

# **PRIOR AUTHORIZATION POLICY**

**POLICY:** Oncology – Orserdu Prior Authorization Policy

Orserdu<sup>™</sup> (elacestrant tablets – Stemline/Menarini)

**REVIEW DATE:** 02/07/2024

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#### **OVERVIEW**

Orserdu, an estrogen receptor antagonist, is indicated for the treatment of estrogen receptor-positive (ER+), human epidermal growth factor receptor 2 (HER2)-negative, estrogen receptor 1 gene (ESR1)-mutated advanced or metastatic breast cancer with disease progression following at least one line of endocrine therapy in postmenopausal women or adult men.<sup>1</sup>

### **Guidelines**

National Comprehensive Cancer Network (NCCN) breast cancer guidelines (version 1.2024 – January 25, 2024) recommend Orserdu for ER+, HER2-negative, *ESR1*-mutated recurrent, unresectable or metastatic breast cancer after progression on one or two prior lines of endocrine therapy, including one line containing a cyclin-dependent kinase (CDK) 4/6 inhibitor as "Other Recommended Regimen" (category 2A).

#### **POLICY STATEMENT**

Prior Authorization is recommended for prescription benefit coverage of Orserdu. All approvals are provided for the duration noted below. In the clinical criteria, as appropriate, an asterisk (\*) is noted next to the specified gender. In this context, the

specified gender is defined as follows: a woman is defined as an individual with the biological traits of a woman, regardless of the individual's gender identity or gender expression; a man is defined as an individual with the biological traits of a man, regardless of the individual's gender identity or gender expression.

• Orserdu™ (elacestrant tablets – Stemline/Menarini) is(are) covered as medically necessary when the following criteria is(are) met for FDA-approved indication(s) or other uses with supportive evidence (if applicable):

## **FDA-Approved Indication**

- **1. Breast Cancer in Postmenopausal Women or Men\***. Approve for 1 year if the patient meets the following (A, B, C, D, E, <u>and</u> F):
  - **A)** Patient is  $\geq$  18 years of age; AND
  - **B)** Patient has recurrent or metastatic disease; AND
  - C) Patient has estrogen receptor positive (ER+) disease; AND
  - **D)** Patient has human epidermal growth factor receptor 2 (HER2)-negative disease; AND
  - **E)** Patient has estrogen receptor 1 gene (*ESR1*)-mutated disease; AND
  - **F)** Patient has tried at least one endocrine therapy.

    <u>Note</u>: Examples of endocrine therapy include fulvestrant, anastrozole, exemestane, letrozole, and tamoxifen.

#### **CONDITIONS NOT COVERED**

• Orserdu™ (elacestrant tablets – Stemline/Menarini) is(are) considered experimental, investigational or unproven for ANY other use(s); criteria will be updated as new published data are available.

#### REFERENCES

- 1. Orserdu<sup>™</sup> tablets [prescribing information]. New York, NY: Stemline Therapeutics/Menarini Group; November 2023.
- 2. Bidard FC, Kaklamani VG, Neven P, et al. Elacestrant (oral selective estrogen receptor degrader) versus standard endocrine therapy for estrogen receptor-positive, human epidermal growth factor receptor 2-negative advanced breast cancer: results from the randomized phase III EMERALD trial. *J Clin Oncol*. 2022; 40:3246-3256.
- 3. The NCCN Breast Cancer Clinical Practice Guidelines in Oncology (version 1.2024 January 25, 2024). © 2024 National Comprehensive Cancer Network. Available at: http://www.nccn.org. Accessed on February 2, 2024.

#### **HISTORY**

Type of	Summary of Changes	Review
Revision		Date

<sup>\*</sup> Refer to the Policy Statement.

New Policy		02/08/2023
Selected	<b>Breast Cancer in Postmenopausal Women or Men:</b> The criterion	02/15/2023
Revision	that the patient has tried at least one cyclin-dependent kinase (CDK) 4/6 inhibitor and note of examples of CDK4/6 inhibitors were removed.	
Annual Revision	No criteria changes.	02/07/2024

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