

# GEORGIA MEDICAID FEE-FOR-SERVICE OPHTHALMIC ANTIBIOTIC-STEROID COMBINATIONS PA SUMMARY

Preferred	Non-Preferred
Neomycin/polymyxin B/dexamethasone generic Sulfacetamide/prednisolone solution generic Tobramycin 0.3%/dexamethasone 0.1% generic Zylet (0.5% loteprednol/0.3% tobramycin suspension)	Neomycin/polymyxin B/bacitracin/hydrocortisone generic Neomycin/polymyxin B/hydrocortisone generic TobraDex ST (tobramycin 0.3% /dexamethasone 0.05%)

## **LENGTH OF AUTHORIZATION:** 1 month

#### PA CRITERIA:

# Neomycin/Polymyxin B/Bacitracin/Hydrocortisone Generic

❖ Approvable for members who have experienced ineffectiveness, allergies, contraindications, drug-drug interactions or intolerable side effects to at least 2 preferred products.

# Neomycin/Polymyxin B/Hydrocortisone Generic

❖ Approvable for members who have experienced ineffectiveness with at least 2 preferred products, one of which must be neomycin/polymyxin B/dexamethasone, or who have experienced allergies, contraindications, drugdrug interactions or intolerable side effects to dexamethasone and at least one other preferred product.

# TobraDex ST

❖ Prescriber must submit a written letter of medical necessity stating the reasons the preferred products, tobramycin 0.3%/dexamethasone 0.1% and at least one other preferred product, are not appropriate for the member.

#### **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 <a href="http://dch.georgia.gov/preferred-drug-lists">http://dch.georgia.gov/preferred-drug-lists</a>.

### **PA and APPEAL PROCESS:**



For online access to the PA process, please go to <a href="www.dch.georgia.gov/prior-authorization-process-and-criteria">www.dch.georgia.gov/prior-authorization-process-and-criteria</a> 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 <a href="www.mmis.georgia.gov/portal">www.mmis.georgia.gov/portal</a>, highlight Provider Information and click on Provider Manuals. Scroll to the page with Pharmacy Services and select that manual.