

Pharmacy Services

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Dear SoonerCare Provider,

The purpose of this fax is to provide updates regarding coverage of Promacta[®] (eltrombopag) and Nplate[®] (romiplomstim).

Effective February 17, 2018, Promacta[®] (eltrombopag) will require prior authorization. Additionally, the existing prior authorization criteria for Nplate[®] (romiplomstim) has been updated.

The specific prior authorization requirements for each medication are located on the Oklahoma Health Care Authority website and can be downloaded from <u>www.okhca.org/rx-pa</u>, then clicking "Biologics".

If a SoonerCare member is currently on therapy with one of these medications, the medication will be "grandfathered". If the medication is obtained through the pharmacy claim system, the claim should process at the pharmacy without need for a prior authorization submission. Members who are new to SoonerCare, have recently started on these medications, or those members who have not received the medication recently will need to have a manual prior authorization submitted. Dates of previous doses must be listed on the PA form in order for our staff to know the patient has already received therapy.

Thank you for the services you provide to Oklahomans insured by SoonerCare!