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Drug Use Review Board

Meeting Minutes

Date of Meeting: Thursday, January 27, 2022

Name of Organization: The State of Nevada, Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Health Care Financing and Policy

(DHCFP), Drug Use Review Board

Agenda Item	Record			Notes	
1. Call to Order and Roll Call	It was announced the meeting is being reco		The DHCFP Staff Present		
			were as follows:		
	Chairwoman Wheeler called the meeting to	order at 1:	06 p.m. on	Woodrum, Homa, Senior	
	January 27, 2022.			Deputy Attorney General	
				Capurro, Antonina, Deputy	
	Chairwoman Wheeler took the roll.	Administrator			
				Olsen, David, Social Services	
		Present	Absent	Chief III	
	Jennifer Wheeler, Pharm.D., Chair	\boxtimes		Gudino, Antonio, Social	
	Netochi Adeolokun, Pharm.D., Vice Chair	\boxtimes		Services Program Specialist	
	· · ·			(SSPS) III	
	Mark Canty, MD	\boxtimes		Berntson, Kindra, SSPS II	
	Crystal Castaneda, MD		\boxtimes	Alegria, Veronica, SSPS I Evins, Jaime, Supervisor	
	Jessica Cate, Pharm.D. □ ⊠				
	Dave England, Pharm.D.	\boxtimes		Managed Care Contracts	

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	Brian Le, DO	\boxtimes	Flowers, Ellen, Program
	Michael Owens, MD	\boxtimes	Officer I
	Rebecca Sparks, PA-C	\boxtimes	Managed Care Organization
	Jim Tran, Pharm.D.	\boxtimes	representatives present
			were as follows:
	A quorum was present.		Eletreby, Iman, Pharm.D.,
			Anthem Blue Cross
			Bitton, Ryan, Pharm.D.,
			Health Plan of Nevada Tran, Jimmy, Pharm.D.,
			Molina Healthcare
			Beranek, Tom, RPh,
			SilverSummit Health Plan
			Gainwell Technologies Staff
			Present were as follows:
			Leid, Jovanna, Pharm.D.
			OptumRx Staff Present
			were as follows:
			LeCheminant, Jill, Pharm.D.
			Piccirilli, Annette
			Kiriakopoulos, Amanda,
			Pharm.D.
			The public attendee list is
			included as attachment A.
			Note: Participants may not
			have chosen to reveal their
			identity, and in the absence
			of a sign-in sheet, the

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		attendee list's accuracy is
		not assured.
2. General Public Comment	Telephonic and web comment was called for, and the phone lines were opened.	
	Comment was provided by Mr. John Phoenix, an APRN from the Huntridge Family Clinic, regarding the lack of representation of the nursing profession in the Board. He commented that he would like to update the regulation to permit advanced practice providers and nursing providers to join the Board. Chairwoman Wheeler notified Mr. Phoenix that the first physician assistant was added to the	
	Board, Rebecca Sparks. Comment was provided by Dr. Dana McSherry from Vanda	
	Pharmaceuticals and noted that a written public comment was submitted. The submission was regarding the criteria for Hetlioz. Chairwoman Wheeler noted that written public comment was received.	
	Comment was provided by Dr. Jonathan McKinnon regarding casimersen. He noted he supports criteria to use in ambulatory and non-ambulatory children with Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy. He stated that exon skipping therapy could slow disease progression and assist with other functions that do not relate to ambulation.	
	Comment was provided by Dr. Charlie Lovan with Abbvie Pharmaceuticals stating that he was available for questions should they arise.	
3. Administrative		
a. <u>For Possible Action</u> : Review and Approve Meeting Minutes from	No corrections were offered. Roard Member Canty moved to approve the minutes as presented.	
October 26, 2021	Board Member Canty moved to approve the minutes as presented, and Board Member Adeolokun seconded the motion.	

