

DUR Committee
March 18, 2011 Minutes

Members Present

Robert Carlson, M.D. (telephonic)
William McCormick, Pharm.D.
John Pappenheim, M.D.
Chad Hope, Pharm.D. (DHSS)
Julie Pritchard, Pharm.D. (Magellan)
Alex Malter, M.D. (medical director)

Members Absent

Dharna Begich, Pharm.D.

- An updated was provided by Chad Hope to the committee regarding new committee members, possible changes for the committee in the next year, and the impact of previous interventions. Jeff Demain MD and Mary-Beth Gardner ANP will be joining the committee as of April 2011.
- Criteria to place a prior authorization on Makena was presented by Chad Hope to the committee. Following a detailed explanation of the rationale behind why a prior authorization would be needed for this product. Following a lengthy discussion the committee approved the criteria unanimously.
- Criteria to place a prior authorization on Lidoderm patches was presented by Chad Hope. Following a short discussion about the current utilization of this product and the approved indication the committee approved the criteria unanimously.
- Criteria to place a prior authorization on Pradaxa was presented by Chad Hope. Following a short discussion about the current utilization of this product, the approved indication and the pharmacology of the product the committee approved the criteria unanimously.
- RetroDUR review
 - a. The profiles were reviewed and letters generated as the committee members deemed appropriate.
- The meeting adjourned at 2:30p.m.