Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, or Tremfya</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</li> </ul> </li> <li>2. <b>Plaque Psoriasis – Patient is Currently Receiving Siliq.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A) Approve for 1 year if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Siliq Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient meets ONE of the following (a <u>or</u> b):               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Patient has tried TWO of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous, Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, or Tremfya [<b>documentation required</b>]; OR</li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> </ul>



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	<p><u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</p> <p>b) Patient has been established on Siliq for at least 90 days <u>and</u> prescription claims history indicates <u>at least a 90-day supply of Siliq was dispensed within the past 130 days</u> [<b>verification in prescription claims history required</b>], or if claims history is not available, according to the prescriber [<b>verification by prescriber required</b>].</p> <p><u>Note:</u> In cases when 130 days of the patient’s prescription claim history file is unavailable to be verified, an exception to this requirement is allowed if the prescriber has verified that the patient has been receiving Siliq for at least 90 days AND the patient has been receiving Siliq via paid claims (e.g., patient has <u>not</u> been receiving samples or coupons or other types of waivers in order to obtain access to Siliq).</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 2Ai (the MMO – <i>Siliq Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 2Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous (pen or syringe), Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, or Tremfya</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>3. <u>Other Conditions.</u></b> Approve <u>Siliq</u> (initial therapy for a duration as directed or <u>1 year</u> for a patient continuing therapy) if the patient meets the MMO – <i>Siliq Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p>
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<b>Interleukin-23 Blockers</b>	
<b>Ilumya</b>	<p><b>1. <u>Plaque Psoriasis – Initial Therapy.</u></b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 3 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Ilumya Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient has tried TWO of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous, Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, and Tremfya [<b>documentation required</b>].</li> </ul> <p><u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 1Ai (the MMO – <i>Ilumya Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 1Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous (pen or</u></p>

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	<p><u>syringe</u>), Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, or Tremfya) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>2. <u>Plaque Psoriasis – Patient is Currently Receiving Ilumya.</u></b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 1 year if the patient meets BOTH of the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>i.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>Ilumya Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li><b>ii.</b> Patient meets ONE of the following (a <u>or</u> b): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>a)</b> Patient has plaque psoriasis and has tried TWO of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous, Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, or Tremfya [<b>documentation required</b>]; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</li> <li><b>b)</b> Patient has been established on Ilumya for at least 90 days <u>and</u> prescription claims history indicates <u>at least a 90-day supply of Ilumya was dispensed within the past 130 days</u> [<b>verification in prescription claims history required</b>], or if claims history is not available, according to the prescriber [<b>verification by prescriber required</b>].  <u>Note:</u> In cases when 130 days of the patient’s prescription claim history file is unavailable to be verified, an exception to this requirement is allowed if the prescriber has verified that the patient has been receiving Ilumya for at least 90 days AND the patient has been receiving Ilumya via paid claims (e.g., patient has <u>not</u> been receiving samples or coupons or other types of waivers in order to obtain access to Ilumya).</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 2Ai (the MMO – <i>Ilumya Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 2Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous (pen or syringe), Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, or Tremfya</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>3. <u>Other Conditions.</u></b> Approve <u>Ilumya</u> (initial therapy for a duration as directed or <u>1 year</u> for a patient continuing therapy) if the patient meets the MMO – <i>Ilumya Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p>
<b>OmvoH SC</b>	<p><b>1. <u>Ulcerative Colitis – Initial Therapy.</u></b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>i.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>OmvoH Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li><b>ii.</b> Patient meets ONE of the following (a <u>or</u> b):</li> </ul>

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	<p>a) Patient has tried one of an adalimumab product or Stelara subcutaneous; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-aacf, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars; Zymfentra), Simponi subcutaneous, or Stelara intravenous also counts.</p> <p>b) According to the prescriber, the patient has already started on or is currently undergoing induction therapy with Omvoh intravenous.</p> <p><b>B) If the patient has met criterion 1Ai (the MMO – <i>Omvoh Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 1Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz [NDCs starting with 61314], adalimumab-adaz, or Stelara subcutaneous</u>) using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</b></p> <p><b>2. <u>Ulcerative Colitis – Patient is Currently Receiving Omvoh Subcutaneous.</u></b></p> <p><b>A) Approve for 1 year if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</b></p> <p><b>i.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>Omvoh Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</p> <p><b>ii.</b> Patient meets ONE of the following (a <u>or</u> b):</p> <p>a) Patient has tried one of an adalimumab product or Stelara subcutaneous; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-aacf, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars; Zymfentra), Simponi subcutaneous, or Stelara intravenous also counts.</p> <p>b) Patient has been established on Omvoh subcutaneous for at least 90 days <u>and</u> prescription claims history indicates <u>at least a 90-day supply of Omvoh subcutaneous was dispensed within the past 130 days [verification in prescription claims history required]</u>, or if claims history is not available, according to the prescriber <u>[verification by prescriber required]</u>.  <u>Note:</u> In cases where 130 days of the patient’s prescription claim history file is unavailable to be verified, an exception to this requirement is allowed if the prescriber has verified that the patient has been receiving <u>Omvoh subcutaneous</u> for at least 90 days AND the patient has been receiving <u>Omvoh subcutaneous</u> via paid claims (e.g., patient has <u>not</u> been receiving samples or coupons or other types of waivers in order to obtain access to <u>Omvoh subcutaneous</u>).</p>
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	<p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 2Ai (the MMO – <i>Omvoh Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 2Aii is not met, offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Humira, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz [NDCs starting with 61314] or Stelara subcutaneous</u> using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>3. Other Conditions.</b> Approve the requested medication (initial therapy for a duration as directed or <u>1 year</u> for a patient continuing therapy) if the patient meets the MMO – <i>Omvoh Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p>
<b>Integrin Receptor Antagonist</b>	
<p><b>Entyvio SC</b></p>	<p><b>1. Ulcerative Colitis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>i.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>Entyvio Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li><b>ii.</b> Patient meets ONE of the following (a <u>or</u> b): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>a)</b> Patient has tried TWO of an adalimumab product, Stelara subcutaneous, Omvoh subcutaneous, Rinvoq, Simponi subcutaneous, Xeljanz/XR [<b>documentation required</b>]; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-aacf, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars; Zymfentra), Omvoh intravenous, or Stelara intravenous also counts [<b>documentation required</b>].</li> <li><b>b)</b> According to the prescriber, the patient has already started on or is currently undergoing induction therapy with Entyvio IV.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 1Ai (the MMO – <i>Entyvio Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 1Aii is not met, offer to review for a Step 1 or Step 2 Product (<u>Humira, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz [NDCs starting with 61314], Stelara subcutaneous, Omvoh subcutaneous, Rinvoq, Simponi SC, Xeljanz/XR</u>) using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>2. Ulcerative Colitis – Patient is Currently Receiving Entyvio Subcutaneous or Intravenous.</b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 1 year if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>i.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>Entyvio Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li><b>ii.</b> Patient meets ONE of the following conditions (a, b, <u>or</u> c):</li> </ul>

