

UnitedHealthcare Pharmacy Clinical Pharmacy Programs

Program Number	2024 P 1251-7
Program	Prior Authorization/Notification
Medication	Jynarque® (tolvaptan)
P&T Approval Date	8/2018, 8/2019, 8/2020, 8/2021, 8/2022, 8/2023, 8/2024
Effective Date	11/1/2024

1. Background:

Jynarque is a selective vasopressin V2-receptor antagonist indicated to slow kidney function decline in adults at risk of rapidly progressing autosomal dominant polycystic kidney disease (ADPKD).

2. Coverage Criteria^a:

A. Autosomal Dominant Polycystic Kidney Disease

1. Initial Authorization

- a. **Jynarque** will be approved based on of the following criterion:
 - (1) Diagnosis of autosomal dominant polycystic kidney disease (ADPKD)

Authorization will be issued for 12 months.

2. Reauthorization

- a. **Jynarque** will be approved based on the following criterion:
 - (1) Documentation of positive clinical response to Jynarque therapy

Authorization will be issued for 12 months.

3. Additional Clinical Rules:

- Notwithstanding Coverage Criteria, UnitedHealthcare may approve initial and reauthorization 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.

^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.



4. References:

1. Jynarque [package insert]. Rockville MD: Otsuka America Pharmaceutical, Inc.; October 2020.

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Change Control		
8/2018	New program.	
8/2019	Annual review with no changes to coverage criteria.	
8/2020	Annual review with no changes to coverage criteria.	
8/2021	Annual review with no changes to coverage criteria. Updated	
	reference.	
8/2022	Annual review with no changes to coverage criteria. Added state	
	mandate footnote.	
8/2023	Annual review with no changes to coverage criteria.	
8/2024	Annual review with no changes to coverage criteria.	