

Pharmacy Drug Policy Checklist

POLICY NAME Psoriatic Arthritis Immunomodulator Therapies **POLICY** # 2751P

Criteria			
bios	Coverage Criteria of Preferred Products (Cimzia, covered adalimumab biosimilars, Enbrel, Otezla, Simponi, Simponi Aria, Skyrizi, covered ustekinumab biosimilars, Tremfya)		
	1.1 Diagnosis of Psoriatic Arthritis		
	1.2 Ordered by a rheumatologist (musculoskeletal doctor) or dermatologist (skin doctor)		
	1.3 Age 18 years or older (age 2 years or older for Simponi Aria or Enbrel, age 6 years or older for ustekinumab)		
Cov	erage Criteria of Preferred Products with Single Step Edit (Rinvoq, Xeljanz/		
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	2.1 Diagnosis of Psoriatic Arthritis		
	2.2 Ordered by a rheumatologist (musculoskeletal doctor) or dermatologist (skin doctor)		
	2.3 Age 18 years or older (age 2 years or older for Rinvoq)		
	2.4 Documented failure to respond to a minimum 3 month trial or intolerance to one or more TNF inhibitors (such as Cimzia, Simponi, Enbrel)		
Cov	erage Criteria of Non-Preferred Products with Single Step-Edit (Taltz)		
	3.1 Diagnosis of Psoriatic Arthritis		
	3.2 Ordered by a rheumatologist (musculoskeletal doctor) or dermatologist (skin doctor)		
	3.3 Age 18 years or older		
	 3.4 Documented failure to respond to a minimum 3 month trial, intolerance, or contraindication to any ONE of the following: Cimzia Covered adalimumab biosimilars 		

Simponi

Enbrel

- · Covered ustekinumab biosimilars
- Tremfya

- Skyrizi
- Rinvoq
- Xeljanz/XR Pharmacy Drug Policy & Procedure

Coverage Criteria of Non-Preferred Products with Double Step Edit (Orencia IV or Sub-Q)		
 4.1 Diagnosis of Psoriatic Arthritis 		
4.2 Ordered by a rheumatologist (musculoskeletal doctor) or dermatologist (skin doctor)		
4.3 Age 2 years or older		
 4.4 Documented failure to respond to a minimum 3 month trial, intolerance, or contraindication to any TWO of the following: Cimzia Covered adalimumab biosimilars Enbrel Simponi Covered ustekinumab biosimilars Tremfya Skyrizi Rinvoq Xeljanz/XR 		

Coverage Criteria of Non-Preferred Products with Quadruple Step-Edit (Bimzelx, Cosentyx IV or Sub-Q)		
	5.1 Diagnosis of Psoriatic Arthritis	
	5.2 Ordered by a rheumatologist (musculoskeletal doctor) or dermatologist (skin doctor)	
	5.3 Age 2 years or older	
	5.4 Documented failure to respond to a minimum 3 month trial, intolerance, or contraindication to any TWO of the following:	
	• Cimzia	
	Covered adalimumab biosimilars	
	• Enbrel	
	• Simponi	
	• Skyrizi	
	Covered ustekinumab biosimilars	
	• Tremfya	
	• Xeljanz/XR	
	• Rinvoq	
	5.5 Documented failure to respond to a minimum 3 month trial, intolerance, or contraindication to BOTH of the following:Taltz	
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Exclusion Criteria – Any of the following prevents coverage		
	6.1 Allergic reaction to murine proteins or humanized monoclonal antibody	
	6.2 Inadequate response to initial or previous therapy with requested immunomodulator	
	6.3 Patients with active infections, latent tuberculosis, or symptomatic or deteriorating congestive heart failure	
	6.4 Off-label (non FDA approved) dosing frequencies	
	6.5 Health Alliance Northwest does not cover more than one biologic immunomodulatory at a time because of possible increased risk for infections and potential drug interactions	
	6.6 Only certain NDCs of biosimilars will be considered for coverage, please reference most recent formulary file for covered NDCs	