



The following tables list the Agenda items as well as the Options for Consideration that are scheduled to be presented and reviewed at the **March 21, 2019** meeting of the Pharmacy and Therapeutics Advisory Committee.

Single Agent Reviews	Options for Consideration		
New Product to Market: Epidiolex [™]	 Non-prefer in the PDL class: Anticonvulsants: Second Generation (Anticonvulsants) Length of Authorization: 1 year Epidiolex™ (cannabidiol), a non-psychoactive cannabinoid receptor antagonist, is approved for the treatment of seizures associated with Lennox-Gastaut syndrome or Dravet syndrome in patients ≥ 2 years of age. The mechanism by which cannabidiol exerts its anticonvulsant effects is unknown. Cannabidiol (Epidiolex) is a Schedule V controlled substance. Criteria for Approval: Diagnosis of Lennox-Gastaut syndrome (LGS) OR Dravet syndrome (DS) by a pediatric neurologist or pediatric epileptologist; AND Trial and failure (e.g., incomplete seizure control) of at least 2 antiepileptic drugs; AND Must be used in adjunct with ≥ 1 antiepileptic drug; AND 		
New Product to Market: Ajovy [™]	 Age Limit: ≥ 2 years Non-prefer in the PDL class: Antimigraine: CGRP Inhibitors (Antimigraine, Other) Length of Authorization: 3 months initial; 1 year renewal Ajovy™ (fremanezumab-vfrm) is a calcitonin gene-related peptide (CGRP) antagonist indicated for the preventive treatment of migraine in adults. Criteria for Approval: Diagnosis of migraine with or without aura; AND If female of child-bearing age (18-45), negative pregnancy screening; AND Trial and failure (3 months), intolerance, or contraindication to at least 1 preferred CGRP inhibitor. Renewal Criteria Patient has an overall improvement in function with therapy (e.g., fewer and/or less severe migraine days per month); AND If female of child-bearing age, continued monitoring for pregnancy. Age Limit: ≥ 18 years Quantity Limit: 1 syringe (225 mg) per 30 days 		

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New Product to Market: Emgality [™]	Prefer with clinical criteria in the PDL class: Antimigraine: CGRP Inhibitors (Antimigraine, Other) Length of Authorization: 3 months initial; 1 year renewal • Emgality™ (galcanezumab-gnlm) is a calcitonin gene-related peptide (CGRP) antagonist indicated for the preventive treatment of migraine in adults indicated for the preventative treatment of migraine in adults. Criteria for Approval: • Diagnosis of migraine with or without aura; AND • If female of child-bearing age (18-45), negative pregnancy screening; AND • Trial and failure (≥ 1 month) of at least 2 medications listed below from the 2012 American Academy of Neurology/American Headache Society guidelines – at least 1 must be level A or B recommendation:			
	Level A	Level B	Le	vel C
	AEDs: -divalproex sodium -sodium valproate -topiramate	Antidepressants: -amitriptyline -venlafaxine	Alpha-agonists: -clonidine -guanfacine	ACE/ARB: -lisinopril -candesartan
	Beta blockers: -metoprolol -propranolol -timolol	Beta blockers: -atenolol -nadolol	AEDs: -carbamazepine	Beta blockers: -nebivolol -pindolol
		NSAIDs: -fenoprofen -ibuprofen -ketoprofen -naproxen	Antihistamines: -cyproheptadine	NSAIDs: -flurbiprofen -mefenamic acid
	AED = antiepileptic drug; ACE = angiotensin converting enzyme inhibitor; ARB = angiotensin receptor blocker; NSAID = nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drug			
	 Renewal Criteria Patient has an overall improvement in function with therapy (e.g., fewer and/or less severe migraine days per month); AND If female of child-bearing age, continued monitoring for pregnancy. Age Limit: ≥ 18 years Quantity Limit: 240 mg (2 prefilled pens or syringes) once, then 120 mg (1 prefilled pen or syringe) per 30 days 			



