Brukinsa (zanubrutinib)

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

Medications	Quantity Limit
Brukinsa (zanubrutinib)	May be subject to quantity limit

APPROVAL CRITERIA

Requests for Brukinsa (zanubrutinib) may be approved if the following criteria are met:

- I. Individual is 18 years of age or older; AND
- II. Individual has no prior BTK inhibitor usage; AND
- III. Individual has an ECOG score of 0-2; AND
- IV. Individual has a diagnosis of mantle cell lymphoma (MCL); AND
- V. Individual has received at least one prior therapy;

OR

- VI. Individual is 18 years of age or older; AND
- VII. Individual has no prior BTK inhibitor usage; AND
- VIII. Individual has an ECOG score of 0-2; AND
- IX. Individual has a diagnosis of Waldenström's Macroglobulinemia;

OR

- X. Individual is 18 years of age or older; AND
- XI. Individual has a diagnosis of relapsed or refractory marginal zone lymphoma (including Splenic Marginal Zone Lymphoma, Nongastric and Gastric MALT Lymphoma, and Nodal Marginal Zone Lymphoma) (Label, NCCN 2A); **AND**
- XII. Individual has no prior BTK inhibitor usage; AND
- XIII. Individual has an ECOG score of 0-2; AND
- XIV. Individual has prior treatment with at least one CD-20 directed regimen;

OR

- XV. Individual is 18 years of age or older (Label, NCCN 1, 2A); AND
- XVI. Individual has no prior BTK inhibitor usage; AND
- XVII. Individual is using as a single agent; AND
- XVIII. Individual has an ECOG score of 0-2; AND
- XIX. Individual has a diagnosis of one of the following:
 - A. Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia/Small Lymphocytic Lymphoma (CLL/SLL); OR
 - B. CLL/SLL with 17p deletion.

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