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**CRITERIA FOR PRIOR AUTHORIZATION**

Tuberculosis Treatments

<b>PROVIDER GROUP</b>	Pharmacy
<b>MANUAL GUIDELINES</b>	<p>The following drug requires prior authorization:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Aminosalicylate Sodium</li> <li>Aminosalicylic Acid (Paser Granules®)</li> <li>Bedaquiline (Sirturo®)</li> <li>Capreomycin (Capstat®)</li> <li>Cycloserine (Seromycin®)</li> <li>Ethambutol (Myambutol®)</li> <li>Ethionamide (Trecator®)</li> <li>Isoniazid (Niazid®, Nydrazid®)</li> <li>Isoniazid/Pyridoxine (Niazid-B6®)</li> <li>Pyrazinamide</li> <li>Rifabutin (Mycobutin®)</li> <li>Rifampin (Rifadin®, Rimactane®)</li> <li>Rifampin/Isoniazid (Isonarif®, Rifamate®)</li> <li>Rifampin/Isoniazid/Pyrazinamide (Rifater®)</li> <li>Rifapentine (Priftin®)</li> </ul>

**CRITERIA FOR TUBERCULOSIS AGENTS** Must meet all of the following:

- Patient must not have a diagnosis of *Mycobacterium tuberculosis*
- All prescriptions written for indications other than *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* will be authorized for the length of time requested by the prescriber

**NOTE:** Medications for the treatment of TB can be obtained from the Department of Health and Environment

<b>Revision History</b>	
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July 10, 2013	Add list of all agents included in prior authorization criteria, including new agent, Sirturo
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