

Pharmacy Drug Policy Checklist

POLICY NAME Sohonos (palovarotene) POLICY # 3247P

Criteria

Coverage Criteria	
	 1.1 Diagnosis of Fibrodysplasia Ossificans Progressiva (FOP) confirmed by genetic testing Genetic testing documentation must confirm pathogenic variant of ACVR1R206H mutation Chart note documentation supporting signs and symptoms of FOP (must include big toe malformation present at birth)
	1.2 Age 8 years or older (females) or 10 years or older (males)
	1.3 Prescribed by or in consultation with an endocrinologist (hormone condition doctor), geneticist (gene doctor) or physician who specializes in rare connective tissue diseases
	1.4 Documentation of baseline skeletal (bone) maturity and historical linear growth (height) in growing pediatric patients
	 Prescriber attestation that benefits outweigh the risks of use in growing pediatric patients due to the boxed warning of premature epiphyseal growth closure
	1.5 Documentation of radiologic testing (such as x-ray, CT scan, MRI, or PET scan) to confirm heterotopic ossification (HO, bone growth outside the skeletal area) and support Sohonos is being used to reduce volume of new HO
	1.6 Patients of reproductive potential must submit attestation that appropriate contraception methods will be used throughout treatment duration and at least one month after
	1.7 Request for coverage is reviewed by both a pharmacist and a medical director
Exclusion Criteria – Any of the following prevents coverage	
	2.1 Pregnancy
	2.2 Any other pathogenic variant of the ACVR1 gene
	2.3 Severe kidney impairment
	2.4 Moderate-severe liver impairment