

## **PRIOR AUTHORIZATION POLICY**

**POLICY:** Immunosuppressive Agents – Rezurock Prior Authorization Policy

• Rezurock<sup>™</sup> (belumosudil tablets – Kadmon Pharmaceutics)

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#### **O**VERVIEW

Rezurock, a kinase inhibitor, is indicated for the treatment of patients  $\geq$  12 years of age with **chronic graft-versus-host disease** (GVHD) after failure of at least two prior lines of systemic therapy.<sup>1</sup>

## Guidelines

The National Comprehensive Cancer Network (NCCN) Hematopoietic Cell Transplantation (version 3.2021 – July 26, 2021) guidelines recommend Rezurock for chronic GVHD as additional therapy in conjunction with systemic corticosteroids following failure (steroid-refractory disease) to ≥ two prior lines of systemic therapy.<sup>2,3</sup>

#### POLICY STATEMENT

Prior Authorization is recommended for prescription benefit coverage of Rezurock. All approvals are provided for the duration noted below.

Automation: None.

#### RECOMMENDED AUTHORIZATION CRITERIA

Coverage of Rezurock is recommended in those who meet the following criteria:

## **FDA-Approved Indications**

- 1. **Graft-Versus-Host Disease.** Approve for 1 year if the patient meets the following criteria (A, B, and C):
  - A) Patient is  $\geq 12$  years of age; AND
  - B) Patient has chronic graft-versus-host disease; AND
  - C) Patient has tried at least two conventional systemic treatments for chronic graft-versus-host disease. Note: Examples of systemic therapy may include methylprednisolone, Imbruvica® (ibrutinib capsules and tablets), cyclosporine, tacrolimus, sirolimus, mycophenolate mofetil, imatinib.

#### CONDITIONS NOT RECOMMENDED FOR APPROVAL

Coverage of Rezurock is not recommended in the following situations:

1. Coverage is not recommended for circumstances not listed in the Recommended Authorization Criteria. Criteria will be updated as new published data are available.

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## REFERENCES

- 1. Rezurock tablets [prescribing information]. Warrendale, PA: Kadmon Pharmaceuticals; July 2021.
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- 3. The NCCN Hematopoietic Cell Transplantation Clinical Practice Guidelines in Oncology (version 3.2021 July 26, 2021). © 2021 National Comprehensive Cancer Network. Available at: <a href="http://www.nccn.org">http://www.nccn.org</a>. Accessed July 28, 2021.

## **HISTORY**

Type of Revision	Summary of Changes	Review Date
New Policy		08/11/2021