

**Generic Name:** Pralsetinib; Selpercatinib

**Therapeutic Class or Brand Name:** Gavreto®, Retevmo®

**Applicable Drugs (if Therapeutic Class):** N/A

**Preferred:** N/A

**Non-preferred:** N/A

**Date of Origin:** 12/15/2020

**Date Last Reviewed / Revised:** 2/16/2023

## PRIOR AUTHORIZATION CRITERIA

(MAY BE CONSIDERED MEDICALLY NECESSARY WHEN CRITERIA I - VI ARE MET)

- I. Adult patients with locally advanced or metastatic non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) with a rearranged during transfection (RET) gene fusion as detected by an FDA approved test.
- II. Adult and pediatric patients 12 years of age and older with advanced or metastatic RET-mutant medullary thyroid cancer (MTC) who require systemic therapy.
- III. Adult and pediatric patients 12 years of age and older with advanced or metastatic RET fusion-positive thyroid cancer (MTC) who require systemic therapy and who are radioactive iodine-refractory (if radioactive iodine is appropriate).
- IV. Adult patients with locally advanced or metastatic solid tumors with a RET gene fusion that have progressed on or following prior systemic treatment or who have no satisfactory alternative treatment options.
  - A. Request is for Retevmo®
- V. Prescribed by or in consultation with an oncologist or hematologist specialist.
- VI. Request is for a medication with the appropriate FDA labeling, or its use is supported by current clinical practice guidelines.

## EXCLUSION CRITERIA

- N/A

## OTHER CRITERIA

- Interstitial Lung Disease (ILD)/Pneumonitis: Withhold GAVRETO® for Grade 1 or 2 reactions until resolution and then resume at a reduced dose. Permanently discontinue for recurrent ILD/pneumonitis. Permanently discontinue for Grade 3 or 4 reactions.
- Hypertension: Do not initiate GAVRETO® or REVTEMO® in patients with uncontrolled hypertension. Optimize blood pressure (BP) prior to initiating GAVRETO® or REVTEMO®. Monitor BP after 1 week, at least monthly thereafter and as clinically indicated. Withhold, reduce dose, or permanently discontinue based on severity.

- **Hepatotoxicity:** Monitor ALT and AST prior to initiating GAVRETO® or REVTEMO®, every 2 weeks during the first 3 months, then monthly thereafter and as clinically indicated. Withhold, reduce dose, or permanently discontinue based on severity.
- **QT Interval Prolongation:** Monitor patients who are at significant risk of developing QTc prolongation with RETEVMO®. Assess QT interval, electrolytes and TSH at baseline and periodically during treatment. Monitor QT interval more frequently when RETEVMO® is concomitantly administered with strong and moderate CYP3A inhibitors or drugs known to prolong QTc interval. Withhold and dose reduce or permanently discontinue RETEVMO based on severity.

### QUANTITY / DAYS SUPPLY RESTRICTIONS

- Gavreto®
  - 100 mg capsule: 4 capsules Daily per 30-day supply
- Retevmo®
  - 40 mg, 80 mg capsules:
    - Less than 50 kg: 120mg twice daily per 30-day supply
    - 50 kg or greater: 160mg twice daily per 30-day supply

### APPROVAL LENGTH

- **Authorization:** 1 year.
- **Re-Authorization:** An updated letter of medical necessity or progress notes showing current medical necessity criteria are met and that the medication is effective.

### APPENDIX

- N/A

### REFERENCES

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**MEDICATION POLICY:**  
**RET Kinase Inhibitor**

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