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	<p>a) Patient has tried TWO of an adalimumab product, Stelara subcutaneous, Omvoh subcutaneous, Rinvoq, Simponi subcutaneous, Xeljanz/XR <b>[documentation required]</b>; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-aacf, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars; Zymfentra), Omvoh intravenous, or Stelara intravenous also counts <b>[documentation required]</b>.</p> <p>b) According to the prescriber, the patient has been established on Entyvio intravenous for at least 90 days; OR</p> <p>c) Patient has been established on Entyvio subcutaneous for at least 90 days <u>and</u> prescription claims history indicates <u>at least a 90-day supply of Entyvio subcutaneous was dispensed within the past 130 days</u> <b>[verification in prescription claims history required]</b>, or if claims history is not available, according to the prescriber <b>[verification by prescriber required]</b>.  <u>Note:</u> In cases where 130 days of the patient’s prescription claim history file is unavailable to be verified, an exception to this requirement is allowed if the prescriber has verified that the patient has been receiving <u>Entyvio subcutaneous</u> for at least 90 days AND the patient has been receiving <u>Entyvio subcutaneous</u> via paid claims (e.g., patient has <u>not</u> been receiving samples or coupons or other types of waivers in order to obtain access to <u>Entyvio subcutaneous</u>).</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 2Ai (the MMO – <i>Entyvio Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 2Aii is not met, offer to review for a Step 1 or Step 2 Product (<u>Humira, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz [NDCs starting with 61314], Stelara subcutaneous, Omvoh subcutaneous, Rinvoq, Simponi SC, Xeljanz/XR</u>) using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>3. Other Conditions.</b> Approve the requested medication (initial therapy for a duration as directed or <u>1 year</u> for a patient continuing therapy) if the patient meets the MMO – <i>Entyvio Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p>
<b>Interleukin-1 Blocker</b>	
<b>Kineret</b>	<p><b>1. Rheumatoid Arthritis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <p><b>i.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>Kineret Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</p>

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	<p><b>ii.</b> Patient has tried TWO of Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Rinvoq, and Xeljanz/XR <b>[documentation required]</b>.  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of Actemra intravenous, Cimzia, Orencia (subcutaneous or intravenous), an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), Kevzara, or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts <b>[documentation required]</b>.</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 1Ai (the MMO – <i>Kineret Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 1Aii is not met: offer to review for a Step 1 or Step 2 Product (<u>Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Rinvoq, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz XR</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>2. <u>Rheumatoid Arthritis – Patient is Currently Receiving Kineret.</u></b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 1 year if the patient meets BOTH of the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <p><b>i.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>Kineret Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</p> <p><b>ii.</b> Patient meets ONE of the following (a <u>or</u> b):</p> <p><b>a)</b> Patient has tried TWO of Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Rinvoq, and Xeljanz/XR <b>[documentation required]</b>; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of Actemra intravenous, Cimzia, Orencia (subcutaneous or intravenous), an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), Kevzara, or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts <b>[documentation required]</b>.</p> <p><b>b)</b> Patient has been established on Kineret at least 90 days <u>and</u> prescription claims history indicates <u>at least a 90-day supply of Kineret was dispensed within the past 130 days</u> <b>[verification in prescription claims history required]</b>, or if claims history is not available, according to the prescriber <b>[verification by prescriber required]</b>.  <u>Note:</u> In cases when 130 days of the patient’s prescription claim history file is unavailable to be verified, an exception to this</p>
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	<p>requirement is allowed if the prescriber has verified that the patient has been receiving Kineret for at least 90 days AND the patient has been receiving Kineret via paid claims (e.g., patient has <u>not</u> been receiving samples or coupons or other types of waivers in order to obtain access to Kineret).</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 2Ai (the MMO – <i>Kineret Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 2Aii is not met: offer to review for a Step 1 or Step 2 Product (<u>Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Rinvoq, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz XR</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>3. Other Conditions.</b> Approve <u>Kineret</u> (initial therapy for a duration as directed or <u>1 year</u> for a patient continuing therapy) if the patient meets the MMO – <i>Kineret Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><u>Note:</u> This includes Cryopyrin-Associated Periodic Syndromes (CAPS), Systemic Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis.</p>
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**T-Cell Costimulation Modulator**

