Clinical Policy: Selinexor (Xpovio)
Reference Number: CP.PHAR.431
Effective Date: 07.16.19
Last Review Date: 08.20
Line of Business: Commercial, HIM, Medicaid

See Important Reminder at the end of this policy for important regulatory and legal information.

Description
Selinexor (Xpovio®) is a nuclear export inhibitor (XPO1 inhibitor).

FDA Approved Indication(s)
Xpovio is indicated:
- In combination with dexamethasone for the treatment of adult patients with relapsed or refractory multiple myeloma (MM) who have received at least four prior therapies and whose disease is refractory to at least two proteasome inhibitors, at least two immunomodulatory agents, and an anti-CD38 monoclonal antibody.
- For the treatment of adult patients with relapsed or refractory diffuse large B-cell lymphoma (DLBCL), not otherwise specified (NOS), including DLBCL arising from follicular lymphoma, after at least 2 lines of systemic therapy.

These indications are approved under accelerated approval based on response rate. Continued approval for these indications may be contingent upon verification and description of clinical benefit in a confirmatory trial.

Policy/Criteria
Provider must submit documentation (such as office chart notes, lab results or other clinical information) supporting that member has met all approval criteria.

It is the policy of health plans affiliated with Centene Corporation® that Xpovio is medically necessary when the following criteria are met:

I. Initial Approval Criteria
   A. Multiple Myeloma (must meet all):
      1. Diagnosis of MM;
      2. Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist or hematologist;
      3. Age ≥ 18 years;
      4. Disease is relapsed or refractory;
      5. Member has received ≥ 4 prior therapies (see Appendix B) including all of the following (a, b, and c):
         a. Two proteasome inhibitors (e.g., bortezomib, Kyprolis®, Ninlaro®);*
         b. Two immunomodulatory agents (e.g., Revlimid®, pomalidomide, Thalomid®)*
         c. One anti-CD38 monoclonal antibody (e.g., Darzalex®)*
         *Prior authorization may be required
      6. Request meets one of the following (a or b):*
a. Dose does not exceed 160 mg (8 tablets) per week;  
b. Dose is supported by practice guidelines or peer-reviewed literature for the relevant off-label use (*prescriber must submit supporting evidence*).  
*Prescribed regimen must be FDA-approved or recommended by NCCN

**Approval duration:**  
**Medicaid/HIM** – 6 months  
**Commercial** – Length of Benefit

**B. Diffuse Large B-Cell Lymphoma** (must meet all):  
1. Diagnosis of DLBCL, NOS, including DLBCL arising from follicular lymphoma;  
2. Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist or hematologist;  
3. Age ≥ 18 years;  
4. Disease is relapsed or refractory;  
5. Member has received ≥ 2 prior therapies* for relapsed or refractory disease (see **Appendix B**);  
   *Prior authorization may be required  
6. Request meets one of the following (a or b):*  
   a. Dose does not exceed 60 mg (3 tablets) twice weekly;  
   b. Dose is supported by practice guidelines or peer-reviewed literature for the relevant off-label use (*prescriber must submit supporting evidence*).  
*Prescribed regimen must be FDA-approved or recommended by NCCN.

**Approval duration:**  
**Medicaid/HIM** – 6 months  
**Commercial** – Length of Benefit

**C. Other diagnoses/indications**  
1. Refer to the off-label use policy for the relevant line of business if diagnosis is NOT specifically listed under section III (Diagnoses/Indications for which coverage is NOT authorized): CP.CPA.09 for commercial, HIM.PHAR.21 for health insurance marketplace, and CP.PMN.53 for Medicaid

**II. Continued Therapy**  
**A. All Indications in Section I** (must meet all):  
1. Currently receiving medication via Centene benefit, or documentation supports that member is currently receiving Xpovio for a covered indication and has received this medication for at least 30 days;  
2. Member is responding positively to therapy;  
3. If request is for a dose increase, request meets one of the following (a or b):*  
   a. For MM: New dose does not exceed 160 mg (8 tablets) per week;  
   b. For DLBCL: New dose does not exceed 60 mg (3 tablets) twice weekly;  
   c. New dose is supported by practice guidelines or peer-reviewed literature for the relevant off-label use (*prescriber must submit supporting evidence*).  
*Prescribed regimen must be FDA-approved or recommended by NCCN

**Approval duration:**  
**Medicaid/HIM** – 12 months  
**Commercial** – Length of Benefit
B. Other diagnoses/indications (must meet 1 or 2):
   1. Currently receiving medication via health plan benefit and documentation supports positive response to therapy. 
      Approval duration: Duration of request or 6 months (whichever is less); or
   2. Refer to the off-label use policy for the relevant line of business if diagnosis is NOT specifically listed under section III (Diagnoses/Indications for which coverage is NOT authorized): CP.CPA.09 for commercial, HIM.PHAR.21 for health insurance marketplace and CP.PMN.53 for Medicaid.

III. Diagnoses/Indications for which coverage is NOT authorized:
   A. Non-FDA approved indications, which are not addressed in this policy, unless there is sufficient documentation of efficacy and safety according to the off label use policies – CP.CPA.09 for commercial, HIM.PHAR.21 for health insurance marketplace, and CP.PMN.53 for Medicaid or evidence of coverage documents

IV. Appendices/General Information

   Appendix A: Abbreviation/Acronym Key
   DLBCL: diffuse large B-cell lymphoma  NCCN: National Comprehensive Cancer Network
   FDA: Food and Drug Administration  NOS: not otherwise specified
   MM: multiple myeloma

   Appendix B: Therapeutic Alternatives
   This table provides a listing of preferred alternative therapy recommended in the approval criteria. The drugs listed here may not be a formulary agent for all relevant lines of business and may require prior authorization.

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<td>bortezomib / Revlimid (lenalidomide) or pomalidomide or Thalomid (thalidomide) / dexamethasone</td>
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<td><strong>DLBCL NOS: second-line/subsequent regimens (examples - NCCN)</strong></td>
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<td>GemOx (gemcitabine, oxaliplatin) ± rituximab</td>
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<td>Polatuzumab vedotin ± rituximab ± bendamustine</td>
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<td>DHAP (dexamethasone, cisplatin, cytarabine) ± rituximab</td>
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<td>Yescarta® (axicabtagene ciloleucel)</td>
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Kymriah® (tisagenlecleucel) | Varies | Varies

Therapeutic alternatives are listed as Brand name® (generic) when the drug is available by brand name only and generic (Brand name®) when the drug is available by both brand and generic.

Appendix C: Contraindications/Boxed Warnings
None reported

V. Dosage and Administration

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<td>DLBCL</td>
<td>60 mg PO on Days 1 and 3 of each week</td>
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VI. Product Availability
Tablet: 20 mg

VII. References

Reviews, Revisions, and Approvals

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