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	A vote was taken, the results were as follow attendance (in favor, against, and abstention			
	Jennifer Wheeler, Pharm.D., Chair	\boxtimes		
	Netochi Adeolokun, Pharm.D., Vice Chair	\boxtimes		
	Mark Canty, MD	\boxtimes		
	Dave England, Pharm.D.	\boxtimes		
	Brian Le, DO	\boxtimes		
	Michael Owens, MD	\boxtimes		
	Rebecca Sparks, PA-C	\boxtimes		
	Jim Tran, Pharm.D.	\boxtimes		
b. Status Update by DHCFP	Chief David Olsen announced DHCFP is work pharmacists as a new provider type. On January Nevada State Board of Pharmacy approved a regulation of Senate Bill 190. The Board of Pharmacy approved a regulation of Senate Bill 190. The Board of Pharmacy approved a protocol for prescribing and ordering related dispensing HIV treatment medications, PEP reviewed in March 2022. Due to required appropriate on the pharmacy benefit man is the earliest expected date for implementing type. Chief Olsen reported Magellan Medicaid Add the new PBM beginning July 1, 2022. After the facilitate the Drug Use Review Board Meeting Chief Olsen stated that a public meeting work 28, 2022, at 1:00 p.m. to discuss public insurthe DHCFP website for public notice details.			

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	Mr. Antonio Gudino welcomed new Board Member Rebecca	
	Sparks, PA-C. Rebecca works as a certified physician assistant in a	
	local Community Health Center, where she provides medical care	
	to the underinsured and underserved populations. She also	
	provides services at a local acute care clinic.	
	DHCFP has scheduled a public workshop on February 7, 2022, to	
	discuss a proposed state plan amendment to enroll into the	
	National Medicaid Pooling Initiative (NMPI) for supplemental	
	rebate agreements. The NMPI is a multi-state Medicaid	
	pharmaceutical purchasing pool that allows Nevada Medicaid to	
	consolidate purchasing power to negotiate a lower price for	
	prescription drugs. There are twelve states taking part in NMPI. The	
	DHCFP website was referenced for additional public notice	
	information regarding the workshop.	
4. Clinical Presentations		
a. For Possible Action: Discussion		
and possible adoption of prior		
authorization criteria and/or		
quantity limits for CGRP		
Products		
i. <u>Public comment</u> on	Telephonic and web comment was called for, and the phone lines	
proposed clinical prior	were opened.	
authorization criteria.		
	No public comment was provided.	
	No written comment was received.	
ii. Presentation of utilization	Dr. Jill LeCheminant reviewed the new agent Qulipta and discussed	
and clinical information.	the consolidation of criteria. She discussed the efficacy of Qulipta	
	and migraine-free days. She noted that the proposed criteria would	
	be categorized by diagnosis.	
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	Dr. Iman Eletreby agreed with the proposed criteria.	

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	Dr. Ryan Bitton agreed with the proposed cr increase in utilization. Mr. Tom Beranek agreed with the proposed				
iii. Discussion by Board and review of utilization data.	Chairwoman Wheeler asked for comments f Members. No comments were made.				
iv. Proposed adoption of updated prior authorization criteria.	Board Member England motioned to approx presented. Board Member Canty seconded the motion. A vote was held:				
		Yes	No —	Abst.	
	Jennifer Wheeler, Pharm.D., Chair	\boxtimes			
	Netochi Adeolokun, Pharm.D., Vice Chair	\boxtimes			
	Mark Canty, MD	\boxtimes			
	Dave England, Pharm.D.				
	Brian Le, DO	\boxtimes			
	Michael Owens, MD	\boxtimes			
	Rebecca Sparks, PA-C				
b. For Possible Action : Discussion	Jim Tran, Pharm.D.	\boxtimes			
and possible adoption of prior					
authorization criteria and/or					
quantity limits for Cystic					
Fibrosis Agents					

