

**Drug Utilization Review Board Meeting  
Agenda, Open Session January 19, 2022  
10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.**

**Meeting Location\***

**\*Due to COVID-19, this meeting will be held virtually. Please use the information below to join the meeting:**

Computer Audio Enabled Zoom Meeting: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83394124132>

**Required Passcode: 431619** Audio Dial in: (312) 626-6799 Meeting ID: 833 9412 4132

**Members of the public are required to complete a conflict-of-interest form if they intend to provide public comments to the Board. To assist the operator in coordinating public comment, completed forms are due 1 week prior to the meeting (January 12, 2022). Please email the completed form to [Annette.Grant@ks.gov](mailto:Annette.Grant@ks.gov).**

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Mark DeMary, PharmD, **Aetna Better Health of Kansas**  
Angie Yoo, PharmD, **Sunflower State Health Plan**  
Kelly Flannigan, PharmD, **UnitedHealthcare Community Plan**

**I. CALL TO ORDER**

**A. Announcements**

This meeting will be operator-assisted. An opportunity for public comment was given at the top of the agenda.

**II. OLD BUSINESS**

**A. Review and Approval of October 20, 2021 Meeting Minutes**

### III. NEW BUSINESS

#### A. Revised Prior Authorization (PA) Criteria

##### 1. Adult Rheumatoid Arthritis Agents

This revision includes the addition of Avsola<sup>®</sup>, Ruxience<sup>®</sup>, and Truxima<sup>®</sup> to the list of agents requiring prior authorization. This revision also includes additional criteria for the use of JAK inhibitors.

- i. Revised PA Criteria
- ii. \*Public Comment
- iii. Board Discussion

##### 2. Asthma Agents

This revision includes an update to the indicated age groups and dosing information for Dupixent<sup>®</sup> and the addition of Tezspire<sup>™</sup> to the list of agents requiring prior authorization.

- i. Revised PA Criteria
- ii. \*Public Comment
- iii. Board Discussion

##### 3. Atopic Dermatitis Agents

This revision includes the addition of Opzelura<sup>™</sup> and Adbry<sup>™</sup> to the list of agents requiring prior authorization and updates to initial and renewal criteria.

- i. Revised PA Criteria
- ii. \*Public Comment
- iii. Board Discussion

##### 4. Enzyme Replacement Agents

This revision includes the migration of Lumizyme<sup>®</sup> and Nexviazyme<sup>®</sup> to the list of agents requiring prior authorization.

- i. Revised PA Criteria
- ii. \*Public Comment
- iii. Board Discussion

##### 5. Hepatitis C Agents

This revision includes updates to the indicated age groups and dosing information and the addition of new formulations of Epclusa<sup>®</sup> and Mavyret<sup>®</sup>.

- i. Revised PA Criteria
- ii. \*Public Comment
- iii. Board Discussion

##### 6. Oncology Agents

This revision includes the addition and/or removal of several drugs to the list of agents requiring prior authorization.

- i. Revised PA Criteria
- ii. \*Public Comment
- iii. Board Discussion

##### 7. Oncology - Auxiliary Treatment Agents

This revision includes the addition and/or removal of several drugs to the list of agents requiring prior authorization.

- i. Revised PA Criteria
- ii. \*Public Comment
- iii. Board Discussion

## **8. Opioid Products Indicated for Pain Management**

This revision includes the addition of Seglentis® to the list of agents requiring prior authorization.

- i. Revised PA Criteria
- ii. \*Public Comment
- iii. Board Discussion

## **B. New Prior Authorization (PA) Criteria**

### **1. Systemic Lupus Erythematosus Agents**

This revision consolidates the existing criteria for Benlysta® and new criteria for Saphnelo™.

- i. Prior Authorization Criteria
- ii. \*Public Comment
- iii. Board Discussion

## **C. Tentative Agenda Items (MHMAC and PDL Meeting Agenda Items)**

### **1. MHMAC Meeting (January 18, 2022)**

#### **a. ADHD Medications – Safe Use for All Ages**

-Clarification of PDMP requirements.

- i. Prior Authorization Criteria
- ii. \*Public Comment
- iii. Board Discussion

#### **b. Antipsychotic Medications – Safe Use for All Ages**

-Revisit the diagnosis requirement. Revisit management of current drugs with new indications.

- i. Prior Authorization Criteria
- ii. \*Public Comment
- iii. Board Discussion

### **2. PDL Meeting (January 18, 2022) New PDL Classes**

#### **a. Dry Eye Disease: Cequa™, Restasis®, Tyrvaya™, Xiidra™**

- i. Public Comment
- ii. Board Discussion

#### **b. Immunomodulation Agents- Atopic Dermatitis: Adbry™, Dupixent®**

- i. Public Comment
- ii. Board Discussion

## **IV. ADJOURN**

**The next DUR Board meeting is scheduled for April 20, 2022.**

\*Public comment is limited to five minutes per product; additional time will be allowed at the DUR Board's discretion. Informal comments will be accepted from members of the audience at various points in the agenda.

**\*\*THIS AGENDA IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE\*\***