

FEP Prior Approval Program

Medications that require Prior Approval or quantity limitation overrides

Aciphex Actiq Ambien Amerge **Amphetamines** Adderall

Amphetamine Salt Combo

Desoxyn Dexadrine

Dextroamphetamine

DextroStat

Methamphetamine

Vyvanse

Anorexiants

Adipex-P **Bontril**

Didrex

Diethylpropion

Ionamin

Melfiat

Phendimetrazine

Phentermine

Phentermin Resin

Pro-Fast

Tenuate

Aranesp Aricept Atgam Atralin Avastin **Avita** Avonex Axert **Betaseron**

Botox Celebrex Ceprotin Cognex Copaxone

Copegus **Dalmane** Differin **Dovonex Epogen Exelon**

Exjade Fentora

Frova

Growth Hormones (Child/Adult)

Genotropin

Geref Humatrope

Norditropin Nutropin

Omnitrope

Saizen

Tev-Tropin Halcion

Hepatitis B therapy

Intron-A **Pegasys**

PEG Intron

Hepatitis C therapy

Pegylated Interferon

Ribavirin

IGIM

Baygam

Gamastan S/D

Imitrex

Immune Globulin products

Carimune Flebogamma Gamimune

Gammagard S/D

Gammar P.I.V.

Gamunex

Iveegam Octagam

Panglobulin

Polygam S/D

Venoalobulin-S

Vivaglobulin

Increlex / iPlex Interferon products

> Actimmune Alferon-N

Infergen

Intron-A

Roferon

Kepivance Lamisil Leukine Lunesta

Lysosomal Storage Enzymes

Aldurazyme Cerezyme Elaprase Fabrazyme

Myozyme

Maxalt

Mobic Myobloc Naglazyme Namenda Neulasta

Neupogen Nexium Orencia Prevacid

Prevacid NapraPAC

Prevpac **Prilosec Procrit Prosom Protonix Provigil Pulmozyme** Razadyne Rebetol

Rebetron Rebif Relenza Relpax

Renova (0.05%)

Restoril Retin-A Revatio Serostim

Smoking Cessation

Chantix

Nicotine Inhaler

Nicotine NS

Nicotine Patch

Zyban

Soliris Sonata **Sporanox** Stadol Tamiflu **Tazorac** Tretin-X **Treximet** Tysabri Xolair Zegerid Zolinza

Zomig

Zyvox

Please note this list Is subject to change



FEP Prior Approval Program

- Prior Approval is part of the Blue Cross and Blue Shield Service Benefit Plan's Patient Safety and Quality Monitoring Program. The PA program is designed to:
 - Verify the clinical appropriateness of drug therapy prior to initiation of therapy
 - Ensure the safe and appropriate utilization of medications
 - Allow members, who have met certain criteria, access to medications that would typically not be covered under the plan
- Authorizations are granted when predetermined clinical criteria are met. The criteria are created and reviewed by Caremark clinical staff, external medical consultants, the FEP Director's Office and FEP's own independent Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee
- The PA process is coordinated between CVS Caremark and the mail service provider on behalf of the member. Prior approval information is transmitted between the organizations and CVS Caremark contacts the prescribing physician via fax with a PA request form. Upon receipt of the information from the physician, CVS Caremark transmits the PA outcome to the mail service provider
- Physician education and physician/patient dialogue are also components of the program