<p><b>Orencia Subcutaneous</b></p>	<p><b>1. Rheumatoid Arthritis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>ii.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>Orencia Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li><b>iii.</b> Patient meets ONE of the following (a <u>or</u> b): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>a)</b> Patient has tried TWO of Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Rinvoq, or Xeljanz/XR [<b>documentation required</b>]; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of Actemra intravenous, Cimzia, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), Kevzara, or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts [<b>documentation required</b>].</li> <li><b>b)</b> According to the prescriber, the patient has heart failure, a previously treated lymphoproliferative disorder, a previous serious infection, OR a demyelinating disorder.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 1Ai (the MMO – <i>Orencia Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 1Aii is not met: offer to review for a Step 1 or Step 2 Product (<u>Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314),</u></p>
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	<p><u>adalimumab-adaz, Rinvoq, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz XR</u>) using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>2. Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis/Juvenile Rheumatoid Arthritis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p>A) Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ii. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Orencia Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>iii. Patient meets ONE of the following (a <u>or</u> b): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Patient has tried TWO of Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, an adalimumab product, and Xeljanz; OR  <u>Note: Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as ONE product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz tablets and Xeljanz oral solution) collectively counts as ONE product. A trial of Actemra intravenous, Orencia intravenous, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi Aria also counts [documentation required].</u></li> <li>b) According to the prescriber, the patient has heart failure, a previously treated lymphoproliferative disorder, a previous serious infection, OR a demyelinating disorder.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>B) If the patient has met criterion 2Ai (the MMO – <i>Orencia Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 2Aii is not met: offer to review for a Step 1 or Step 2 Product (<u>Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz oral solution</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>3. Psoriatic Arthritis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p>A) Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ii. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Orencia Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>iii. Patient meets ONE of the following (a, b, <u>or</u> c): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Patient is <math>\geq 18</math> years of age AND has tried TWO of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Otezla, Rinvoq, Skyrizi subcutaneous, Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, Tremfya, or Xeljanz/XR [documentation required]; OR  <u>Note: Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as ONE product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR)</u></li> </ul> </li> </ul>
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	<p>collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of Cimzia, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts <b>[documentation required]</b>.</p> <p>b) Patient is &lt; 18 years of age AND has tried ONE of Enbrel or Stelara SC <b>[documentation required]</b>; <b>OR</b>  <u>Note:</u> A trial of another TNFi counts towards a trial of Enbrel <b>[documentation required]</b>.</p> <p>c) According to the prescriber, the patient has heart failure, a previously treated lymphoproliferative disorder, a previous serious infection, OR a demyelinating disorder.</p> <p>B) If the patient has met criterion 3Ai (the MMO – <i>Orencia Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 3Aii is not met: offer to review for a Step 1 or Step 2 Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Otezla, Rinvoq, Skyrizi subcutaneous (pen or syringe), Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, Tremfya, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz XR</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>4. <u>Rheumatoid Arthritis, Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis, or Psoriatic Arthritis – Patient is Currently Receiving Orencia (Subcutaneous or Intravenous).</u></b></p> <p>A) Approve for 1 year if the patient meets BOTH of the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <p>ii. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Orencia Subcutaneous Policy</i> criteria; AND</p> <p>iii. Patient meets ONE of the following (a, b, c, d, e, f, <u>or</u> g):</p> <p>a) Patient has <u>Rheumatoid Arthritis</u> and has tried TWO of Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Rinvoq, or Xeljanz/XR <b>[documentation required]</b>; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of Actemra intravenous, Cimzia, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), Kevzara, or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts <b>[documentation required]</b>.</p> <p>b) Patient has <u>Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis</u> and has tried TWO of Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, an adalimumab product, and Xeljanz tablets or oral solution; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz tablets and Xeljanz oral</p>
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	<p>solution) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of Actemra intravenous, Orencia intravenous, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi Aria also counts <b>[documentation required]</b>.</p> <p>c) Patient is <math>\geq 18</math> years of age with <u>Psoriatic Arthritis</u> AND has tried TWO of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Otezla, Rinvoq, Skyrizi subcutaneous, Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, Tremfya, or Xeljanz/XR <b>[documentation required]</b>; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of Cimzia, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts <b>[documentation required]</b>.</p> <p>d) Patient is <math>&lt; 18</math> years of age with <u>Psoriatic Arthritis</u> AND has tried ONE of Enbrel or Stelara SC <b>[documentation required]</b>; OR  <u>Note:</u> A trial of another TNFi counts towards a trial of Enbrel <b>[documentation required]</b>.</p> <p>e) According to the prescriber, the patient has been established on Orencia intravenous for at least 90 days; OR</p> <p>f) According to the prescriber, the patient has heart failure, a previously treated lymphoproliferative disorder, a previous serious infection, OR a demyelinating disorder; OR</p> <p>g) Patient has been established on Orencia subcutaneous for at least 90 days <u>and</u> prescription claims history indicates <u>at least a 90-day supply of Orencia subcutaneous was dispensed within the past 130 days</u> <b>[verification in prescription claims history required]</b>, or if claims history is not available, according to the prescriber <b>[verification by prescriber required]</b>.  <u>Note:</u> In cases when 130 days of the patient's prescription claim history file is unavailable to be verified, an exception to this requirement is allowed if the prescriber has verified that the patient has been receiving Orencia subcutaneous for at least 90 days AND the patient has been receiving Orencia subcutaneous via paid claims (e.g., patient has <u>not</u> been receiving samples or coupons or other types of waivers in order to obtain access to Orencia subcutaneous).</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 4Ai (the MMO – <i>Orencia Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 4Aii is not met, offer to review for one of the following Products using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p>
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>ii. <b>Rheumatoid Arthritis:</b> <u>Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Rinvoq, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz XR.</u></li> <li>iii. <b>Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis:</b> <u>Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz oral solution.</u></li> <li>iv. <b>Psoriatic Arthritis in a Patient ≥ 18 Years of Age:</b> <u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Otezla, Rinvoq, Skyrizi subcutaneous (pen or syringe), Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, Tremfya, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz XR.</u></li> <li>v. <b>Psoriatic Arthritis in a Patient &lt; 18 Years of Age:</b> <u>Enbrel, Stelara SC.</u></li> </ul> <p>5. <b>Other Conditions.</b> Approve <u>Orencia subcutaneous</u> (initial therapy for a duration as directed or <u>1 year</u> for a patient continuing therapy) if the patient meets the MMO – <i>Orencia Subcutaneous Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p>
<b>Janus Kinases Inhibitors</b>	
<b>Olumiant</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>Rheumatoid Arthritis – Initial Therapy.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A) Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Olumiant Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient has tried TWO of Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Rinvoq, and Xeljanz/XR [<b>documentation required</b>].  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of Actemra intravenous, Cimzia, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), Kevzara, Orencia (intravenous or subcutaneous), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts [<b>documentation required</b>].</li> </ul> </li> <li>B) If the patient has met criterion 1Ai (the MMO – <i>Olumiant Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 1Aii is not met: offer to review for a Step 1 or Step 2 Product (<u>Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Rinvoq, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz XR</u>) using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</li> </ul> </li> <li>2. <b>Rheumatoid Arthritis – Patient is Currently Receiving Olumiant.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A) Approve for 1 year if the patient meets BOTH of the following (i <u>and</u> ii): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Olumiant Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient meets ONE of the following (a <u>or</u> b):</li> </ul> </li> </ul> </li> </ul>



