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RE: Brand Required Coverage Changes Effective Immediately

The following changes take effect immediately. Complete prior authorization (PA) criteria can be found on the OHCA website at www.oklahoma.gov/ohca/pa. The Brand Required List can be found on the OHCA website at www.oklahoma.gov/ohca/rx. Pharmacy PA forms can be found on the OHCA website at www.oklahoma.gov/ohca/rxforms.

Jentadueto® (linagliptin/metformin) is brand preferred and will remain in Tier-2 of the Anti-Diabetic Medications tier chart. Members currently utilizing generic linagliptin/metformin will need to use brand Jentadueto®. The specific PA requirements and tier chart for the Anti-Diabetic Medications can be found on the OHCA website in the "Diabetes/Endocrine" therapeutic category.

Amitiza® (lubiprostone) is brand preferred and will continue to require a PA. Members currently utilizing generic lubiprostone will need to switch to brand Amitiza®. The specific PA requirement for Amitiza® can be found on the OHCA website in the "Gastrointestinal" therapeutic category.

Keveyis® (dichlorphenamide) is brand preferred and will continue to require a PA. Members currently utilizing generic dichlorphenamide will need to use brand Keveyis®.

Ravicti® (glycerol phenylbutyrate) is brand preferred and will continue to require a PA. Members currently utilizing generic glycerol phenylbutyrate will need to use brand Ravicti®.

The specific PA requirements for Keveyis® and Ravicti® can be found on the OHCA website in the "Metabolic Disorders" therapeutic category.

Rytary® (carbidopa/levodopa) is brand preferred and will continue to require a PA. Members currently utilizing generic carbidopa/levodopa will need to use brand Rytary®. The specific PA requirements for Rytary® can be found on the OHCA website in the "Central Nervous System/Behavioral Health" therapeutic category.

Premarin® tablets (conjugated estrogens) are brand preferred. Members currently utilizing generic conjugated estrogens will need to use brand Premarin®. Brand Premarin® does not require a PA.

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