

# Initial Prior Authorization Continuity of Care District of Columbia, New Jersey

## Coverage Criteria

Authorization may be granted for the requested drug when All of the following criteria are met:

- The patient is new to the plan within the last 60 days
- The patient has been receiving the requested drug within the last 120 days
- The requested drug has been received through a paid pharmacy or medical benefit And approved for coverage previously by a prior plan. [Note: Approval can be considered for a different strength of the previously approved drug. Approval can be considered for a generic drug if the previous approval was for the brand drug. However, approval will not be considered for a brand drug if the previous approval was for the generic drug.]

## Duration of Approval (DOA)

- 6463-A: DOA: 60 days

## References

1. District of Columbia B 124. January 2024.
2. New Jersey A 1255. January 2024.