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New Product to Market:	Prefer with clinical criteria in the PDL class: Oral Oncology, Breast Cancer (Oncology,		
Talzenna [™]	Oral – Breast)		
	Length of Authorization: 1 year		
	 Talzenna[™] (talazoparib) is a poly ADP-ribose polymerase (PARP) inhibitor indicated for the treatment of adult patients with deleterious or suspected deleterious germline BRCA-mutated, HER2-negative locally advanced or metastatic breast cancer. Patient selection is based on confirmation of germline BRCA-mutated status via an FDA-approved companion diagnostic. 		
	Criteria for Approval:		
	 Diagnosis of deleterious or suspected-deleterious germline BRCA-mutated locally advanced or metastatic breast cancer as detected by an FDA-approved test; AND Member has NOT received prior therapy with a PARP inhibitor; AND Medication will not be used in combination with another PARP inhibitor; AND Medication is used as subsequent treatment to prior chemotherapy in the neoadjuvant, adjuvant, locally advanced or metastatic treatment setting, which included a taxane and/or an anthracycline. Renewal Criteria: Continue to meet initial approval criteria; AND Evidence of tumor response or lack of disease progression. 		
	Age Limit = ≥ 18 years		
	Quantity Limit = 1 mg: 1 per day; 0.25 mg: 3 per day		
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New Product to Market:	Non-prefer in the PDL class: <i>Oral Oncology, Hematologic Cancer (Oncology, Oral – Hematologic)</i>		
Copiktra [™]	 Length of Authorization: 12 months Copiktra[™] (duvelisib) is a phosphtidylinositol-3 kinase (PI3K) inhibitor indicated for the treatment of adult patients with: Relapsed or refractory chronic lymphocytic leukemia (CLL) or small lymphocytic lymphoma (SLL) after at least two prior therapies. Relapsed or refractory follicular lymphoma (FL) after at least two prior systemic therapies. 		
	Criteria for Approval:		
	• Diagnosis of chronic lymphocytic leukemia/small lymphocytic leukemia (CLL/SLL) that has relapsed or is refractory after ≥ 2 prior therapies, which include treatment with ofatumumab; OR		
	 Diagnosis of low-grade follicular lymphoma that has relapsed or is refractory, after ≥ 2 prior therapies including both rituximab AND chemotherapy OR radioimmunotherapy; AND 		
	Medication will be used as a single agent; AND		
	• Patient has not received previous therapy with a small-molecule inhibitor (phosphtidylinositol-3 kinase inhibitor [PI3-K]) therapy (e.g., idelalisib, copanlisib); AND		
	• Patient has not received previous therapy with a Bruton's tyrosine kinase (BTK) inhibitor (e.g., ibrutinib, acalabrutinib).		
	Renewal Criteria:		
	Continue to meet initial approval criteria; AND		
	 Evidence of tumor response or lack of disease progression. Age Limit: ≥18 years Quantity Limit: 2 capsules per day 		
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New Product to Market:	Prefer with clinical criteria in the PDL class: Oral Oncology, Hematologic Cancer		
Daurismo TM	(Oncology, Oral – Hematologic)		
	Length of Authorization: 12 months		
	• Daurismo [™] (glasdegib) is an inhibitor of the hedgehog (Hh) signaling pathway and is		
	indicated, in combination with low-dose cytarabine, for the treatment of newly-		
	diagnosed acute myeloid leukemia (AML) in adult patients who are ≥ 75 years old or		
	who have comorbidities that preclude the use of intensive induction chemotherapy.		
	Criteria for Approval:		
	Diagnosis of acute myeloid leukemia (AML) that is newly diagnosed; AND		
	• Member is ≥75 years old OR not a candidate for intensive induction chemotherapy;		
	AND		
	Medication will be used with low-dose cytarabine. Pengyal Cytaria:		
	Renewal Criteria:		
	• Evidence of disease response or stabilization.		
	Age Limit: ≥18 years		
New Product to Market:	Quantity Limit: 100 mg: 1 per day; 25 mg: 3 per day Non-prefer in the PDL class: Oral Oncology, Hematologic Cancer (Oncology, Oral –		
	Hematologic)		
Xospata [®]	Length of Authorization: 12 months		
	Xospata® (gilteritinib) is an FMS-like tyrosine kinase 3 (FLT3) inhibitor indicated for		
	the treatment of adults with relapsed or refractory acute myeloid leukemia (R/R AML)		
	with a FLT3 mutation as detected by an FDA-approved test.		
	Criteria for Approval:		
	Diagnosis of acute myeloid leukemia (AML) that is refractory to or relapsed after		
	first-line AML therapy; AND		
	• AML is positive for FLT3 mutation as detected by an FDA-approved test (e.g.,		
	Leukostrat CDx FLT3 Mutation Assay).		
	Renewal Criteria:		
	• Evidence of disease response or stabilization.		
	Age Limit: ≥18 years		
New Product to Market:	Quantity Limit: 3 per day Non-prefer in the PDL class: Oral Oncology, Lung Cancer (Oncology, Oral – Lung)		
Lorbrena®	Length of Authorization: 1 year		
Lorbrella	Lorbrena® (lorlatinib) is a kinase inhibitor indicated for the treatment of patients with		
	anaplastic lymphoma kinase (ALK)-positive metastatic non-small cell lung cancer		
	(NSCLC) whose disease has progressed on crizotinib and at least one other ALK		
	inhibitor for metastatic disease, or alectinib or ceritinib as the first ALK inhibitor		
	therapy for metastatic disease.		
	Criteria for Approval:		
	Patient has metastatic non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC); AND		
	Confirmation of anaplastic lymphoma kinase (ALK)-positive as detected by FDA		
	approved test; AND		
	• Patient has tried and failed crizotinib and at least 1 other ALK inhibitor (e.g.,		
	alectinib or ceritinib); ORPatient has tried and failed alectinib or ceritinib.		
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	Patient continues to meet the above criteria; AND This is a second of the second		
	Evidence of response with stabilization of disease or decrease in size of tumor or		
	tumor spread.		
	Age Limit: ≥18 years		
	Quantity Limit: 100 mg: 1 per day; 25 mg: 3 per day		