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	<p>a) Patient has tried TWO of Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Rinvoq, and Xeljanz/XR <b>[documentation required]</b>; OR</p> <p><u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of Actemra intravenous, Cimzia, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), Kevzara, Orencia (intravenous or subcutaneous), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts <b>[documentation required]</b>.</p> <p>b) Patient has been established on Olumiant for at least 90 days <u>and</u> prescription claims history indicates <u>at least a 90-day supply of Olumiant was dispensed within the past 130 days</u> <b>[verification in prescription claims history required]</b>, or if claims history is not available, according to the prescriber <b>[verification by prescriber required]</b>.</p> <p><u>Note:</u> In cases when 130 days of the patient’s prescription claim history file is unavailable to be verified, an exception to this requirement is allowed if the prescriber has verified that the patient has been receiving Olumiant for at least 90 days AND the patient has been receiving Olumiant via paid claims (e.g., patient has <u>not</u> been receiving samples or coupons or other types of waivers in order to obtain access to Olumiant).</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 2Ai (the MMO – <i>Olumiant Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 2Aii is not met: offer to review for a Step 1 or Step 2 Product (<u>Actemra subcutaneous, Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Rinvoq, Xeljanz tablets, or Xeljanz XR</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>3. Other Conditions.</b> Approve <u>Olumiant</u> (initial therapy for a duration as directed or <u>1 year</u> for a patient continuing therapy) if the patient meets the MMO – <i>Olumiant Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p>
<b>Rinvoq</b>	<p><b>1. Ankylosing Spondylitis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>i.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>Rinvoq Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li><b>ii.</b> Patient has tried one of Enbrel or an adalimumab product; OR</li> </ul> <p><u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial</p>

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	<p>of Cimzia, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts.</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 1Ai (the MMO – <i>Rinvoq Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 1Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, or Taltz</u>) using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>2. Crohn’s Disease – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>i.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>Rinvoq Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li><b>ii.</b> Patient has tried one adalimumab product. <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars) or Cimzia also counts.</li> </ul> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 2Ai (the MMO – <i>Rinvoq Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 2Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Skyrizi subcutaneous [on-body injector], or Stelara subcutaneous</u>) using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>3. Non-Radiographic Spondyloarthritis (nr-axSpA) – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>i.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>Rinvoq Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li><b>ii.</b> Patient has tried Cimzia. <u>Note:</u> A trial of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, an infliximab product (Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts. Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry.</li> </ul> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 3Ai (the MMO – <i>Rinvoq Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 3Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Cimzia or Taltz</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>4. Rheumatoid Arthritis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>i.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>Rinvoq Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li><b>ii.</b> Patient has tried one of Enbrel or an adalimumab product; OR</li> </ul>
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	<p><u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of Cimzia, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts.</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 4Ai (the MMO – <i>Rinvoq Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 4Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), or adalimumab-adaz</u>) using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>5. Psoriatic Arthritis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>i.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>Rinvoq Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li><b>ii.</b> Patient has tried one of Enbrel or an adalimumab product; OR</li> </ul> <p><u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of Cimzia, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts.</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 5Ai (the MMO – <i>Rinvoq Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 5Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous (pen or syringe), Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, or Tremfya</u>) using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>6. Ulcerative Colitis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>i.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>Rinvoq Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li><b>ii.</b> Patient has tried one adalimumab product.</li> </ul> <p><u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars) or Simponi subcutaneous also counts.</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 6Ai (the MMO – <i>Rinvoq Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 6Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, or Stelara subcutaneous</u>) using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p>
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**7. Ankylosing Spondylitis, Crohn's Disease, nr-axSpA, Rheumatoid Arthritis, Psoriatic Arthritis, or Ulcerative Colitis – Patient is Currently Receiving Rinvoq.**

