

Certain specialty medication prior authorization requests may require additional documentation

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As part of our ongoing quality improvement efforts, Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield (Anthem) is updating our prior authorization processes for certain specialty medications. **Effective August 1, 2021**, we may request additional documentation for impacted medications to determine medical necessity.

Upon request, providers shall submit documentation from the member's medical record for each policy question flagged for documentation. A denial may result if documentation does not support medical necessity.

Should you have any questions, please refer to the [Clinical Criteria policy website](#) for specific medication criteria details, including documentation requirements.

Impacted Policy	Impacted Medication(s)
ING-CC-0153: Adakveo (crizanlizumab)	Adakveo
ING-CC-0065: Agents for Hemophiilia A and von Willebrand Disease	Advate, Adynovate, Afstyla, Alphanate, Eloctate, Esperoct, Helixate FS, Hemlibra, Hemofil-M, Humate-P, Jivi, Koate-DVI, Kogenate FS, Kovaltry, Monoclate-P, Novoeight, Nuwiq, Obizur, Recombinate, Wilate, Xyntha
ING-CC-0148: Agents for Hemophilia B	Alphanine SD, Alprolix, Bebulin, Benefix, Idelvion, Ixinity, Mononine, Profilnine SD, Rebinyn, Rixubis
ING-CC-0025: Aldurazyme (laronidase)	Aldurazyme
ING-CC-0073: Alpha-1 Proteinase Inhibitor Therapy	Aralast, Glassia, Prolastin-C, Zemaira
ING-CC-0028: Benlysta (belimumab)	Benlysta
ING-CC-0012: Brineura (cerliponase alfa)	Brineura
ING-CC-0137: Cablivi (caplacizumab-yhdp)	Cablivi
ING-CC-0041: Complement Inhibitors	Soliris, Ultomiris
ING-CC-0081: Crysvita (burosumab-twza)	Crysvita
ING-CC-0035: Duopa (carbidopa and levodopa enteral suspension)	Duopa
ING-CC-0029: Dupixent (dupilumab)	Dupixent
ING-CC-0069: Egrifta (tesamorelin)	Egrifta
ING-CC-0024: Elaprase (idursufase)	Elaprase
ING-CC-0173: Enspryng (satralizumab-mwge)	Enspryng
ING-CC-0051: Enzyme Replacement Therapy for Gaucher Disease	Cerezyme, Elelyso, Vpriv
ING-CC-0044: Exondys 51 (eteplirsen)	Exondys 51
ING-CC-0021: Fabrazyme (agalsidase beta)	Fabrazyme
ING-CC-0068: Growth hormone	Genotropin, Humatrope, Norditropin, Nutropin AQ, Omnitrope, Saizen, Serostim, Zomacton, Zorbtive

ING-CC-0034: Hereditary Angioedema Agents	Berinert, Cinryze, Firazyr, Haegarda, Kalbitor, Ruconest, Takhzyro
ING-CC-0188: Imcivree (setmelanotide)	Imcivree
ING-CC-0070: Jetrea (ocriplasmin)	Jetrea
ING-CC-0037: Kanuma (sebelipase alfa)	Kanuma
ING-CC-0057: Krystexxa (pegloticase)	Krystexxa
ING-CC-0018: Lumizyme (alglucosidase alfa)	Lumizyme
ING-CC-0013: Mepsevii (vestronidase alfa)	Mepsevii
ING-CC-0043: Monoclonal Antibodies to Interleukin-5	Cinqair, Fasenra, Nucala
ING-CC-0023: Naglazyme (galsulfase)	Naglazyme
ING-CC-0111: Nplate (romiplostim)	Nplate
ING-CC-0082: Onpattro (patisiran)	Onpattro
ING-CC-0077: Palynziq (pegvaliase-pqpz)	Palynziq
ING-CC-0049: Radicava (edaravone)	Radicava
ING-CC-0156: Reblozyl (luspatercept)	Reblozyl
ING-CC-0159: Scenesse (afamelanotide)	Scenesse
ING-CC-0149: Select Clotting Agents for Bleeding Disorders	Feiba, Novoseven
ING-CC-0079: Strensiq (asfotase alfa)	Strensiq
ING-CC-0008: Subcutaneous Hormonal Implants	Testopel
ING-CC-0084: Tegsedi (inotersen)	Tegsedi
ING-CC-0162: Tepezza (teprotumumab-trbw)	Tepezza
ING-CC-0170: Uplizna (inebilizumab)	Uplizna
ING-CC-0172: Viltepso (viltolarsen)	Viltepso
ING-CC-0022: Vimizim (elosulfase alfa)	Vimizim
ING-CC-0152: Vyondys 53 (golodirsen)	Vyondys 53
ING-CC-0017: Xiaflex (clostridial collagenase histolyticum) injection	Xiaflex
ING-CC-0033: Xolair (omalizumab)	Xolair

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