



PRIOR AUTHORIZATION CHECKLIST

The checklist below is a useful resource for ensuring the most common clinical criteria are met when submitting a prior authorization for your patient:

Diagnosis of Primary Periodic Paralysis (PPP)

Type of PPP:

Hyperkalemic

Hypokalemic

Paramyotonia Congenita

Related Variant: _____

ICD-10 Codes: **G72.3** (Periodic Paralysis) or **G71.19** (Other specified myotonic disorders)

Documentation of PPP attacks:

- o Frequency
- o Severity
- o Duration

Documentation of relevant clinical assessment(s), family history of PPP, or other relevant labs

Documentation of all medications that the patient has been on to treat their diagnosis including response or reason for discontinuation. (Some plans may require step therapy)

Confirmation that the patient does not have:

- o Hepatic insufficiency
- o Severe pulmonary obstruction
- o A hypersensitivity or allergy to sulfonamides
- o Concurrent use of high-dose aspirin

Documentation that lifestyle modifications have been reviewed and implemented by the patient to alleviate potential triggers (i.e. dietary restrictions, exercise restrictions)

Documentation of any PPP-related hospitalizations

Strongbridge Case Managers are available to:



Perform benefits verification and provide information on co-pay and financial assistance programs



Research specific prior authorization requirements for each plan and provide guidance on this process

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Mon-Fri 8:00 AM - 7:00 PM EST



Committed to Supporting Your Patients!

One-on-One Support



- A dedicated case manager is assigned to every patient
- Patient access managers are available to work directly with patients and healthcare providers to overcome common barriers to therapy
- Patients receive routine calls from a licensed pharmacist, which focus on progress and goals of therapy and disease management

Access Assistance



- Support in understanding insurance coverage
- Information on a \$0 co-pay program and other financial assistance
- Access to a patient assistance program for patients without insurance coverage
- Convenient, free specialty pharmacy services
 - Home delivery of prescriptions and refills
 - 24/7 support

Patient Education



- Information about Primary Periodic Paralysis
- Information about a treatment option

Community Connection



- Links to events sponsored by advocacy organizations
- Online patient communities

Genetic Testing



- *Uncovering Periodic Paralysis*: No-cost Periodic Paralysis gene panel testing program
 - Visit www.UncoveringPeriodicParalysis.com for more information

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