Telephonic and web comment was called for, and the phone lines were opened. Comment was provided by Ms. Lisa Allen with Vertex Pharmaceuticals. She provided clinical information regarding the four available Cystic fibrosis transmembrane conductance regulator (CFTR) modulators. She noted the label updates and expansions to the available agents. Ms. Allen provided post-marketing data and warnings. She asked the Board to continue to provide access to the four CFTR agents based on indication and age. No written comment was received. Dr. LeCheminant presented information regarding an age update to Trikafta. She noted the previous use was for 12 years of age and older, and the new age is now six years of age and older she requested the PA criteria be updated from specific age restrictions to age based on appropriate labeling to ensure timeliness for patient use. She provided updates to mutations in CFTR genes that are responsive to Trikafta. Utilization data is relatively steady, with a slight increase in Trikafta. Dr. Eletreby agreed with the proposed criteria and noted that Trikafta is the dominant agent with relatively low utilization. Dr. Bitton agreed with the proposed criteria and noted similar Trikafta utilization. Mr. Beranek agreed with the proposed criteria. He noted utilization of the class products. Chairwoman Wheeler asked for comments from the Board Members.	Agenda Item	Record	Notes
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No comments were made.	•	Members.	

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iv. Proposed adoption of updated prior authorization criteria.	Board Member Le moved to approve the cri Board Member Owens seconded the motion A vote was held:				
		Yes	No	Abst.	
	Jennifer Wheeler, Pharm.D., Chair	\boxtimes			
	Netochi Adeolokun, Pharm.D., Vice Chair	\boxtimes			
	Mark Canty, MD	\boxtimes			
	Dave England, Pharm.D.	\boxtimes			
	Brian Le, DO	\boxtimes			
	Michael Owens, MD	\boxtimes			
	Rebecca Sparks, PA-C	\boxtimes			
	Jim Tran, Pharm.D.	X			
c. <u>For Possible Action</u> : Discussion and possible adoption of prior					
authorization criteria and/or					
quantity limits for Topical					
Immunomodulators.					
i. <u>Public comment</u> on	Telephonic and web comment was called fo	r, and t	he pho	ne lines	
proposed clinical prior authorization criteria.	were opened.				
authorization criteria.	No written comment was received.				
	No public comment was offered.				
ii. Presentation of utilization	Dr. LeCheminant discussed Opzelura topical use in atopic				
and clinical information.	dermatitis. She noted efficacy in clinical trials for mild to moderate				
	atopic dermatitis patients.				
	Dr. Eletreby agreed with the proposed criter	ria and	noted h	nigh	
	utilization of Tacrolimus.				

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	Dr. Bitton agreed with the proposed criteria wording "topical prescription therapies" be clarification. Mr. Beranek agreed with proposed criteria. If of Tacrolimus and Eucrisa.				
iii. Discussion by Board and	Chairwoman Wheeler asked for comments f	rom th	e Board	d	
review of utilization data.	Members.				
	The Board discussed options to clarify the w	ording	of the	criteria.	
iv. Proposed adoption of	Board Member England moved to accept the				
updated prior authorization criteria.	the phrase "topical prescription therapies" c topical prescription therapies."	hanged	d to "ot	her	
S. Itema.	topical presentation the apresi				
	Board Member Adeolokun seconded the mo	tion.			
	A vote was held:				
		Yes	No	Abst.	
	Jennifer Wheeler, Pharm.D., Chair	\boxtimes			
	Netochi Adeolokun, Pharm.D., Vice Chair	\boxtimes			
	Mark Canty, MD	\boxtimes			
	Dave England, Pharm.D.	\boxtimes			
	Brian Le, DO	\boxtimes			
	Michael Owens, MD	\boxtimes			
	Rebecca Sparks, PA-C				
d. For Possible Action: Discussion	Jim Tran, Pharm.D.	X			
and possible adoption of prior					
authorization criteria and/or					
quantity limits for Cabenuva.					

