

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

Xeris CareConnection™ is 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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Support services

- A dedicated case manager is assigned to every patient
- Patient Access Managers are available to work directly with healthcare providers and patients to overcome common barriers to therapy
- Patients receive routine calls from a licensed pharmacist who focuses on their progress and treatment goals



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 as well as live and virtual programs

For more information, please call the
Xeris CareConnection™ team at **1-844-538-3947**
