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Gateway Health
Prior Authorization Criteria

Xiidra (lifitegrast ophthalmic solution)

All requests for Xiidra (lifitegrast ophthalmic solution) require a prior authorization and will be screened for medical necessity and appropriateness using the criteria listed below.

Xiidra (lifitegrast ophthalmic solution) Prior Authorization Criteria:

Members with historical pharmacy claims data meeting the following criteria will receive automatic authorization at the pharmacy point of service without the requirement for documentation of additional information. If pharmacy claims data cannot obtain the criteria below, documentation will be required to indicate the member meets the criteria. Claims will automatically adjudicate on-line, without a requirement to submit for prior authorization when the following criteria is met:

- Member is 17 years of age or older.
- Member must have a history of trial and failure, contraindication, or intolerance to at least one 30-day trial using ocular lubricants/artificial tears within the past 45 days.
- **Initial Duration of Approval:** 12 months
- **Reauthorization criteria**
 - Must provide chart documentation demonstrating clinical benefit and tolerance to Xiidra
 - Members with historical pharmacy claims data meeting the following criteria will receive automatic reauthorization at the pharmacy point of service without the requirement for documentation of additional information. If pharmacy claims data cannot obtain the criteria below, documentation will be required to indicate the member meets the reauthorization criteria below. Claims will automatically adjudicate on-line, without a requirement to submit for reauthorization when the following criteria is met:
 - Documentation the member has been on Xiidra within the last 45 days
- **Reauthorization Duration of approval:** 12 months

Coverage may be provided for any non-FDA labeled indication if it is determined that the use is a medically accepted indication supported by nationally recognized pharmacy compendia or peer-reviewed medical literature for treatment of the diagnosis(es) for which it is prescribed. These requests will be reviewed on a case by case basis to determine medical necessity.

When criteria are not met, the request will be forwarded to a Medical Director for review. The physician reviewer must override criteria when, in their professional judgment, the requested medication is medically necessary.



**XIIDRA (lifitegrast)
PRIOR AUTHORIZATION FORM**

Please complete and fax all requested information below including any progress notes, laboratory test results, or chart documentation as applicable to Gateway HealthSM Pharmacy Services. **FAX:** (888) 245-2049
If needed, you may call to speak to a Pharmacy Services Representative.
PHONE: (800) 392-1147 Monday through Friday 8:30am to 5:00pm

PROVIDER INFORMATION

Requesting Provider:	NPI:
Provider Specialty:	Office Contact:
Office Address:	Office Phone:
	Office Fax:

MEMBER INFORMATION

Member Name:	DOB:
Gateway ID:	Member weight: _____ pounds or _____ kg

REQUESTED DRUG INFORMATION

Medication:	Strength:
Frequency:	Duration:
Is the member currently receiving requested medication? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Date Medication Initiated:	

Billing Information

This medication will be billed: at a pharmacy **OR**
 medically (if medically please provide a JCODE: _____)

Place of Service: Hospital Provider's office Member's home Other

Place of Service Information

Name:	NPI:
Address:	Phone:

CURRENT or PREVIOUS THERAPY

Medication Name	Strength/ Frequency	Dates of Therapy	Status (Discontinued & Why/Current)

REAUTHORIZATION

Has the member experienced a significant improvement with treatment? Yes No
Please describe:

SUPPORTING INFORMATION or CLINICAL RATIONALE

Prescribing Provider Signature

Date

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