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i. <u>Public comment</u> on	Telephonic and web comment was called for, and the phone lines	
proposed clinical prior	were opened.	
authorization criteria.		
	Comment was provided by Dr. Kaitlyn Nguyen from ViiV Healthcare	
	regarding Cabenuva. She discussed the public health challenges of	
	HIV and the national goal of reducing new HIV infections by as	
	much as 90% by 2030. Dr. Nguyen noted the challenges of oral	
	antiretroviral regimens. The advantages of injectable therapy were presented, and the importance of open access to Cabenuva.	
	presented, and the importance of open access to cabendya.	
	Comment was provided by Mr. John Phoenix regarding Cabenuva	
	and the effective strategy of injectable treatment for patients that	
	struggle with adherence and pill fatigue. Mr. Phoenix requests that	
	Cabenuva be available without any prior authorization restrictions.	
	He notes the importance of quick access to Cabenuva.	
	Written comment was received regarding Cabenuva.	
ii. Presentation of utilization	Dr. LeCheminant discussed the drug Cabenuva, including the	
and clinical information.	mechanism of action, indication, administration, and clinical trial	
	demonstrating efficacy. Dr. LeCheminant reviewed the proposed	
	criteria presented in the binder and discussed the utilization of the	
	Cabenuva.	
	Du Clatuaky, agreed with the prepared oritoria and reported law.	
	Dr. Eletreby agreed with the proposed criteria and reported low but increasing utilization for Cabenuva.	
	but increasing utilization for Cabelluva.	
	Dr. Bitton agreed with the proposed criteria and noted low	
	utilization for Cabenuva.	
	Mr. Beranek agreed with the proposed criteria and discussed	
	utilization of the different strengths for Cabenuva.	
iii. Discussion by Board and	Chairwoman Wheeler asked for comments from the Board	
review of utilization data.	Members.	

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	Board Member Le and Chairwoman Wheeler operation process to meet the requirement of that the patient would benefit from long-act LeCheminant explained attestation would be request for prior authorization. For requests provided, outreach attempts would be made from the provider.				
	Board Member Le recommends removing th requirement from the criteria. Chairwoman Member Adeolokun voice agreement as the unnecessary burden on providers.				
	Board Member Canty asks if criteria for othe provider attestation. Chairwoman Wheeler of				
	criteria with an attestation requirement. Dr.	LeCher	minant		
	is becoming less common to add attestation			1.1 .1	
iv. Proposed adoption of	Board Member Le moved to approve the pro	•			
updated prior authorization criteria.	removal that the provider attests the patient long-acting injectable therapy over standard				
Citteria.	long-acting injectable therapy over standard	Orarre	giiiiciis).	
	Board Member Tran seconded the motion.				
	A vote was held:				
		Yes	No	Abst.	
	Jennifer Wheeler, Pharm.D., Chair				
	Netochi Adeolokun, Pharm.D., Vice Chair				
	Mark Canty, MD				
	Dave England, Pharm.D.	\boxtimes			
	Brian Le, DO	\boxtimes			
	Michael Owens, MD	\boxtimes			

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	Rebecca Sparks, PA-C	\boxtimes			
	Jim Tran, Pharm.D.	\boxtimes			
e. <u>For Possible Action</u> : Discussion and possible adoption of prior					
authorization criteria and/or					
quantity limits for Targeted					
i. Public comment on	Telephonic and web comment was called for	or and t	ho nho	no linos	
proposed clinical prior	were opened.	Ji, aliu t	ne pno	ille illies	
authorization criteria.	were opened.				
	Comment was provided by Dr. David Yurick	from B	ristol M	1yers	
	Squibb regarding Orencia. He discussed a n				
	Orencia of prophylaxis of acute graft-versu				
	requested Orencia remain a first-line thera	py in the	e drug d	class.	
	No written comment was received.				
ii. Presentation of utilization	Dr. LeCheminant discussed a new product		_		
and clinical information.	immunomodulator class, Zeposia, the mecl				
	indication, administration, and clinical trial		_	-	
	Dr. LeCheminant reviewed the proposed cr binder and discussed the utilization of the				
	billider and discussed the diffization of the	Tiedicati	10113 111	tile tiass.	
	Dr. Eletreby agreed with the proposed crite utilization is for Humira.	eria and	reporte	ed most	
	utilization is for Flurillia.				
	Dr. Bitton agreed with the proposed criteri	a and re	ported	high	
	utilization for Humira.				
	Mr. Beranek disagreed with the proposed o	ritoria a	nd		
	recommended the addition of a document			> 6. He	
	reported high utilization for Humira.	ca iviaye	, 50010	_ 0. 110	
iii. Discussion by Board and	Chairwoman Wheeler asked for comments	from th	e Board	d	
review of utilization data.	Members.				