A) Approve for 1 year if the patient meets BOTH of the following (i and ii):

i. Patient meets the MMO – *Rinvoq Prior Authorization Policy* criteria;  
AND

ii. Patient meets ONE of the following (a, b, c, d, e, f, or g):

a) Patient has Ankylosing Spondylitis and has tried one of Enbrel or an adalimumab product; OR

Note: Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of Cimzia, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts.

b) Patient has Crohn's Disease and has tried one adalimumab product; OR

Note: Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars) or Cimzia also counts.

c) Patient has nr-axSpA and has tried Cimzia; OR

Note: A trial of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, an infliximab product (Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts. Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry.

d) Patient has Rheumatoid Arthritis and has tried one of Enbrel or an adalimumab product; OR

Note: Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of Cimzia, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts.

e) Patient has Psoriatic Arthritis and has tried one of Enbrel or an adalimumab product; OR

Note: Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of Cimzia, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts.

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	<p>f) Patient has <u>Ulcerative Colitis</u> and has tried one adalimumab product; OR</p> <p><u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars) or Simponi subcutaneous also counts.</p> <p>g) Patient has been established on Rinvoq for at least 90 days <u>and</u> prescription claims history indicates <u>at least a 90-day supply of Rinvoq was dispensed within the past 130 days</u> [<b>verification in prescription claims history required</b>], or if claims history is not available, according to the prescriber [<b>verification by prescriber required</b>].</p> <p><u>Note:</u> In cases when 130 days of the patient’s prescription claim history file is unavailable to be verified, an exception to this requirement is allowed if the prescriber has verified that the patient has been receiving Rinvoq for at least 90 days AND the patient has been receiving Rinvoq via paid claims (e.g., patient has <u>not</u> been receiving samples or coupons or other types of waivers in order to obtain access to Rinvoq).</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 7Ai (the MMO – <i>Rinvoq Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 7Aii is not met: offer to review for one of the following Products using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. <b>Ankylosing Spondylitis:</b> <u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, or Taltz.</u></li> <li>ii. <b>Crohn’s Disease:</b> <u>Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Skyrizi subcutaneous (on-body injector), or Stelara subcutaneous.</u></li> <li>iii. <b>nr-axSpA:</b> <u>Cimzia or Taltz.</u></li> <li>iv. <b>Rheumatoid Arthritis:</b> <u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), or adalimumab-adaz.</u></li> <li>v. <b>Psoriatic Arthritis:</b> <u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous (pen or syringe), Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, or Tremfya.</u></li> <li>vi. <b>Ulcerative Colitis:</b> <u>Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, or Stelara subcutaneous.</u></li> </ul> <p><b>8. All Other Conditions.</b> Approve Rinvoq (initial therapy for a duration as directed or <u>1 year</u> for a patient continuing therapy) if the patient meets the MMO – <i>Rinvoq Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p>
<b>Xeljanz tablets,</b>	<p><b>1. Ankylosing Spondylitis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p>

