Balversa (erdafitinib)

Override(s)	Approval Duration
Prior Authorization	1 year
Quantity Limit	·

Medications	Quantity Limit
Balversa (erdafitinib)	May be subject to quantity limit

APPROVAL CRITERIA

Requests for Balversa (erdafitinib) may be approved if the following criteria are met:

- I. Individual has a diagnosis of locally advanced or metastatic urothelial cancer and the following are met (Label, NCCN 2A):
 - A. Individual has confirmed disease susceptible to FGFR3 genetic alterations; **AND** B. Individual is using in one of the following ways:
 - 1. Individual has progressed during or following at least one line of prior platinum-containing chemotherapy including within 12 months of neoadjuvant or adjuvant platinum-containing chemotherapy; **OR**
 - 2. As subsequent-line systemic therapy if individual has progressed on a checkpoint inhibitor and platinum-based therapy (Label, NCCN 2A); **OR**
 - 3. As subsequent-line systemic therapy if individual has progressed on first-line platinum-containing chemotherapy followed by avelumab maintenance therapy (NCCN 2A);

AND

Individual is using as a single agent.

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Federal and state laws or requirements, contract language, and Plan utilization management programs or polices may take precedence over the application of this clinical criteria.

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