

<b>POLICY NAME</b>	Promacta (eltrombopag)	<b>POLICY #</b>	1866P
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## Criteria

### Coverage Criteria

- ☐ Diagnosis of persistent or chronic immune (idiopathic) thrombocytopenic purpura (ITP)
- ☐ Prescribed by or in consultation with a hematologist (blood disorder doctor)
- ☐ Age 1 year or older
- ☐ Documentation of insufficient response or contraindications to previous therapies for ITP (corticosteroids, immunoglobulins, OR splenectomy)

### Coverage Criteria for Severe Aplastic Anemia

- ☐ Diagnosis of severe aplastic anemia, first-line treatment or refractory
  - For first-line therapy, use in combination with immunosuppressive therapy
- ☐ Prescribed by or in consultation with a hematologist (blood disorder doctor)
- ☐ Age 2 years or older for first-line treatment otherwise age 18 years or older for refractory therapy

### Coverage for Chronic Hepatitis C Infection-Associated Thrombocytopenia

- ☐ Diagnosis of Chronic Hepatitis C infection-associated thrombocytopenia
- ☐ Prescribed by or in consultation with a hematologist (blood disorder doctor), hepatologist (liver doctor), gastroenterologist (doctor of the digestive system), or infectious disease specialist
- ☐ Age 18 years or older
- ☐ Promacta is being used to allow for the initiation and maintenance of interferon-based therapy

### Exclusion Criteria – Any of the following prevents coverage

- ☐ Coverage excluded if intent is to solely normalize platelet counts
- ☐ Coverage excluded if member on regimen containing direct-acting antiviral agent