Pyrukynd (mitapivat)

Override(s)	Approval Duration
Prior Authorization	Initial approval duration: 6 months
Quantity Limit	Maintenance therapy requests: 6 months

Medications	Quantity Limit
Pyrukynd (mitapivat) 5mg, 20mg, 50mg tablets	May be subject to quantity limit
Pyrukynd (mitapivat) Taper Packs	

APPROVAL CRITERIA

Initial requests for Pyrukynd (mitapivat) may be approved if the following criteria are met:

- I. Individual is 18 years of age or older; **AND**
- II. Individual has a diagnosis of hemolytic anemia due to pyruvate kinase (PK) deficiency;
- III. Documentation is provided that diagnosis of pyruvate kinase deficiency is confirmed by one (A or B) of the following:
 - A. Low levels of red blood cells (RBC) PK enzymatic activity; OR
 - B. At least two (2) mutations of the pyruvate kinase liver and red blood cell (PKLR) gene known or expected to impair PK activity, one (1) of which is a missense mutation;

AND

- IV. Documentation is provided for one of the following (A or B):
 - A. Hemoglobin (HGB) 10 g/dL or below (NCT03548220); OR
 - B. Six (6) or more RBC transfusions for hemolytic anemia due to PKD in the last fifty-two (52) weeks prior to initiation of Pyrukynd (mitapivat) (NCT03559699).

Continuation requests for Pyrukynd (mitapivat) may be approved if the following criteria are met:

- Documentation is provided that individual has experienced an increase in hemoglobin (HGB) of at least 1.5 g/dL from baseline; OR
- II. Documentation is provided that individual has decreased RBC transfusion episodes from baseline.

Requests for Pyrukynd (mitapivat) may not be approved for the following:

- I. Individual with moderate or severe hepatic impairment; **OR**
- II. Individual is currently using strong CYP3A4 inhibitors or inducers.

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