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OHCA 2024-13

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RE: Prior Authorization of Aligopa® - Effective July 1, 2024

Dear Provider,

As authorized by OAC 317:30-5-77-2, effective July 1, 2024, the Oklahoma Health Care Authority (OHCA) will require a prior authorization (PA) for Aliqopa® (copanlisib).

SoonerCare members currently on therapy with Aliqopa will be approved for continuation of therapy. Aliqopa is available through either the pharmacy or medical benefit.

To avoid a disruption in therapy, the agency recommends submitting a PA request for members who started on Aliqopa therapy after June 1, 2024, as we may be unable to verify current therapy due to a lag in medical claims. Dates of previous doses must be listed on the PA form if a member has already received therapy.

The specific PA requirements for Aliqopa outlined below can be found on the <u>OHCA</u> <u>website</u> in the "Oncologic Therapies" therapeutic category. A PA form is required for all claim types. The Aliqopa-specific PA form, PHARM-162, is located on the OHCA website at <u>oklahoma.gov/ohca/rxforms</u>.

The Aligopa (Copanlisib) approval criteria for members is as follows:

- A diagnosis of relapsed/refractory Follicular Lymphoma (FL).
- Two or more failed prior systemic therapies.
- Members who are new to treatment with Aliqopa will generally not be approved.

All medication PA requests must be submitted to the Pharmacy Prior Authorization Unit at the fax number located at the bottom of the PA form. Do <u>not</u> submit the requests to the Medical Authorization Unit or online via the provider portal.

For SoonerSelect members, please use the SoonerSelect health plan's prior authorization process in which the member is enrolled or contact the specific health plan's provider support line. If you have questions for members with traditional







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SoonerCare benefits, please contact the SoonerCare Pharmacy Prior Authorization Unit at 800-522-0114, option 4.

Thank you for your continued service to Oklahoma's SoonerCare and SoonerSelect members.

Sincerely,

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State Medicaid Director



