



CCI Prior Authorization List

In an effort to promote the appropriate use of certain drugs which treat very limited or specific conditions and to help better manage the cost of some very expensive drugs, the ConnectiCare Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee has developed a list of prescription drugs that will require pre-authorization from a physician. Before these drugs can be dispensed, a physician must request a prior authorization in writing, from ConnectiCare's Pharmacy Services department. If the prescribed drug is approved, the prescription will be filled as usual at a participating pharmacy.

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- ❖ The drugs noted "to Medical " below require Pre-Authorization approval from ConnectiCare's Health Care Management Department, not Pharmacy.

<p>Agrylin™ (anagrelide HCL) Alzheimer's Medications: Aricept, Exelon, Reminyl Aranesp Botox & Myobloc – to Medical Buphenyl Ditropan XL Dynacin 75mg Enbrel (etanercept) Epogen® (epoetin alpha) Food Supplements- to Medical Gleevec (imatinib) Herceptin: to Medical Hyalgan (sodium hyaluronate)- to Medical All Growth Hormone: including Humatrope®, Genotropin™, Nutropin®, Serostim®, Norditropin, Saizen (somatropin), Protropin® (somatrem) Injectable Drugs: excluding insulin and some other self administered injectibles. All Interferons: including, Infergen, Intron, Roferon, Rebetrone, Peg Intron, Rebetol All Infertility Medications : please call pharmacy services for specific questions. IV Immune Globulin (IVIG): to Medical Kineret Lamisil® (terbinafine) Leukine® (sargramostim) Lupron®/Lupron Depot®/ Zoladex Mepron® (atovaquone) Neupogen® (filgrastim) Oral Contraceptives (for groups w/o coverage) Penlac (ciclopirox) Prolastin: to Medical</p>	<p>Proleukin (aldesleukin) Protopic (tacrolimus) Provigil Pulmicort Respules (only for >8 y/o) Regranex (becaplermin) Remicaid: to Medical Renagel Retin-A, Avita (tretinoin) Testosterone: physicians may request auth if drug not being used for sexual dysfunction. Ex. Testosterone, Androgel, etc. Tracleer Travel Medications: including Malarone, Larium and Aralen Sporanox® (itraconazole) Synagis: To Medical Synarel® (nafarelin) Synvisc (hyaluronate sodium) –to Medical Thalomide Valcyte Vancocin® (vancomycin) Xopenex Zantac® gel dose (ranitidine gel dose)</p>
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