

UnitedHealthcare Pharmacy  
Clinical Pharmacy Programs

Program Number	2025 P 1428-2
Program	Prior Authorization/Notification
Medication	Zilbrysq® (zilucoplan)
P&T Approval Date	1/2024, 1/2025
Effective Date	4/1/2025

**1. Background:**

Zilbrysq (zilucoplan) is a complement inhibitor indicated for the treatment of generalized myasthenia gravis (gMG) in adult patients who are antiacetylcholine receptor (AChR) antibody positive.<sup>1</sup>

**2. Coverage Criteria<sup>a</sup>:**

**A. Initial Authorization**

1. **Zilbrysq** will be approved based on **all** of the following criteria:

a. Diagnosis of generalized myasthenia gravis (gMG)

**-AND-**

b. Positive serologic test for anti-AChR antibodies

**-AND-**

c. Patient is not receiving Zilbrysq in combination with another complement inhibitor [e.g., Soliris (eculizumab), Ultomiris (ravulizumab-cwvz)] or a neonatal Fc receptor blocker [e.g., Rystiggo (rozanolixizumab-noli), Vyvgart (efgartigimod alfa-fcab), Vyvgart Hytrulo (efgartigimod alfa and hyaluronidase-qvfc)]

**Authorization will be issued for 12 months.**

**B. Reauthorization**

1. **Zilbrysq** will be approved based on **both** of the following criteria:

a. Documentation of positive clinical response to Zilbrysq therapy

**-AND-**

b. Patient is not receiving Zilbrysq in combination with another complement inhibitor [e.g., Soliris (eculizumab), Ultomiris (ravulizumab-cwvz)] or a neonatal Fc receptor blocker [e.g., Rystiggo (rozanolixizumab-noli), Vyvgart (efgartigimod alfa-fcab), Vyvgart Hytrulo (efgartigimod alfa and hyaluronidase-qvfc)]

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<sup>a</sup> 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 also be in place.

**4. References:**

1. Zilbrysq [package insert], Smyrna, GA: UCB, Inc.; April 2024.

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<b>Change Control</b>	
1/2024	New program.
1/2025	Annual review. Updated listing of examples of complement inhibitors and neonatal Fc receptor blockers without change to clinical intent. Updated reference.