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New Product to Market:	Prefer with clinical criteria in the PDL class: Oral Oncology, Lung Cancer (Oncology,
Vizimpro [®]	Oral – Lung)
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	• Vizimpro® (dacomitinib) is a kinase inhibitor indicated for the first-line treatment of
	patients with metastatic non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) with epidermal growth
	factor receptor (EGFR) exon 19 deletion or exon 21 L858R substitution mutations as
	detected by an FDA-approved test.
	Criteria for Approval:
	 Patient has metastatic non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) with epidermal growth factor receptor (EGFR) exon 19 deletion or exon 21 L858R substitution mutations as detected by an FDA-approved test.
	Renewal Criteria:
	Patient continues to meet the above criteria; AND
	Demonstrated tumor response with stabilization of disease or decrease in size of tumor or tumor spread.
	Age Limit : ≥18 years
	Quantity Limit: 100 mg: 1 per day; 25 mg: 3 per day

Criteria Review	Options for Consideration
Bile Salts:	Ocaliva® (obeticholic acid), a farnesoid X receptor (FXR) agonist, is indicated for the
	treatment of primary biliary cholangitis (PBC) in combination with ursodeoxycholic acid
Ocaliva [®]	(UDCA, ursodiol) in adults with an inadequate response to UDCA, or as monotherapy in
(obeticholic acid)	adults unable to tolerate UDCA.
	 Current criteria: Trial and failure of 1 preferred agent. Recommended criteria: Length of Authorization: 1 year Criteria for Approval: Diagnosis of primary biliary cholangitis (PBC); AND Prescriber is a gastroenterologist, hepatologist, or liver transplant specialist; AND Contraindication or intolerance to, or 12-month trail and failure of, ursodiol. Age Limit: ≥ 18 years Quantity Limit: 1 per day
Hepatitis C:	Current prescriber criteria: Must be prescribed by, or in consultation with, a
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	Recommended prescriber criteria: Must be prescribed by, or in consultation with, a
	gastroenterologist, hepatologist, infectious disease or HIV specialist.
	Note: All other criteria continue to apply.