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<b>Xeljanz XR tablets</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Xeljanz/XR Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient has tried one of Enbrel or an adalimumab product; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of Cimzia, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts.</li> </ul> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 1Ai (the MMO – <i>Xeljanz/XR Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 1Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, or Taltz</u>) using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>2. <u>Rheumatoid Arthritis – Initial Therapy.</u></b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i and ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Xeljanz/XR Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient has tried one of Enbrel or an adalimumab product; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of Cimzia, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts.</li> </ul> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 2Ai (the MMO – <i>Xeljanz/XR Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 2Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), or adalimumab-adaz</u>) using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>3. <u>Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis – Initial Therapy.</u></b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i and ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Xeljanz/XR Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient has tried one of Enbrel or an adalimumab product; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars) or Simponi Aria also counts.</li> </ul> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 3Ai (the MMO – <i>Xeljanz/XR Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 3Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo,</u></p>
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	<p><u>Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), or adalimumab-adaz) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</u></p> <p><b>4. Psoriatic Arthritis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p>A) Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i and ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Xeljanz/XR Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient has tried one of Enbrel or an adalimumab product; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of Cimzia, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts.</li> </ul> <p>B) If the patient has met criterion 4Ai (the MMO – <i>Xeljanz/XR Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 4Aii is not met: offer to review for a Step 1 Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous (pen or syringe), Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, or Tremfya</u>) using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>5. Ulcerative Colitis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p>A) Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i and ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Xeljanz/XR Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient has tried one adalimumab product.  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars) or Simponi subcutaneous also counts.</li> </ul> <p>B) If the patient has met criterion 5Ai (the MMO – <i>Xeljanz/XR Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 5Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, or Stelara subcutaneous</u>) using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>6. <u>Ankylosing Spondylitis, Rheumatoid Arthritis, Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis, Psoriatic Arthritis, or Ulcerative Colitis – Patient is Currently Receiving Xeljanz/XR.</u></b></p> <p>A) Approve for 1 year if the patient meets the following (i and ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Xeljanz/XR Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient meets ONE of the following (a, b, c, d, e, or f): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Patient has <u>Ankylosing Spondylitis</u> and has tried one of Enbrel or an adalimumab product; OR</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
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	<p><u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of Cimzia, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts.</p> <p><b>b)</b> Patient has <u>Rheumatoid Arthritis</u> and has tried one of Enbrel or an adalimumab product; OR</p> <p><u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of Cimzia, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts.</p> <p><b>c)</b> Patient has <u>Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis</u> and has tried one of Enbrel or an adalimumab product; OR</p> <p><u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars) or Simponi Aria also counts.</p> <p><b>d)</b> Patient has <u>Psoriatic Arthritis</u> and has tried one of Enbrel or an adalimumab product; OR</p> <p><u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of Cimzia, an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars), or Simponi (Aria or subcutaneous) also counts.</p> <p><b>e)</b> Patient has <u>Ulcerative Colitis</u> and has tried one adalimumab product; OR</p> <p><u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars) or Simponi subcutaneous also counts.</p> <p><b>f)</b> Patient has been established on Xeljanz/XR for at least 90 days <u>and</u> prescription claims history indicates <u>at least a 90-day supply of Xeljanz/XR was dispensed within the past 130 days</u> <b>[verification in prescription claims history required]</b>, or if claims history is not available, according to the prescriber <b>[verification by prescriber required]</b>.</p> <p><u>Note:</u> In cases when 130 days of the patient’s prescription claim history file is unavailable to be verified, an exception to this requirement is allowed if the prescriber has verified that the patient</p>
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	<p>has been receiving Xeljanz/XR for at least 90 days AND the patient has been receiving Xeljanz/XR via paid claims (e.g., patient has <u>not</u> been receiving samples or coupons or other types of waivers in order to obtain access to Xeljanz/XR).</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 6Ai (the MMO – <i>Xeljanz/XR Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria but criterion 6Aii is not met: offer to review for one of the following Products using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>i. Ankylosing Spondylitis:</b> <u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, or Taltz.</u></li> <li><b>ii. Rheumatoid Arthritis:</b> <u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), or adalimumab-adaz.</u></li> <li><b>iii. Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis:</b> <u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), or adalimumab-adaz.</u></li> <li><b>iv. Psoriatic Arthritis:</b> <u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous (pen or syringe), Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, or Tremfya.</u></li> <li><b>v. Ulcerative Colitis:</b> <u>Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, or Stelara subcutaneous.</u></li> </ul> <p><b>7. Other Conditions.</b> Approve the requested medication (initial therapy for a duration as directed or <u>1 year</u> for a patient continuing therapy) if the patient meets the MMO – <i>Xeljanz/XR Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p>
<p><b>Xeljanz oral solution</b></p>	<p><b>1. Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i and ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>i.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>Xeljanz/XR Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li><b>ii.</b> Patient has tried one of Enbrel or an adalimumab product; OR <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars) or Simponi Aria also counts.</li> </ul> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 1Ai (the MMO – <i>Xeljanz/XR Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 1Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), or adalimumab-adaz</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>2. Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis – Patient is Currently Receiving Xeljanz.</b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 1 year if the patient meets the following (i and ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>i.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>Xeljanz/XR Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li><b>ii.</b> Patient meets ONE of the following (a or b):</li> </ul>

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	<p>a) Patient has <u>Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis</u> and has tried one of Enbrel or an adalimumab product; OR  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars) or Simponi Aria also counts.</p> <p>b) Patient has been established on Xeljanz for at least 90 days <u>and</u> prescription claims history indicates <u>at least a 90-day supply of Xeljanz was dispensed within the past 130 days [verification in prescription claims history required]</u>, or if claims history is not available, according to the prescriber <u>[verification by prescriber required]</u>.  <u>Note:</u> In cases when 130 days of the patient’s prescription claim history file is unavailable to be verified, an exception to this requirement is allowed if the prescriber has verified that the patient has been receiving Xeljanz for at least 90 days AND the patient has been receiving Xeljanz via paid claims (e.g., patient has <u>not</u> been receiving samples or coupons or other types of waivers in order to obtain access to Xeljanz).</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 2Ai (the MMO – <i>Xeljanz/XR Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria but criterion 2Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), or adalimumab-adaz</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>3. Other Conditions.</b> Approve the requested medication (initial therapy for a duration as directed or <u>1 year</u> for a patient continuing therapy) if the patient meets the MMO – <i>Xeljanz/XR Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p>
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<b>Sphingosine 1-Phosphate Receptor Modulator</b>	
<b>Velsipity</b>	<p><b>1. Ulcerative Colitis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 6 months if the patient meets the following (i, ii, <u>and</u> iii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>i.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>Velsipity Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li><b>ii.</b> Patient has tried TWO of an adalimumab product, Stelara subcutaneous, Omvoh subcutaneous, Rinvoq, Simponi subcutaneous, Xeljanz/XR <b>[documentation required]</b>; AND</li> </ul> <p><u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-aacf, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of an infliximab product</p>

