

Crysvita (burosumab-twza)
Effective 09/01/2025

Plan	<input type="checkbox"/> MassHealth UPPL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Commercial/Exchange	Program Type	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Prior Authorization <input type="checkbox"/> Quantity Limit <input type="checkbox"/> Step Therapy
Benefit	<input type="checkbox"/> Pharmacy Benefit <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Medical Benefit		
Specialty Limitations	N/A		
Contact Information	Medical and Specialty Medications		
	All Plans	Phone: 877-519-1908	Fax: 855-540-3693
Contact Information	Non-Specialty Medications		
	All Plans	Phone: 800-711-4555	Fax: 844-403-1029
Exceptions	N/A		

Overview

Crysvita (burosumab-twza) is a fibroblast growth factor 23 (FGF23) blocking antibody indicated for treatment of:

- X-linked hypophosphatemia (XLH) in adult and pediatric patients 6 months of age and older
- FGF23-related hypophosphatemia in tumor-induced osteomalacia (TIO) associated with phosphaturic mesenchymal tumors that cannot be curatively resected or localized in pediatric patients at least 2 years of age and adults

Coverage Guidelines

Authorization may be granted for members new to the plan within the past 90 days who are currently receiving treatment with the requested medication, excluding when the product is obtained as samples or via manufacturer's patient assistance program

OR

Authorization may be granted when all of the following diagnosis-specific criteria have been met:

X-linked hypophosphatemia

1. Documented diagnosis of X-linked hypophosphatemia supported by at least ONE of the following: :
 - a. Genetic testing
 - b. Serum fibroblast growth factor 23 level greater than 30pg/ml
2. Prescriber is an endocrinologist, nephrologist or specialist in metabolic bone disorders.
3. Documentation the member's baseline serum phosphorous level is below normal range for age
4. **For members > 18 years of age:** documentation of symptomatic disease as evidenced by at least ONE of the following:
 - a. Severe disabling skeletal pain
 - b. Impaired mobility
 - c. Recent fracture

Tumor-induced osteomalacia

1. Documentation of a mesenchymal tumor which cannot be curatively resected or localized
2. Member is 2 years of age or older
3. Prescriber is an endocrinologist, nephrologist or specialist in metabolic bone disorders
4. Documentation the member's baseline serum phosphorous level is below normal range for age
5. Documentation the member is experiencing at least ONE of the following sign or symptoms of tumor-induced osteomalacia:
 - a. Bone pain
 - b. Impaired mobility
 - c. Muscle weakness
 - d. Fatigue
6. Documentation member has had an inadequate response with or has a contraindication to therapy with oral phosphate and calcitriol.

Continuation of Therapy

Requests for reauthorization will be approved when all of the following criteria are met:

1. Prescribed by or in consultation with an endocrinologist or nephrologist
2. Documentation of an increase in baseline phosphorus levels
3. Member has had a positive response to therapy as evidenced by a reduction in skeletal pain, enhanced mobility, fracture reduction/healing, or improvement of skeletal deformities

Limitations

1. Initial approvals will be for 6 months.
2. Reauthorizations will be for 12 months.

References

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Review History

02/20/2019 – Reviewed

07/22/2020 – Reviewed and Updated July P&T Mtg; started and stabilized statement added; references updated. Effective 10/01/2020.



09/22/2021- Reviewed and Updated Sept. P&T; updated new FDA age requirement for X-linked hypophosphatemia: Added new FDA indication and criteria for osteomalacia; Updated reauthorization criteria for both indications. Effective 01/01/2022.

06/11/2025 - Reviewed and updated at June P&T. Updated language for members who are new to the Plan. Clarified documentation requirements. Effective 09/01/2025.

