

UnitedHealthcare Pharmacy Clinical Pharmacy Programs

Program Number	2024 P 1294-6
Program	Prior Authorization/Notification
Medication	Inrebic® (fedratinib)
P&T Approval Date	10/2019, 10/2020, 10/2021, 10/2022, 10/2023, 10/2024
Effective Date	1/1/2025

1. Background:

Inrebic (fedratinib) is a kinase inhibitor indicated for the treatment of adult patients with intermediate-2 or high-risk primary or secondary (post-polycythemia vera or post-essential thrombocythemia) myelofibrosis (MF).

The National Cancer Comprehensive Network (NCCN) also recommends Inrebic for the treatment of myeloid/lymphoid neoplasms with eosinophilia and JAK2 rearrangement.

Coverage Information:

Members will be required to meet the criteria below for coverage. For members under the age of 19 years, the prescription will automatically process without a coverage review.

Some states mandate benefit coverage for off-label use of medications for some diagnoses or under some circumstances. Some states also mandate usage of other Compendium references. Where such mandates apply, they supersede language in the benefit document or in the notification criteria.

2. Coverage Criteria^a:

A. Patients less than 19 years of age

- 1. **Inrebic** will be approved based on the following criterion:
 - a. Patient is less than 19 years of age

Authorization will be issued for 12 months.

B. Myelofibrosis

1. **Initial Authorization**

- a. **Inrebic** will be approved based on the following diagnoses:
 - (1) Diagnosis of intermediate-2 or high-risk primary or secondary (post-polycythemia vera or post-essential thrombocythemia) myelofibrosis

Authorization will be issued for 12 months.



2. Reauthorization

- a. **Inrebic** will be approved based on the following criterion:
 - (1) Documentation that patient has evidence of symptom improvement or reduction in spleen volume while on Inrebic

Authorization will be issued for 12 months.

C. Myeloid/Lymphoid Neoplasms

1. **Initial Authorization**

- a. Inrebic will be approved based on both of the following:
 - (1) Diagnosis of lymphoid, myeloid, or mixed lineage neoplasms with eosinophilia

-AND-

(2) Patient has a JAK2 rearrangement

Authorization will be issued for 12 months.

2. Reauthorization

- a. **Inrebic** will be approved based on the following criterion:
 - (1) Patient does not show evidence of progressive disease while on **Inrebic** therapy.

Authorization will be issued for 12 months.

D. NCCN Recommended Regimens

The drug has been recognized for treatment of the cancer indication by The National Comprehensive Cancer Network (NCCN) Drugs and Biologics Compendium with a Category of Evidence and Consensus of 1, 2A, or 2B

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^a State mandates may apply. Any federal regulatory requirements and the member specific benefit plan coverage may also impact coverage criteria. Other policies and utilization management programs may apply.



3. Additional Clinical Rules:

- Notwithstanding Coverage Criteria, UnitedHealthcare may approve initial and re-authorization based solely on previous claim/medication history, diagnosis codes (ICD-10) and/or claim logic. Use of automated approval and re-approval processes varies by program and/or therapeutic class.
- Supply limits may be in place.

4. References:

- 1. Inrebic [package insert]. Summit, NJ: Celgene Corporation. July 2024.
- 2. The NCCN Drugs and Biologics Compendium (NCCN CompendiumTM). Available at https://www.nccn.org/professionals/drug compendium/content/ Accessed September 4, 2024

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Change Control	
10/2019	New program.
10/2020	Annual review. Updated background and coverage criteria to include
	NCCN recommended use in myeloid/lymphoid neoplasms. Updated
	references.
10/2021	Annual review with no change to clinical coverage criteria.
10/2022	Annual review. Updated myelofibrosis criteria to labeled indication.
	Updated references. Added state mandate footnote.
10/2023	Annual review with no change to clinical coverage criteria. Updated
	references.
10/2024	Annual review with no change to clinical coverage criteria. Updated
	references.