

## **Pharmacy Drug Policy Checklist**

POLICY NAME Firdapse (amifampridine) POLICY # 2713P

## Criteria

Coverage Criteria	
	1.1 Documented diagnosis of Lambert-Eaton myasthenic syndrome (LEMS) confirmed by at least one electro diagnostic study (e.g., repetitive nerve stimulation) or anti-P/Q-type voltagegated calcium channel antibody test
	1.2 Age 18 years or older
	1.3 Documented moderate to severe weakness without muscle atrophy that interferes with daily functions
	<b>1.4</b> Ordered by or in consultation with a neurologist (doctor of the brain and nervous system) or oncologist (cancer doctor)
	1.5 Requests for treatment in patients with an active cancer diagnosis will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis by a pharmacist and medical director.
Exclusion Criteria – Any of the following prevents coverage	
	2.1 Patients with known epilepsy or other seizure disorder