

Pharmacy Benefit Determination Policy

Policy Subject: Breast Cancer Prevention **Dates:**

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Policy Statement:

Physicians Health Plan, PHP Insurance & Service Company, and Sparrow PHP will cover medications for risk reduction of primary breast cancer without member cost share through the Pharmacy Benefit based on approval by the Clinical Pharmacist or Medical Director using the following determination guidelines

Drugs and Applicable Coding:

NA

Clinical Determination Guidelines:

Document the Following with Chart Notes

- A. General Guidelines
 - 1. Gender/Age: Women; ≥ 35 years
 - 2. Indication: Primary prevention of invasive breast Ca because the pt is deemed at high risk
 - 3. Disease status: No prior history of a diagnosis of breast cancer (Ca), ductal carcinoma in situ (DCIS) or lobular carcinoma (LCIS)
 - 4. Drugs: tamoxifen, Soltamox (liquid tamoxifen), Evista (raloxifene po)
- B. Risk Assessment:
 - 1. Risk Assessment Tool: http://www.cancer.gov/bcrisktool/ (Appendix I)
 - 2. 5-year high risk for breast Ca: \geq 3% (USPSTF assessment for women \geq 50 yrs old)
- C. Approval of no co-pay
 - 1. Duration: 1 year
 - 2. Soltamox (liquid tamoxifen): Cannot swallow or has difficulty swallowing tamoxifen tablets
 - 3. Evista (raloxifene po): Women are post-menopausal



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Appe	endix I: Estimating Risk of breast cancer (check the answer to the following questions)					
1.	Does the woman have a medical history of any breast cancer (CA) or of ductal carcinoma in situ (DCIS) or lobular carcinoma in situ (LCIS) or has she received previous radiation therapy to the chest for treatment of Hodgkin Lymphoma?					
	Yes No					
2.	pes the woman have a mutation in either the <i>BRCA1</i> or <i>BRCA2</i> gene, or a diagnosis of a genetic randrome that may be associated with elevated risk of breast cancer?					
	Unknown Yes No					
3.	What is the woman's age? (<u>></u> 35 years)					
	Years					
4.	What was the woman's age at the time of her first menstrual period? (in years)					
	Unknown 7-1112-13 <u>></u> 14					
5.	What was the woman's age at the time of her first live birth of a child?					
	Unknown No births <20 20-24 25-29 <u>></u> 30					
6.	How many of the woman's 1st-degree relatives (mother/sisters/daughters), have had breast CA?					
	Unknown 0 1 >1					
7.	Has the woman ever had a breast biopsy?					
	Unknown No Yes					
	a. How many breast biopsies (positive or negative) has the woman had?					
	1>1					
	b. Has the woman had at least one breast biopsy with atypical hyperplasia?					
	Unknown No Yes					
8.	What is the woman's race/ethnicity?					
	White African American Hispanic Asian-American					
	American Indian/Alaskan Native Unknown					
	a. What is the sub race/ethnicity of the Asian-American?					
	Chinese Japanese Filipino Hawaiian					
	Other Pacific Islander Other Asian-American					





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Drug	Adverse Reactions	Monitoring/Contraindications	REMS
Evista raloxifene	 CV: Hot flashes (10-25%) Misc.: Weight gain (9%), flu syndrome (14-15%) Pregnancy: Category X 	 Labs: triglycerides w hypertriglyceridemia Breast exam /mammogram pre & during Contraindication: Active/hx of DTV, Pregnancy, lactation 	None needed
Soltamox Tamoxifen liquid Tamoxifen tabs	 CV: Hot flashes (80%), GU: Vaginal discharge (55%), vaginal bleeding (23%) Pregnancy: Category D 	 Labs: Periodic CBC, LTF, Triglycerides/cholesterol Gynecological & breast exam /mammogram pre & during Contraindication: Active/hx of DTV, on coumadin 	None needed

References and Resources:

- 1. ESI Health Care Reform June 2014. PPACA Preventative Items & Services: Medications for Risk Reduction of Primary Breast Cancer.
- 2. National Cancer Institute: Breast Cancer Risk Assessment Tool http://www.cancer.gov/bcrisktool/
- 3. Tamoxifen, Soltamox Drug Facts and Comparisons. [database online] Wolters Kluwer Health Inc; 2014.
- 4. Evista Drug Facts and Comparisons. [database online] Wolters Kluwer Health Inc; 2014.

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