Full Class Reviews	Options for Consideration
Antibiotics, Inhaled	Antibiotics, Inhaled
	 DMS to select preferred agent(s) based on economic evaluation; however, at least 1 unique chemical entity should be preferred. Agents not selected as preferred will be considered non-preferred and require PA. For any new chemical entity in the <i>Antibiotics</i>, <i>Inhaled</i> class, require PA until reviewed by the P&T Advisory Committee.
	 New agent in the class: Arikayce® Non-prefer in the PDL class: Antibiotics, Inhaled Length of Authorization: 3 months initial; 1 year renewal Arikayce® (amikacin liposomal inhalation) is an aminoglycoside antibiotic indicated in adults who have limited or no alternative treatment options, for the treatment of Mycobacterium avium complex (MAC) lung disease as part of a combination antibacterial drug regimen in patients who do not achieve negative sputum cultures after a minimum of 6 consecutive months of a multidrug background regimen therapy. Criteria for Approval: Diagnosis of Mycobacterium avium complex (MAC) lung disease as determined by the following: chest radiography or high-resolution computed tomography (HRCT) scan; AND at least 2 positive sputum cultures; AND other conditions such as tuberculosis and lung malignancy have been ruled out; AND Patient has failed a multi-drug regimen with a macrolide (clarithromycin or azithromycin), rifampin, and ethambutol. (Failure is defined as continual positive sputum cultures for MAC while adhering to a multi-drug treatment regimen for a
	 minimum duration of 6 months); AND Patient has documented failure or intolerance to aerosolized administration of amikacin solution for injection, including pretreatment with a bronchodilator; AND Arikayce will be prescribed in conjunction with a multi-drug antimycobacterial regimen. Age Limit: ≥ 18 years Quantity Limit: 1 kit per 28 days (1 vial per day)
Antivirals, Oral (Antivirals: Herpes, Antivirals: Influenza)	 Antivirals: Herpes DMS to select preferred agent(s) based on economic evaluation; however, at least 2 unique chemical entities should be preferred. Agents not selected as preferred will be considered non-preferred and will require PA. For any new chemical entity in the <i>Antivirals: Herpes</i> class, require PA until reviewed by the P&T Advisory Committee.
	 Antivirals: Influenza DMS to select preferred agent(s) based on economic evaluation; however, at least 2 unique chemical entities should be preferred. Agents not selected as preferred will be considered non-preferred and will require PA. For any new chemical entity in the <i>Antivirals: Influenza</i> class, require PA until reviewed by the P&T Advisory Committee. New agent in the class: XofluzaTM Non-prefer in the PDL class: <i>Antivirals: Flu (Antivirals, Oral)</i> Length of Authorization: Date of service



