

Cinqair (Reslizumab)

Drug names

1. Cinqair
2. Reslizumab

Description

Cinqair (reslizumab) reduces levels of a certain type of white blood cell that may contribute to asthma symptoms. Cinqair is used together with other medicines to help control severe asthma in adults.

It is administered by intravenous (IV) infusion.

Commercial

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- **Requires prior authorization through Magellan.** Refer to *Review Criteria*.
 - **Important:** Check policy for limits or exclusions.
 - **ER or inpatient hospital POS:** PA is not required.
 - **Providers:** Certain providers are excluded. Refer to [Magellan Rx Prior Authorization](#).
- Covered based on place of service. Quote office visit, outpatient hospital, or [Home IV Therapy](#) benefits.

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Government Programs

Refer to the table below.

Plan	Coverage
AccessAbility (SNBC), Minnesota Senior Care Plus (MSC+)	<p>Medicaid only groups:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Refer to Medicaid below. <p>Medicare eligible groups:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Covered based on place of service. Quote office visit, outpatient hospital, or Home IV Therapy benefits. Medicare is the primary payer. Follows Medicare guidelines. If no Medicare eligibility, Medicaid applies. Refer to Medicaid below.
AccessAbility Enhanced (SNBC SNP), DUAL (MSHO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A Pharmacy Clinical Guideline, <i>Cinqair (reslizumab)</i>, is on Magellan Rx Management. Requires prior authorization through Magellan. Refer to <i>Review Criteria</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Important: Check policy for limits or exclusions. ER or inpatient POS: PA is not required. Providers: Certain providers are excluded. Refer to Magellan Rx Prior Authorization. Covered based on place of service. Quote office visit, outpatient hospital, or Home IV Therapy benefits. Medica is the only payer.

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Advantage	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A Pharmacy Clinical Guideline, <i>Cinqair (reslizumab)</i>, is on Magellan Rx Management. • Requires prior authorization through Magellan. Refer to <i>Review Criteria</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Important: Check policy for limits or exclusions. – ER or inpatient POS: PA is not required. – Providers: Certain providers are excluded. Refer to Magellan Rx Prior Authorization. • Professionally administered drugs pull multiple benefits. It is important to quote ALL benefits. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Drug administration: Covered based on place of service. Quote office visit or Home IV Therapy benefits. Refer to the EOC for primary or specialist cost sharing. – Injection (J-code): Covered under <i>Part B Prescription Drugs</i> in the EOC. • Provider must bill per Medicare Product Grid. • Medica is the only payer.

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Advantage PartnerCare (I-SNP)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A Pharmacy Clinical Guideline, <i>Cinqair (reslizumab)</i>, is on Magellan Rx Management. • Requires prior authorization through Magellan. Refer to <i>Review Criteria</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Important: Check policy for limits or exclusions. – ER or inpatient POS: PA is not required. – Providers: Certain providers are excluded. Refer to Magellan Rx Prior Authorization. • Professionally administered drugs pull multiple benefits. It is important to quote ALL benefits. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Drug administration: Covered based on place of service. Quote office visit or Home IV Therapy benefits. Refer to the EOC. Copays depend on place of service. – Injection (J-code): Covered under <i>Part B Prescription Drugs</i> in the EOC. • Provider must bill per Medicare Product Grid. • Medica is the only payer.
Medicaid (SPP)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A Pharmacy Clinical Guideline, <i>Cinqair (reslizumab)</i>, is on Magellan Rx Management. • Requires prior authorization through Magellan. Refer to <i>Review Criteria</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Important: Check policy for limits or exclusions. – ER or inpatient POS: PA is not required. – Providers: Certain providers are excluded. Refer to Magellan Rx Prior Authorization. • Covered based on place of service. Quote office visit, outpatient hospital, or Home IV Therapy benefits.

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Plan	Coverage
Prime	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Professionally administered drugs pull multiple benefits. It is important to quote ALL benefits. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Drug administration: Covered based on place of service. Quote office visit or Home IV Therapy benefits. Refer to the EOC for primary or specialist cost sharing. Injection (J-code): Covered under <i>Part B Prescription Drugs</i> in the EOC. Follows Medicare guidelines. Provider must bill per Medicare Product Grid. Reminder: Members can use non-Medica Service Area providers. Refer to Out-of-MSA Benefits.
Select, Signature	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Covered based on place of service. Quote office visit, outpatient hospital, or Home IV Therapy benefits. Medicare supplement. Medicare is the primary payer. Follows Medicare guidelines.

Individual and Family Business (IFB)

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 - Providers:** Certain providers are excluded. Refer to [Magellan Rx Prior Authorization](#).
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Medica Health Plan Solutions (MHPS)

Coverage depends on the employer.

Employer	Coverage
Mayo Medical Plan	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Not covered.• This is on the Mayo Medical Plan Drug Exclusion List (Non-Covered Drugs).• DOS Prior to 1.1.21:<ul style="list-style-type: none">– A Pharmacy Clinical Guideline, <i>Cinqair (reslizumab)</i>, is on Magellan Rx Management.– Requires prior authorization through Magellan. Refer to <i>Review Criteria</i>.<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Important: Check policy for limits or exclusions.▪ ER or inpatient hospital POS: PA is not required.▪ Providers: All providers, including Mayo Clinic providers, require PA.▪ Medicare supplement: PA does not apply.– Covered based on place of service. Quote office visit, outpatient hospital, or Home IV Therapy benefits.
All others	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• A Pharmacy Clinical Guideline, <i>Cinqair (reslizumab)</i>, is on Magellan Rx Management.• Requires prior authorization through Magellan. Refer to <i>Review Criteria</i><ul style="list-style-type: none">– Important: Check policy for limits or exclusions.– ER or inpatient POS: PA is not required.– Providers: Certain providers are excluded. Refer to Magellan Rx Prior Authorization.• Covered based on place of service. Quote office visit, outpatient hospital, or Home IV Therapy benefits.

Document history

The document history for the past 12 months is outlined below. See Iris/KN for the complete document history.

Date	Description
8.19.21	Refreshed for age. MHPS – MMP – Updated to not covered.

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Applicability

Business Segments		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All <input type="checkbox"/> AHP <input type="checkbox"/> COM- (All) <input type="checkbox"/> GOVT- (All) <input type="checkbox"/> IFB <input type="checkbox"/> MHPS <input type="checkbox"/> PSC		
Specific Clients/Products		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All <input type="checkbox"/> Other:		
Platform or System		
<input type="checkbox"/> All <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> Other:		
Departments		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Call Center <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple: <input type="checkbox"/> Other:		
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