## Goal(s):

• Restrict use of this gene therapy to patients with the FDA-labeled indication.

## Length of Authorization:

• 1 lifetime dose

## **Requires PA:**

• Delandistrogene moxeparvovec (pharmacy and provider administered claims)

## **Covered Alternatives:**

- Current PMPDP preferred drug list per OAR 410-121-0030 at <u>www.orpdl.org</u>
- Searchable site for Oregon FFS Drug Class listed at <u>www.orpdl.org/drugs/</u>

Approval Criteria			
1.	What diagnosis is being treated?	Record ICD10 code.	
2.	Is the request for treatment of genetically- confirmed Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy?	Yes: Go to #3 Results of genetic testing are required for approval.	No: Pass to RPh. Deny; medical appropriateness. Note: Therapies are not indicated for other forms of muscular dystrophy or other diagnoses.
3.	Is the medication prescribed by a neuromuscular specialist?	<b>Yes:</b> Go to #4	<b>No:</b> Pass to RPh. Deny; medical appropriateness.
4.	Is the request for an FDA approved age (i.e., 4 years or older)?	<b>Yes:</b> Go to #5	<b>No:</b> Pass to RPh. Deny; medical appropriateness.
5.	Does the patient have deletions of exon 8 or 9?	<b>Yes:</b> Pass to RPh. Deny; medical appropriateness.	<b>No:</b> Go to #6
6.	For patients with deletions of exons 1 to 17 or exons 59 to 71, is there documentation that the provider and patient have discussed potential risks of treatment? Note: these populations were excluded from clinical studies and may have increased risk for severe immune-mediated myositis reactions.	Yes: Go to #7	<b>No:</b> Pass to RPh. Deny; medical appropriateness.

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<ul> <li>7. Has baseline testing been completed and is within normal limits?</li> <li>Recommended baseline testing includes testing for anti-AAVrh74 antibodies (by ELISA), troponin-I, platelets, and liver function tests.</li> </ul>	Yes: Go to #8 For any testing that is not within normal limits, refer to medical director for review. Liver function tests should be <3x the upper limit of normal.	<b>No:</b> Pass to RPh. Deny; medical appropriateness.		
<ol> <li>Has the patient received, or have contraindications to, all routine immunizations recommended for their age?</li> <li>Note: Routine vaccinations for patients at least 4 years of age typically include hepatitis B, hepatitis A, diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, pneumococcal conjugate, inactivated poliovirus, influenza, COVID- 19, and at least 2 doses of measles, mumps, rubella, and varicella.</li> </ol>	Yes: Go to #9 Document provider attestation of immunization history.	<b>No:</b> Pass to RPh. Deny; medical appropriateness.		
9. Is the patient able to tolerate an elevated dose of prednisone for at least 60 days and complete necessary ongoing monitoring?	Yes: Go to #10 Document provider attestation.	<b>No:</b> Pass to RPh. Deny; medical appropriateness.		
<ul> <li>10. Is there documentation that the provider and member have discussed potential risks of treatment?</li> <li>Note: Informed consent is recommended as this therapy has shown that it does not change global motor function in 2 clinical trials. It is associated with serious side effects including injury to the liver and heart and it may prevent use of any future adeno-based gene therapy.</li> </ul>	<b>Yes</b> : Go to #11	<b>No:</b> Pass to RPh. Deny; medical appropriateness.		
11. Has the patient received a prior dose of an adeno-based gene therapy?	<b>Yes:</b> Pass to RPh. Deny; medical appropriateness.	<b>No:</b> Approve single infusion (max 1 dose per lifetime)		