

Market Applicability							
Market	DC	GA	KY	MD	NJ	NY	WA
Applicable	X	X	X	X	X	X	NA

Non-Preferred Ophthalmic NSAIDs

Override(s)	Approval Duration
Prior Authorization Quantity Limit	1 year

Medications	Comments	Quantity Limit
diclofenac 0.1% solution	Preferred	May be subject to quantity limits.
Acuvail 0.45 % solution BromSite 0.075% solution bromfenac 0.09% solution Ilevro 0.3% suspension ketorolac (Acular, Acular LS) 0.4%, 0.5% solution Nevanac 0.1% solution Prolensa 0.07%	Non-Preferred	

APPROVAL CRITERIA

Requests for a non-preferred ophthalmic NSAID may be approved when the following criteria are met:

- I. Individual has had a trial (medication samples/coupons/discount cards are excluded from consideration as a trial) and inadequate response or intolerance to one preferred ophthalmic NSAID;

Preferred agents: diclofenac.

Non-preferred agents: Acuvail, BromSite, bromfenac, Ilevro, ketorolac (Acular, Acular LS), Nevanac, Prolensa.

OR

- II. Ketorolac 0.5% (Acular) may be approved if individual is requesting for seasonal allergic conjunctivitis;

OR

- III. The preferred agent is not acceptable due to concomitant clinical conditions, including but not limited to:

This policy does not apply to health plans or member categories that do not have pharmacy benefits, nor does it apply to Medicare. Note that market specific restrictions or transition-of-care benefit limitations may apply.

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- A. If the preferred agents do not include an agent with a pediatric indication, may approve for the following:
1. If the individual is 2-17 years of age and the requested agent is ketorolac 0.5% (Acular); **OR**
 2. If the individual is 3-17 years of age and the requested agent is ketorolac 0.4% (Acular LS); **OR**
 3. If the individual is 10-17 years of age and the requested agent is Ilevro or Nevanac.

State Specific Mandates		
State name	Date effective	Mandate details (including specific bill if applicable)
N/A	N/A	N/A

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