



AETNA BETTER HEALTH®
Coverage Policy/Guideline

Name: Trelegy

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Effective Date: 5/1/2024

Last Review Date: 1/2024

Applies to:	☐ Illinois	☐ Florida	☐ Florida Kids
	☒ New Jersey	☒ Maryland	☐ Michigan
	☐ Pennsylvania Kids	☐ Virginia	☐ Kentucky PRMD

Intent:

The intent of this policy/guideline is to provide information to the prescribing practitioner outlining the coverage criteria for Trelegy under the patient's prescription drug benefit.

Description:

This program applies to the triple inhaler products (ICS-LABA-LAMA) specified in this policy. Coverage for targeted products is provided based on clinical circumstances that would exclude the use of the preferred product and may be based on previous use of a product. The coverage review process will ascertain situations where a clinical exception can be made. This program applies to all members requesting treatment with a targeted product.

Each referral is reviewed based on all utilization management (UM) programs implemented for the client.

Applicable Drug List:

Table. Drug Class/Therapeutic Category

	Product(s)
Preferred*	Breztri (budesonide-glycopyrrolate-formoterol)
Targeted	Trelegy (fluticasone-umeclidinium-vilanterol)

*: Medications considered formulary or preferred on your plan may still require a clinical prior authorization review.

Policy/Guideline:

Criteria for Approval:

Coverage for the targeted product is provided when any of the following criteria are met:

A. Member has a diagnosis of asthma that is persistently uncontrolled despite use of a medium to high potency ICS-LABA

OR

B. Member has a documented inadequate response, intolerable adverse event, or contraindication with any of the preferred products.

Approval Duration and Quantity Restrictions:

Approval: 12 months



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References:

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2. Breztri (budesonide-glycopyrrolate-formoterol) [package insert]. Wilmington, DE: AstraZeneca Pharmaceuticals LP; January 2022.
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