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This communication applies to the Medicaid and Medicare Advantage programs for Empire BlueCross BlueShield (Empire).

On August 16, 2019, the Pharmacy and Therapeutics (P&T) Committee approved *Clinical Criteria* applicable to the **medical drug benefit** for Empire. These policies were developed, revised or reviewed to support clinical coding edits.

The *Clinical Criteria* is publicly available on the provider website, and the effective dates will be reflected in the [Clinical Criteria Web Posting August 2019](#). Visit [Clinical Criteria](#) to search for specific policies.

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