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	<p>(e.g., Remicade, biosimilars; Zymfentra), Entyvio intravenous or subcutaneous, Omvoh intravenous, or Stelara intravenous also counts <b>[documentation required]</b>.</p> <p>iii. Patient has tried Zeposia <b>[documentation required]</b>.</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 1Ai (the MMO – <i>Velsipity Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 1Aii or criterion 1Aiii are not met, offer to review for a Step 1 or Step 2 Product (<u>Humira, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz [NDCs starting with 61314], Stelara subcutaneous, Omvoh subcutaneous, Rinvoq, Simponi SC, Xeljanz/XR</u>), or Zeposia using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>2. <u>Ulcerative Colitis – Patient is Currently Receiving Velsipity.</u></b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 1 year if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>i. Patient meets the MMO – <i>Velsipity Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li>ii. Patient meets ONE of the following conditions (a <u>or</u> b): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Patient meets BOTH of the following [(1) <u>and</u> (2)]: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(1) Patient has tried TWO of an adalimumab product, Stelara subcutaneous, Omvoh subcutaneous, Rinvoq, Simponi subcutaneous, Xeljanz/XR <b>[documentation required]</b>; AND  <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of either or both Xeljanz products (Xeljanz and Xeljanz XR) collectively counts as <b>ONE</b> product. A trial of an infliximab product (e.g., Remicade, biosimilars; Zymfentra), Entyvio intravenous or subcutaneous, Omvoh intravenous, or Stelara intravenous also counts <b>[documentation required]</b>.</li> <li>(2) Patient has tried Zeposia <b>[documentation required]</b>; OR</li> </ul> </li> <li>b) Patient has been established on Velsipity for at least 90 days <u>and</u> prescription claims history indicates <u>at least a 90-day supply of Velsipity was dispensed within the past 130 days</u> <b>[verification in prescription claims history required]</b>, or if claims history is not available, according to the prescriber <b>[verification by prescriber required]</b>.  <u>Note:</u> In cases where 130 days of the patient’s prescription claim history file is unavailable to be verified, an exception to this requirement is allowed if the prescriber has verified that the patient has been receiving <u>Velsipity</u> for at least 90 days AND the patient has been receiving <u>Velsipity</u> via paid claims (e.g., patient has <u>not</u> been</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
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	<p>receiving samples or coupons or other types of waivers in order to obtain access to <u>Velsipity</u>).</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 2Ai (the MMO – <i>Velsipity Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 2Aii is not met, offer to review for a Step 1 or Step 2 Product (<u>Humira, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz [NDCs starting with 61314], Stelara subcutaneous, Omvoh subcutaneous, Rinvoq, Simponi SC, Xeljanz/XR</u>) or Zeposia using the respective MMO <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>3. Other Conditions.</b> Approve the requested medication (initial therapy for a duration as directed or <u>1 year</u> for a patient continuing therapy) if the patient meets the MMO – <i>Velsipity Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p>
<b>Zeposia</b>	<p><b>All Conditions.</b> Approve <u>Zeposia</u> if the patient meets the standard <i>Multiple Sclerosis and Ulcerative Colitis – Zeposia Care Value Policy</i> criteria.</p>
<b>Tyrosine Kinase 2 Inhibitor</b>	
<b>Sotyktu</b>	<p><b>1. Plaque Psoriasis – Initial Therapy.</b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 3 months if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>i.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>Sotyktu Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li><b>ii.</b> Patient has tried ONE of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous, Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, and Tremfya. <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</li> </ul> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 1Ai (the MMO – <i>Sotyktu Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 1Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous (pen or syringe), Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, or Tremfya</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>2. Plaque Psoriasis – Patient is Currently Receiving Sotyktu.</b></p> <p><b>A)</b> Approve for 1 year if the patient meets the following (i <u>and</u> ii):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>i.</b> Patient meets the MMO – <i>Sotyktu Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria; AND</li> <li><b>ii.</b> Patient meets ONE of the following (a <u>or</u> b): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>a)</b> Patient has tried ONE of Enbrel, an adalimumab product, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous (pen or syringe), Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, or Tremfya; OR <u>Note:</u> Examples of adalimumab products include Humira, Abrilada, adalimumab-adaz, adalimumab-adbm, adalimumab-fkjp, Amjevita, Cyltezo, Hadlima, Hulio, Hyrimoz, Idacio, Yuflyma, and Yusimry. A trial of multiple adalimumab products counts as <b>ONE</b> product.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>



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	<p>b) Patient has been established on Sotyktu for at least 90 days <u>and</u> prescription claims history indicates <u>at least a 90-day supply of Sotyktu was dispensed within the past 130 days</u> [<b>verification in prescription claims history required</b>], or if claims history is not available, according to the prescriber [<b>verification by prescriber required</b>].</p> <p><u>Note:</u> In cases when 130 days of the patient’s prescription claim history file is unavailable to be verified, an exception to this requirement is allowed if the prescriber has verified that the patient has been receiving Sotyktu for at least 90 days AND the patient has been receiving Sotyktu via paid claims (e.g., patient has <u>not</u> been receiving samples or coupons or other types of waivers in order to obtain access to Sotyktu).</p> <p><b>B)</b> If the patient has met criterion 2Ai (the MMO – <i>Sotyktu Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria), but criterion 2Aii is not met: offer to review for a Preferred Product (<u>Enbrel, Humira, adalimumab-adbm, Cyltezo, Hyrimoz (NDCs starting with 61314), adalimumab-adaz, Otezla, Skyrizi subcutaneous (pen or syringe), Stelara subcutaneous, Taltz, or Tremfya</u>) using the respective MMO – <i>Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p> <p><b>3. Other Conditions.</b> Approve <u>Sotyktu</u> (initial therapy for a duration as directed or <u>1 year</u> for a patient continuing therapy) if the patient meets the MMO – <i>Sotyktu Prior Authorization Policy</i> criteria.</p>
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## APPENDIX A