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	No comments were made.				
iv. Proposed adoption of	Board Member England moved to approve the criteria as				
updated prior authorization	presented.				
criteria.					
	Board Member Adeolokun seconded the mo	otion.			
	A vote was held:				
		Yes	No	Abst.	
	Jennifer Wheeler, Pharm.D., Chair	\boxtimes			
	Netochi Adeolokun, Pharm.D., Vice Chair	\boxtimes			
	Mark Canty, MD	\boxtimes			
	Dave England, Pharm.D.	\boxtimes			
	Brian Le, DO	\boxtimes			
	Michael Owens, MD	\boxtimes			
	Rebecca Sparks, PA-C	\boxtimes			
	Jim Tran, Pharm.D.	\boxtimes			
f. For Possible Action: Discussion					
and possible adoption of prior					
authorization criteria and/or					
quantity limits for Respiratory					
Monoclonal Antibody Agents i. Public comment on	Telephonic and web comment was called fo	r and t	he nho	ne lines	
proposed clinical prior	were opened.	i, and t	iic piio	ric iirics	
authorization criteria.	The second secon				
	Comment was provided by Dr. Ben Droese from Amgen Medical				
	Affairs regarding Tezspire. He discussed clini				
	Tezspire's novel approach to treat severe as				
	commented on clinical trials demonstrating Tezspire be added as a preferred option	еттісас	y. He re	equested	
	rezspire be added as a preferred option				

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	Comment was provided by Dr. Michele Puyear, with Genentech,	
	regarding Xolair. She requested criteria be updated to reflect the	
	new indication of nasal polyps. She noted dosing and clinical	
	efficacy in nasal polyps.	
	Written comment was received regarding Valair	
ii. Presentation of utilization	Written comment was received regarding Xolair. Dr. LeCheminant discussed the new indication of Dupixent for	
and clinical information.	treatment of moderate to severe asthma in patients ≥ 6 years of	
and chinear information.	age. Dr. LeCheminant reviewed the proposed criteria presented in	
	the binder and discussed the utilization of the medications in the	
	class.	
	Dr. Eletreby agreed with the proposed criteria and highlighted the	
	utilization of Dupixent and Xolair.	
	Dr. Bitton agreed with the proposed criteria and highlighted the	
	high utilization of Dupixent. Xolair utilization via medical is higher	
	than all other agents.	
	Mr. Beranek agreed with the proposed criteria and highlighted the	
	utilization of Dupixent and Xolair.	
iii. Discussion by Board and	Chairwoman Wheeler asked for comments from the Board	
review of utilization data.	Members.	
	No comments were made.	
iv. Proposed adoption of	Board Member Le moved to approve the criteria as presented.	
updated prior authorization		
criteria.	Board Member Owens seconded the motion.	
	A viete vies hold.	
	A vote was held:	
	Yes No Abst.	
	Jennifer Wheeler, Pharm.D., Chair	

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	Netochi Adeolokun, Pharm.D., Vice Chair	\boxtimes			
	Mark Canty, MD	\boxtimes			
	Dave England, Pharm.D.	\boxtimes			
	Brian Le, DO	\boxtimes			
	Michael Owens, MD	\boxtimes			
	Rebecca Sparks, PA-C	\boxtimes			
	Jim Tran, Pharm.D.	\boxtimes			
g. For Possible Action: Discussion					
and possible adoption of prior					
authorization criteria and/or					
quantity limits for Neuropathic					
Pain and Fibromyalgia Agents. i. Public comment on	Telephonic and web comment was called for	r and	+	no linos	
proposed clinical prior	Telephonic and web comment was called fo were opened.	r, and	the pho	ne iines	
authorization criteria.	were opened.	were opened.			
authorization circonal	No public comment was provided.				
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	No written comment was received				
ii. Presentation of utilization	Dr. LeCheminant discussed Qutenza's use fo		•	•	
and clinical information.	neuropathy. Dr. LeCheminant reviewed the				
	presented in the binder and discussed the u	tilizati	on of th	e	
	medications in the class.				
	Dr. Eletreby agreed with the proposed criter	ria and	highligl	nted the	
	utilization of Dupixent and Xolair.	ia arra		ited the	
	Dr. Bitton agreed with the proposed criteria				
	additional step therapy for the amendment				
	LeCheminant agreed with the addition of ste	ep the	rapy to 1	the	
	criteria.				

