

Federal Employee Program.

#### **ANABOLIC STEROIDS**

Anadrol-50 (oxymetholone), Oxandrin (oxandrolone)

### **Pre - PA Allowance**

None

# **Prior-Approval Requirements**

#### Diagnosis

#### Anadrol only:

Patient must have the following:

1. Anemia due to deficient red-cell production (e.g., acquired aplastic anemia, congenital aplastic anemia, myelofibrosis, or the hypoplastic anemias due to the administration of myelotoxic drugs

#### Oxandrin only:

Patient must have **ONE** of the following:

- 1. Promote weight gain after weight loss due to chronic infections, extensive surgery, or severe trauma
  - a. Used as adjunctive therapy
- 2. To offset the protein catabolism associated with prolonged administration of corticosteroids
- 3. Bone pain accompanying osteoporosis

AND the following for ALL drugs:

1. Prescriber agrees to monitor for peliosis hepatitis, liver cell tumors, and blood lipid changes

## **Prior - Approval Limits**

**Duration** 6 months

## Prior – Approval Renewal Requirements

Same as above

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