

Generic Name: Danicopan

Therapeutic Class or Brand Name: N/A

Applicable Drugs: Voydeya

Preferred: N/A

Non-preferred: N/A

Date of Origin: 9/25/2024

Date Last Reviewed / Revised: N/A

PRIOR AUTHORIZATION CRITERIA

(May be considered medically necessary when criteria I through X are met)

- I. Paroxysmal nocturnal hemoglobinuria (PNH) diagnosis with flow cytometry analysis confirming presence of PNH clones
- II. PNH symptoms including anemia-related symptoms, transfusion-dependence, thrombosis, pain, or organ dysfunction
- III. Enrolled in REMS program
- IV. Age >18 years of age
- V. Must be used in combination with C5 inhibitor
- VI. Must meet all three of the following:
 - A. Tried C5 inhibitor (Ravulizumab or Eculizumab) for at least 6 months
 - B. Clinically significant extravascular hemolysis indicated by hemoglobin levels ≤ 9.5 g/dL AND absolute reticulocyte count of at least $120 \times 10^9/L$
- VII. Must have received meningococcal vaccine and pneumonia vaccine at least 2 weeks before starting treatment. If unable to obtain, administer as soon as possible and provide antibacterial prophylaxis
- VIII. Medication has been prescribed by or in consultation with a hematologist or oncologist
- IX. Request is for a medication with the appropriate FDA labeling, or its use is supported by current clinical practice guidelines.
- X. Refer to the plan document for the list of preferred products. If the requested agent is not listed as a preferred product, must have documented treatment failure or contraindication to the preferred product(s).

EXCLUSION CRITERIA

- Treatment naïve

- Hematopoietic stem cell transplant, or known or suspected hereditary complement deficiency
- Not used in combination with iptacopan or pegcetacoplan

OTHER CRITERIA

- NA

QUANTITY / DAYS SUPPLY RESTRICTIONS

- Pack of 50 mg (90 tablets) + 100mg (90 tablets) for 30 days
- Pack of 100 mg (180 tablets) per 30 days

APPROVAL LENGTH

- **Authorization:** 6 months
- **Re-Authorization:** 6 months with an updated letter of medical necessity or progress notes showing improvement or maintenance with medication

APPENDIX

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REFERENCES

1. Voydeya (danicopan)[package insert]. Alexion pharmaceuticals inc. Boston, MA. Mar 2024.
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3. Parker C, Omine M, Richards S, et al. International PNH Interest Group. Diagnosis and management of paroxysmal nocturnal hemoglobinuria. *Blood*. 2005;106(12):3699-709.

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