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	Mr. Beranek agreed with the proposed crite				
	updates, and provided that no utilization for	this pr	oduct v	was	
6:	noted.				
iii. Discussion by Board and review of utilization data.	Chairwoman Wheeler asked for comments from the Board Members.				
review of atmization data.	Weitibers.				
	Board Member Canty discussed removing tr	icyclic a	antidep	ressants	
	from the criteria as they are not often used	or reco	mmend	ded for	
	neuropathic pain.				
	Dr. LeCheminant clarified the motion that PA	∧ critar	ia woul	d ha	
	updated to include the addition of a trial and				
	lidocaine patch and a trial of either gabapen		•		
	duloxetine.				
iv. Proposed adoption of	Board Member England moved to approve t		•		
updated prior authorization criteria.	with removing the requirement that the me- prescribed by a Neurologist or Pain Specialis		n must	be	
Criteria.	prescribed by a Neurologist of Fair Specialis	ι.			
	Board Member Le seconded the motion.				
	A vote was held:				
		Yes	No	Abst.	
	Jennifer Wheeler, Pharm.D., Chair	\boxtimes			
	Netochi Adeolokun, Pharm.D., Vice Chair	\boxtimes			
	Mark Canty, MD	\boxtimes			
	Dave England, Pharm.D.	\boxtimes			
	Brian Le, DO	\boxtimes			
	Michael Owens, MD	\boxtimes			
	Rebecca Sparks, PA-C	\boxtimes			
	Jim Tran, Pharm.D.	\boxtimes			

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h. For Possible Action: Discussion and possible adoption of prior authorization criteria and/or quantity limits for Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy.		
i. Public comment on proposed clinical prior authorization criteria.	Telephonic and web comment was called for, and the phone lines were opened. Public comment was provided by Dr. Tracy Copeland from Sarepta regarding Amondys 45. She provided clinical indication, the rationale for accelerated approval, and clinical trials demonstrating efficacy. Public comment was provided by Dr. Kathryn Lanza, a Medical Science Liaison from NS Pharma, regarding Viltepso. She provided clinical indication, the rationale for accelerated approval, and noted that most patients are treated for symptom management. Dr. Lanza discussed the mechanism of action, safety, efficacy, and tolerability. She noted that complete product information could be found at Viltepso.com. No written comment was received.	
ii. Presentation of utilization and clinical information.	Dr. LeCheminant provided clinical information for Amondys 45. She noted clinical trial information, accelerated approval, dosing, and administration. Dr. LeCheminant reviewed the proposed criteria presented in the binder and discussed the utilization of the medications in the class. Dr. Eletreby agreed with the proposed criteria and noted no utilization.	

