

ALISKIREN AND COMBINATIONS PA SUMMARY

NON-PREFERRED	Amturnide, Tekamlo, Tekturna, Tekturna HCT, Valturna
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NOTE: All agents are non-preferred and require prior authorization.

LENGTH OF AUTHORIZATION: 1 Year

PA CRITERIA:

For Tekturna or Tekturna HCT

- ❖ Submit documentation that the member has tried an ARB or an ARB/diuretic and failed to reach the desired clinical endpoints.

AND

- ❖ Member must have tried and failed at least one other antihypertensive medication (diuretic, beta blocker, or calcium channel blocker) and failed to reach the desired clinical endpoints.

AND

- ❖ If the medication will be used in combination with an ACE inhibitor or ARB, member must not have diabetes.

For Amturnide or Tekamlo

- ❖ Member must have received Tekturna or Tekturna HCT as a separate prescription product and is being transitioned to combination therapy.

AND

- ❖ If the medication will be used in combination with an ACE inhibitor or ARB, member must not have diabetes.

For Valturna

- ❖ Submit documentation that the member has tried an ARB or an ARB/diuretic and failed to reach the desired clinical endpoints.

AND

- ❖ Member must have tried and failed at least one other antihypertensive medication (diuretic, beta blocker, or calcium channel blocker) and failed to reach the desired clinical endpoints.

AND

- ❖ Member must not have diabetes.

EXCEPTIONS:

- ❖ Exceptions to these conditions of coverage are considered through the prior authorization process.
- ❖ The Prior Authorization process may be initiated by calling **SXC Health Solutions at 1-866-525-5827**.

PA and Appeal Process:

- ❖ For online access to the PA process please go to www.mmis.georgia.gov/portal, highlight the pharmacy link on the top right side of the page, and click on “prior approval process”.

Quantity Level Limitations:

- ❖ For online access to the current Quantity Level Limits please go to www.mmis.georgia.gov/portal, highlight Provider Information and click on Provider Manuals. Scroll to the page with Pharmacy Services Part II and select that manual.