

**Xdemvy (lotilaner ophthalmic solution)**  
**Effective 02/01/2024**

Plan	<input type="checkbox"/> MassHealth UPPL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Commercial/Exchange		Program Type	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Prior Authorization
Benefit	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pharmacy Benefit <input type="checkbox"/> Medical Benefit			<input type="checkbox"/> Quantity Limit <input type="checkbox"/> Step Therapy
Specialty Limitations	N/A			
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Exceptions	N/A			

### Overview

Xdemvy is indicated for the treatment of Demodex blepharitis.

### Coverage Guidelines

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

### OR

Authorization may be granted when the following criteria is met:

- Member has a diagnosis of Demodex blepharitis.
- Member exhibits ONE of the following signs of Demodex infestation:
  - Collarettes
  - Eyelid margin erythema
  - Eyelash anomalies (e.g., eyelash misdirection)
- Member is experiencing symptoms or architectural changes associated with Demodex infestation (e.g., burning, tearing, itching, foreign body sensation, eyelashes missing, eyelashes growing inward)
- Provider attestation that member has had trial and inadequate response to tea tree oil.
- The requested medication is prescribed by or in consultation with one of the following:
  - Ophthalmologist
  - Optometrist

### Limitations

- Approvals will be granted for 2 months.

### References

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### **Review History**

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