



# Omvoh® (mirikizumab-mrkz) (Intravenous and Subcutaneous)

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Pharmacy Scope (subcutaneous formulation only): Medicaid

Medical Scope (intravenous formulation only): Medicaid, Commercial, Medicare-Medicaid Plan

(MMP)

# I. Length of Authorization

- Medical Scope:
  - Coverage for intravenous (IV) Omvoh will be provided once for 12 weeks (for 3 IV doses) and may not be renewed.
    - \*\* For members that meet criteria, Omvoh 200 mg (subcutaneous dose) will be approved for every 4 weeks thereafter for 4 months for Medicaid and Commercial ONLY\*\*
- Pharmacy Scope:
  - O Coverage for subcutaneous (SC) Omvoh will be provided for 6 months and may be renewed for 6 months.

### II. Dosing Limits

- A. Medical Scope: Intravenous
  - Quantity Limit (max daily dose) [NDC Unit]:
    - Omvoh 300 mg/15 mL single-dose vial: 1 vial at Weeks 0, 4 & 8 (3 vials total)
  - Max Units (per dose and over time) [HCPS Unit]:
    - 900 mg or 900 units per 90 days
- B. Pharmacy Scope: Subcutaneous
  - Quantity Limit (max daily dose) [NDC Unit]:
    - Omvoh 100 mg/mL pen injection: 2 pens per 28 days (daily dose of 0.072)

#### III. Documentation

Submission of the following information is necessary to initiate the prior authorization review:

- A. Initial requests: Chart notes, medical record documentation, or claims history supporting previous medications tried (if applicable), including response to therapy. If therapy is not advisable, documentation of clinical reason to avoid therapy.
- B. Continuation requests: Chart notes or medical record documentation supporting positive clinical response to therapy or remission.



# IV. Initial Approval Criteria

Coverage is provided in the following conditions:

#### For all indications:

- Submission of the member's chart or medical record is required, documenting medical necessity based on the criteria corresponding to the applicable indication; **AND**
- Member has a pretreatment tuberculosis (TB) screening with a TB skin test or an interferon gamma release assay (e.g., QFT-GIT, T-SPOT.TB). [Note: Members who have received another biologic DMARD or targeted synthetic DMARD (e.g., Xeljanz) are exempt from requirements related to TB screening in this Policy.]; AND
- Member is free of any clinically important active infection, including clinically important localized infections; AND
- Member will not receive live vaccines during therapy; AND
- Physician has assessed baseline disease severity utilizing an objective measure/tool; AND
- Baseline liver enzymes and bilirubin levels have been obtained prior to initiating therapy
- Omvoh will not be used concomitantly with an injectable biologic response modifier including TNF-inhibitors (e.g., Humira (adalimumab), Enbrel (etanercept), Remicade (infliximab), Simponi (golimumab), etc.) and IL-inhibitors (e.g., Cosentyx (secukinumab), Stelara (ustekinumab), Tremfya (guselkumab), Ilumya (tildrakizumab), Skyrizi (risankizumab),, etc.) or other oral non-biologic agent (e.g., Otezla (apremilast), Xeljanz (tofacitinib), Olumiant (baricitinib), Rinvoq (upadacitinib), Velsipity (etrasimod), etc.)

#### A. Moderately to severely active ulcerative colitis (UC)

Authorization may be granted for treatment of moderately to severely active UC when all of the following criteria are met:

- Member is 18 years of age or older; AND
- This medication must be prescribed by or in consultation with a gastroenterologist;
   AND
- Documented moderate to severe UC (e.g., Mayo Clinical Score 6-12, with Mayo Endoscopic Subscore 2 or 3); AND
- Member has had an inadequate response, intolerance or contraindication to at least a 3-month trial of one conventional therapy option (e.g., mesalamine, corticosteroids, 6-mercaptopurine, or azathioprine) at maximum tolerated doses; AND
- Member has had an inadequate response, intolerance, or contraindication to at least a 3-month trial of adalimumab at maximum tolerated doses; AND
- Member has had an inadequate response, intolerance, or contraindication to at least a 3-month trial of Entyvio, except if the member has failed to respond to infliximab; AND
- Coverage will not be provided in the following circumstances:
  - Member has Crohn's disease or IBD-unclassified

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- Member has previous bowel resection or intestinal or intra-abdominal surgery
- Member has current evidence of toxic megacolon, intra-abdominal abscess or stricture/stenosis

#### V. Renewal Criteria

Authorization of 6 months may be granted for all members (including new members) when all of the following criteria are met:

- Member continues to meet all initial authorization criteria; AND
- Absence of unacceptable toxicity from the drug. Examples of unacceptable toxicity include
  the following: anaphylaxis or other serious allergic reactions, severe infections, jaundice or
  other evidence of significant liver injury, etc.; AND
- Member has annual eye exams to monitor for macular edema; AND
- Member is using the requested medication for moderate to severe active ulcerative colitis and one of the following must apply:
  - Member has achieved or maintained remission; OR
  - Member has achieved or maintained a positive clinical response as evidenced by low disease activity or improvement in signs and symptoms of the condition when there is improvement in any of the following from baseline:
    - a. Stool frequency
    - b. Rectal bleeding
    - c. Urgency of defecation
    - d. C-reactive protein (CRP)
    - e. Fecal calprotectin (FC)
    - f. Appearance of the mucosa on endoscopy, computed tomography enterography (CTE), magnetic resonance enterography (MRE), or intestinal ultrasound
    - g. Improvement on a disease activity scoring tool (e.g., Ulcerative Colitis Endoscopic Index of Severity [UCEIS], Mayo score)

# VI. Dosage/Administration

Indication	Dose
Moderately to severely active ulcerative colitis (UC)	<ul> <li>IV- Induction dosage is 300 mg administered by intravenous infusion over at least 30 minutes at Weeks 0, 4, and 8.</li> <li>SC- Maintenance dosage is 200 mg administered by subcutaneous injection (given as two consecutive injections of 100 mg each) at Week 12, and every 4 weeks thereafter.</li> </ul>

- The vial and prefilled pen are not made with dry natural rubber latex.
- OMVOH (mirikizumab-mrkz) injection is a sterile, preservative-free, clear to opalescent, colorless to slightly yellow to slightly brown solution for intravenous infusion or subcutaneous injection.
- Each single-dose prefilled pen consists of a 1 mL glass syringe with a fixed 27-gauge ½ inch needle.

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# VII. Billing Code/Availability Information

#### **HCPCS**:

• J2267 – Injection, mirikizumab-mrkz, 1 mg

#### NDC:

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#### VIII. References

1. Omvoh [package insert]. Indianapolis, IN: Eli Lilly and Company; October 2023.