**Table 1. Approved TNFis for Targeted Indications.\***

	Rheumatology					Dermatology	Gastroenterology	
	RA	JIA	AS	nr-axSpA	PsA	PsO	CD	UC
<b>Tumor Necrosis Factor Inhibitors</b>								
Cimzia	√	--	√	√	√	√	√	--
Enbrel	√	√	√	--	√	√	--	--
Adalimumab Products (Humira, biosimilars)	√	√	√	--	√	√	√	√
Infliximab Intravenous Products	√	--	√	--	√	√	√	√
Zymfentra	--	--	--	--	--	--	√ <sup>^</sup>	√ <sup>^</sup>
Simponi Subcutaneous	√	--	√	--	√	--	--	√
Simponi Aria	√	√	√	--	√	--	--	--

TNFis – Tumor necrosis factor inhibitors; \* Refer to the selected MMO *Prior Authorization Policies* for the specific patient population approved for each indication; RA – Rheumatoid arthritis; JIA – Juvenile idiopathic arthritis; AS – Ankylosing spondylitis; nr-axSpA – Non-radiographic spondyloarthritis; PsA – Psoriatic arthritis; PsO – Plaque psoriasis; CD – Crohn’s disease; UC – Ulcerative colitis; <sup>^</sup> Maintenance dosing only.

**Table 2. Approved IL-17, IL-23, and IL-12/23 Blockers for Targeted Indications.\***

	Rheumatology			Dermatology	Gastroenterology	
	Ankylosing Spondylitis	nr-axSpA	Psoriatic Arthritis	Plaque Psoriasis	Crohn’s Disease	Ulcerative Colitis
<b>Interleukin-17 Blockers</b>						
Cosentyx Subcutaneous	√	√	√	√	--	--
Cosentyx Intravenous	√	√	√	--	--	--
Siliq	--	--	--	√	--	--
Taltz	√	√	√	√	--	--
<b>Interleukin-23 Blockers</b>						
Ilumya	--	--	--	√	√	--
Omvoh Intravenous	--	--	--	--	--	√ <sup>#</sup>
Omvoh Subcutaneous	--	--	--	--	--	√ <sup>^</sup>
Skyrizi Intravenous	--	--	--	--	√ <sup>#</sup>	--
Skyrizi Subcutaneous	--	--	√	√	√ <sup>^</sup>	--
Tremfya	--	--	√	√	--	--
<b>Interleukin-12/23 Blockers</b>						
Stelara Subcutaneous	--	--	√	√	√ <sup>^</sup>	√ <sup>^</sup>

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Stelara Intravenous	--	--	--	--	√#	√#
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IL – Interleukin; \* Refer to the selected standard *Prior Authorization Policies* for the specific patient population approved for each indication; nr-axSpA – Non-radiographic spondyloarthritis; ^ Maintenance dosing only; # Induction dosing only.

**Table 3. Approved Oral tsDMARDs for Targeted Indications.\***

	Rheumatology					Dermatology	Gastroenterology	
	RA	JIA	AS	nr-axSpA	PsA	PsO	CD	UC
<b>Janus Kinases Inhibitors</b>								
Olumiant	√	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Rinvoq	√	--	√	√	√	--	√	√
Xeljanz tablets	√	√#	√	--	√	--	--	√
Xeljanz oral solution	--	√#	--	--	--	--	--	--
Xeljanz XR	√	--	√	--	√	--	--	√
<b>Phosphodiesterase Type 4 Inhibitor</b>								
Otezla	--	--	--	--	√	√	--	--
<b>Sphingosine 1-Phosphate Receptor Modulator</b>								
Velsipity	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	√
Zeposia	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	√
<b>Tyrosine Kinase 2 Inhibitor</b>								
Sotyktu	--	--	--	--	--	√	--	--

tsDMARDs – Targeted synthetic disease-modifying antirheumatic drugs; \* Refer to the selected standard *Prior Authorization Policies* for the specific patient population approved for each indication; RA – Rheumatoid arthritis; JIA – Juvenile idiopathic arthritis; AS – Ankylosing spondylitis; nr-axSpA – Nonradiographic axial spondyloarthritis; PsA – Psoriatic arthritis; PsO – Plaque psoriasis; CD – Crohn’s disease; UC – Ulcerative colitis; # Indicated in polyarticular JIA.

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**Table 4. Other Approved Biologics for Targeted Indications.\***

	Rheumatology			Gastroenterology	
	Rheumatoid Arthritis	Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis	Psoriatic Arthritis	Crohn's Disease	Ulcerative Colitis
<b>Integrin Receptor Antagonist</b>					
Entyvio Intravenous	--	--	--	√	√
Entyvio Subcutaneous	--	--	--	--	√ <sup>‡</sup>
<b>Interleukin-6 Blockers</b>					
Actemra Intravenous	√	√ <sup>^</sup>	--	--	--
Actemra Subcutaneous	√	√ <sup>^</sup>	--	--	--
Kevzara	√	--	--	--	--
<b>Interleukin-1 Blocker</b>					
Kineret	√	--	--	--	--
<b>T-Cell Costimulation Modulator</b>					
Orencia Intravenous	√	√ <sup>#</sup>	√	--	--
Orencia Subcutaneous	√	√ <sup>#</sup>	√	--	--
<b>CD20-Directed Cytolytic Antibody</b>					
Rituximab Intravenous Products	√	--	--	--	--

\* Refer to the selected standard *Prior Authorization Policies* for the specific patient population approved for each indication; ^ Indicated in polyarticular and systemic JIA; # Indicated in polyarticular JIA; ‡ Maintenance dosing only.