

This document applies to the following:

Formulary	Applies
Standard Control (SF)	☐
Standard Control Choice (SCCF)	☐
Preferred Drug Plan Design (PDPD)	☐
Advanced Control Specialty (ACSF)	☐
Advanced Control Specialty Choice (ACSCF)	☐
Managed Medicaid Template (MMT)	☒
Marketplace (MF)	☒
Aetna Small Group Affordable Care Act (SG ACA)	☒
Aetna Health Exchange (AHE)	☒
Value (VF)	☐

Formulary	Applies
New to Market (NTM)	☐
Standard Formulary Chart (SFC)	☐
Basic Control Chart Preferred Drug Plan Design (BCC PDPD)	☐
Advanced Control Specialty Formulary Chart (ACSFC)	☐
Value Formulary Chart (VFC)	☐
Medical Benefit	☐
Medical Benefit: Advanced Biosimilars First	☐
Combined Benefit Management (CBM)	☐
Combined Benefit Management Pharmacy (CBMP)	☐
Medical Benefit Managed Medicaid (MMMB)	☐

Exceptions Criteria

Inhaled Tobramycin

This document informs prescribers of preferred products and provides an exception process for targeted products through prior authorization.

These criteria were developed to align with the following: Managed Medicaid Template (MMT), Marketplace (MF), and Aetna Small Group Affordable Care Act (SG ACA) Aetna Health Exchange (AHE).

Plan Design Summary

This program applies to the inhaled tobramycin products specified in this document. Coverage for targeted products is provided based on clinical circumstances that would exclude the use of the preferred product and may be based on previous use of a product. The coverage review process will ascertain situations where a clinical exception can be made. This program applies to all members requesting treatment with a targeted product.

Each referral is reviewed based on all utilization management (UM) programs implemented for the client.

Table. Inhaled Tobramycin Products

Medications considered formulary or preferred on your plan may still require a clinical prior authorization review.

Reference number(s)
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	Product(s)
Preferred	tobramycin inhalation solution (generic)
Target	- Bethkis (tobramycin inhalation solution) - Kitabis Pak (tobramycin inhalation solution) - TOBI (tobramycin inhalation solution) - TOBI Podhaler (tobramycin inhalation powder)

Exception Criteria

This program applies to members requesting treatment for an indication that is FDA-approved for the preferred product.

Coverage for a targeted product is provided when the member has experienced a documented intolerable adverse event with the preferred product generic tobramycin inhalation solution, and the adverse event was not an expected adverse event attributed to the active ingredient as described in the prescribing information.

References

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