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	 Xofluza™ (baloxavir marboxil), a polymerase acidic (PA) endonuclease inhibitor, is indicated for the treatment of acute uncomplicated influenza in patients ≥ 12 years of age who have been symptomatic for ≤ 48 hours. Criteria for Approval: Weight ≥ 40 kg; AND Allergy, contraindication, intolerance or other reason a preferred influenza antiviral cannot be used; AND Confirmed or suspected diagnosis of acute, uncomplicated, outpatient influenza; AND Patient symptomatic for ≤ 48 hours; AND Patient is NOT: Taking concurrent neuraminidase inhibitors (e.g., Tamiflu, Relenza); OR Taking polyvalent cation-containing laxatives, antacids, or oral supplements (e.g., calcium, iron, magnesium, selenium, or zinc); OR Pregnant; OR Hospitalized; AND Xofluza is not being used for prophylaxis. Age Limit: ≥ 12 years
	Quantity Limit: 2 tablets (1 dose) per fill
Cephalosporins and Related Antibiotics (Antibiotics: Cephalosporins 1st Generation, Antibiotics: Cephalosporins 2nd Generation; Antibiotics: Cephalosporins 3rd Generation)	 Antibiotics: Cephalosporins 1st Generation DMS to select preferred agent(s) based on economic evaluation; however, at least 2 unique chemical entities should be preferred. Agents not selected as preferred will be considered non-preferred and will require PA. For any new chemical entity in the Antibiotics: Cephalosporins 1st Generation class, require PA until reviewed by the P&T Committee. Antibiotics: Cephalosporins 2nd Generation DMS to select preferred agent(s) based on economic evaluation; however, at least 2 unique chemical entities should be preferred. Agents not selected as preferred will be considered non-preferred and will require PA. For any new chemical entity in the Antibiotics: Cephalosporins 2nd Generation class, require PA until reviewed by the P&T Committee. Antibiotics: Cephalosporins 3rd Generation DMS to select preferred agent(s) based on economic evaluation; however, at least 1 unique chemical entity should be preferred. Agents not selected as preferred will be considered non-preferred and will require PA. For any new chemical entity in the Antibiotics: Cephalosporins 3rd Generation class, require PA until reviewed by the P&T Committee.
COPD Agents	 COPD Agents DMS to select preferred agent(s) based on economic evaluation; however, at least 1 short-acting and 1 long-acting product should be preferred. Agents not selected as preferred will be considered non-preferred and require PA. For any new chemical entity in the COPD Agents class, require PA until reviewed by the P&T Advisory Committee. New agent in the class: Yupelri™ Non-prefer in the PDL class: COPD Agents Length of Authorization: 1 year



Full Class Reviews	Options for Consideration
	 Yupelri™ (revefenacin) is a long-acting muscarinic antagonist (LAMA) indicated for the maintenance treatment of patients with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD). Criteria for Approval:
	 Diagnosis of chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD); AND Treatment failure with at least 1 other long-acting muscarinic antagonist (LAMA) due to technique/delivery mechanism. Age Limit: ≥ 18 years Quantity Limit: 1 vial per day
Hepatitis B Agents	Anti-Infectives: Hepatitis B
(Anti-Infectives:	DMS to select preferred agent(s) based on economic evaluation; however, at least 2 unique chemical entities should be preferred.
Hepatitis B)	• Agents not selected as preferred will be considered non-preferred and will require PA.
	• For any new chemical entity in the <i>Anti-Infectives: Hepatitis B</i> class, require PA until reviewed by the P&T Committee.
HIV/AIDS	HIV/AIDS
	 DMS to select preferred agent(s) based on economic evaluation; however, first-line treatment regimens should be preferred. Agents not selected as preferred will be considered non-preferred and will require PA. For any new chemical entity in the HIV/AIDS class, require PA until reviewed by the P&T Advisory Committee.

Consent Agenda	Options for Consideration	
For the following therapeutic classes, there are no recommended changes to the currently posted Preferred Drug		
List (PDL) status; these may be voted on as a group:		
Absorbable Sulfonamides	Hypoglycemics, Insulin and Related Agents	
Antibiotics, GI	Hypoglycemics, Meglitinides	
Antibiotics, Vaginal	Hypoglycemics, Metformins	
Antifungals, Oral	Hypoglycemics, SGLT2	
Antihistamines, Minimally Sedating	Hypoglycemics, Sulfonylureas	
Bronchodilators, Beta Agonist	Hypoglycemics, Thiazolidinediones (TZD)	
Epinephrine, Self-Injected	Intranasal Rhinitis Agents	
Fluoroquinolones, Oral	Leukotriene Modifiers	
Glucocorticoids, Inhaled	Macrolides	
Hepatitis C Agents	Oxazolidenediones	
Hypoglycemics, Alpha-Glucosidase Inhibitors	Penicillins	
Hypoglycemics, Incretin Mimetics/Enhancers	Tetracyclines	

