



**GEORGIA MEDICAID FEE-FOR-SERVICE
DUCHENNE AGENTS PA SUMMARY**

Preferred	Non-Preferred
n/a	Agamree (vamorolone) Duvyzat (givinostat) Emflaza (deflazacort)

LENGTH OF AUTHORIZATION: Initial: 6 months, Reauthorization: 1 year

PA CRITERIA:

Agamree and Emflaza

- ❖ Approvable for members 2 years of age or older with a diagnosis of Duchenne muscular dystrophy (DMD) confirmed by genetic testing or muscle biopsy who have experienced an inadequate response, allergy, contraindication, drug-drug interaction or intolerable side effect with prednisone *AND*
- ❖ In addition for Agamree, member must have experienced an inadequate response, allergy, contraindication, drug-drug interaction or intolerable side effect with Emflaza *AND*
- ❖ Must be prescribed by or in consultation with a physician who specializes in Duchenne muscular dystrophy.

Duvyzat

- ❖ Approvable for members 6 to 17 years of age with a diagnosis of Duchenne muscular dystrophy (DMD) confirmed by genetic testing or muscle biopsy who are ambulatory without needing an assistive device (e.g., without side-by-side assist, cane, walker, wheelchair, etc.), who are on a stable dosage of corticosteroid therapy and who have a platelet count of $150 \times 10^9/L$ or higher *AND*
- ❖ Members must not have received or will not receive genetic or other disease-modifying therapy for DMD *AND*
- ❖ Must be prescribed by or in consultation with a physician who specializes in Duchenne muscular dystrophy

EXCEPTIONS:

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

PREFERRED DRUG LIST:

- For online access to the Preferred Drug List (PDL), please go to <http://dch.georgia.gov/preferred-drug-lists>.

PA and APPEAL PROCESS:

- For online access to the PA process, please go to



www.dch.georgia.gov/prior-authorization-process-and-criteria and click on Prior Authorization (PA) Request Process Guide.

QUANTITY LEVEL LIMITATIONS:

- For online access to the current Quantity Level Limits (QLL), please go to www.mmis.georgia.gov/portal, highlight Pharmacy and click on [Other Documents](#), then select the most recent quarters QLL List.