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	Dr. Bitton agreed with the proposed criteria	and hi	ghlighte	ed a small	
	amount of Exondys use.				
	Mr. Beranek disagreed with the proposed cri recommended criteria be added regarding in			nonco	
	despite adherent use of an oral corticosteroi			•	
	for member assessment. He noted no utiliza				
iii. Discussion by Board and	Chairwoman Wheeler asked for comments for				
review of utilization data.	Members.				
: Drangered adoption of	No comments were made.			لمعمما	
 i. Proposed adoption of updated prior authorization 	Board Member Tran moved to approve the o	riteria	as pres	entea.	
criteria.	Board Member Adeolokun seconded the mo	tion.			
	A vote was held:				
		Yes	No	Abst.	
	Jennifer Wheeler, Pharm.D., Chair	\boxtimes			
	Netochi Adeolokun, Pharm.D., Vice Chair	\boxtimes			
	Mark Canty, MD	\boxtimes			
	Dave England, Pharm.D.	\boxtimes			
	Brian Le, DO	\boxtimes			
	Michael Owens, MD	\boxtimes			
	Rebecca Sparks, PA-C	\boxtimes			
	Jim Tran, Pharm.D.	\boxtimes			
5. DUR Board Requested Reports					
a. For Possible Action: Opioid					
utilization – top prescriber and members.					
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i. Presentation of opioid		
criteria		
ii. Discussion by the Board and	Dr. Lecheminant presented the opioid utilization report.	
review of utilization data.	She summarized the opioid 12-month trend. Dr. Lecheminant	
	discussed the patient diagnoses of the top utilizers. She noted a	
	change in the top three prescribers and that the top prescriber is	
	the same hospitalist that was the top prescriber from the last	
	report in October.	
	Do Flatosho and and add at the standard and identified a	
	Dr. Eletreby presented opioid utilization trends and identified a steady morphine equivalent dosing (MED) level over time. She	
	discussed the top providers and top utilizers.	
	discussed the top providers and top utilizers.	
	Dr. Bitton presented opioid utilization trends. He noted a slight	
	downward trend in opioid scripts and discussed the top prescribers,	
	top members, and how the two lists correlate.	
	Mr. Beranek presented opioid utilization trends highlighting a	
	decrease in utilization. He noted little change in the top ten	
	prescribers and discussed member diagnosis for the top ten	
	utilizers.	
iii. Requests for further	Board Member Le asked if a cancer diagnosis could be excluded	
evaluation of proposed	from the report for evaluation. Dr. LeCheminant noted that this	
clinical criteria to be	might not be possible based on the diagnosis information provided	
presented at a later date.	for claims. She stated that she would attempt to review for top	
	members. Dr. LeCheminant inquired if palliative care should also be	
	excluded. Chairwoman Wheeler confirmed from future opioid	
C Standard DUD Danasta	reporting.	
6. Standard DUR Reports		
 a. Review of Prescribing/ Program Trends. 		
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i. Top 10 Therapeutic Classes	Dr. LeCheminant presented the top classes with similar results over	
for Q3 2021 (by Payment and	the quarter, with hemostatic agents on the top by spend amount	
by Claims).	and anticonvulsants in the top by claim count.	
	Dr. Eletreby presented the top classes and highlighted viral	
	vaccines as the top class by claim count.	
	Dr. Bitton presented the top classes and identified viral vaccines as	
	the top class by claim count.	
	the top class by claim count.	
	Mr. Beranek presented the top drug classes and identified viral	
	vaccines as the top class by claim count.	
b. Concurrent Drug Utilization		
Review (CDUR).		
i. Review of Q3 2021.	Dr. LeCheminant highlighted the prospective DUR reports and the	
ii. Review of Top Encounters by	interventions.	
Problem Type.		
	Dr. Eletreby discussed the prospective DUR and the interventions.	
	Dr. Bitton pointed out the prospective DUR report and the	
	interventions.	
	interventions.	
	Mr. Beranek pointed out the prospective DUR report and the	
	interventions.	
c. Retrospective Drug Utilization		
Review (RetroDUR).		
i. Status of previous quarter.	Dr. LeCheminant discussed the retrospective DUR initiatives during	
ii. Status of current quarter.	the last quarter with members concurrently using an opioid,	
iii. Review and discussion of	antipsychotic, and benzodiazepine	
responses.	Dr. Eletroby highlighted the retrospective DLIP programs including	
	Dr. Eletreby highlighted the retrospective DUR programs, including asthma and diabetic monitoring.	
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	Dr. Bitton discussed retrospective DUR initiatives and results,	
	highlighting the gap in care initiatives.	
	Mr. Beranek discussed the retrospective DUR program highlighting	
	outreach to providers regarding dangerous three drug	
	combinations, respiratory overuse, MME benchmark, diabetic	
	underuse, and antiepileptic adherence. He noted overall response	
	rates.	
7. Centers for Medicare and Medicaid		
Services (CMS) Annual Drug		
Utilization Review Surveys		
a. Fee-for-Service Annual DUR	Dr. LeCheminant discussed member demographics, RetroDUR	
Survey presented by OptumRx.	initiatives, generic and brand claims, and the top therapeutic	
	classes.	
b. Anthem Blue Cross Blue Shield	Dr. Eletreby summarized RetroDUR initiatives and controlled	
Healthcare Solutions Annual	substance utilization management.	
DUR Survey presentation.		
c. Health Plan of Nevada Annual	Dr. Bitton discussed the CDUR expansion program and RetroDUR	
DUR Survey presentation.	highlights.	
d. Silver Summit Health Plan	Mr. Beranek noted the top 10 prior authorizations. He provided an	
Annual DUR Survey	overview of RetroDUR outreach and generic drug utilization.	
presentation.		
8. Closing Discussion a. Public Comment.	Telephonic and web comment was called for, and the phone lines	
a. Fublic Collinelle.	were opened.	
	were opened.	
	Comment was provided by Dr. Kaitlin Nguyen from ViiV Healthcare	
	regarding the proposed Cabenuva criteria. She highlighted that	
	Cabenuva does not require a minimum duration of suppression and	
	could be a treatment switch option regardless of how long they	
	were treatment suppressed. She requested the removal of a	
	minimum duration requirement from the criteria.	

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b. For Possible Action: Date and	Chairwoman Wheeler stated the next meeting is scheduled for	
location of the next meeting.	April 28, 2022.	
c. Adjournment.	The meeting adjourned at 3:23 p.m.	

Attachment A – Members of the Public in Attendance

Allen, Lisa, VRTX	Duke, Michelle	McKinnon, Dr. Jonathan
Ashton, Elisa, JNJ	Dzwilewski, Georgette, Indivior	McSherry, Dana, MWE
Berry, Kenneth, Alkermes	Germain, Joe, Biogen	Morgan, Suzanne, NS Pharma
Booth, Robert, Abbvie	Goddard, John, GSK	Nelson, Ann, Vertex
Bouluanne-Larsen, Carla	Gonzales, Becky, ViiV	Nguyen, Kaitlin, ViiV
Canavan, Eric, Sarepta	Hawkins, Tina, Magellan	Nguyen, Bao, JNJ
Oliver, Carmen, Biohaven	Heinen, Gina, Novo Nordisk	Odebiyi, Olawemimo, Teva
Case, Lea, Belzcase	Henry, Lawrence, Fidelis Rx	Ou, Karen, Gilead
Colabianchi, Jeana, Sunovion	Hertzberg, Susan, Gene	Pearce, Robert, Teva
Cooper, Christa, Lily	Jensen, Kathryne, Artia	Perkins, Carol, Magellan
Cooper, Emily, NS Pharma	Johnson, Tory	Phoenix, John, Huntridge
Copeland, Tracey, Sarepta	Kerr, Camille, Regeneron	Puyear, Michele, Genentech
Cowan, Sarah	Lanza, Kathryn, NS Pharma	Quon, Warren
Crecco, Jason	Leroue, Chelsea, Biohaven	Ritter, Jean, Zealand
Donahue, Cheryl	Lovan, Charlie, AbbVie	Robinson, Lovell, AbbVie
Droese, Ben, Amgen	Maynard, Kelly	Rochelle, Yang, Teva

Roy, Melissa, Otsuka Santarone, Christopher, BMS Shear, Jennifer, Teva Sommers, Melissa, Novartis Stout, Melissa, Chiesi Sullivan, Mike, Amagen Tackes, Pierron
Ward, Samantha, Amagen
White, Rianna, Fidelis Rx
Yamashita, Kelvin
Yang, Rochelle, Teva
Yurick, David, BMS

Zarob, Michael, Alkermes

Attendees with no last name available:

Craig

Attachment B – Submitted Written Comment

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