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# Rezdiffra<sup>TM</sup> (resmetirom)

## **LENGTH OF AUTHORIZATION**: Up to 1 year

#### **REVIEW CRITERIA**:

- Patient must be  $\geq 18$  years of age.
- Patient must have a documented diagnosis of noncirrhotic nonalcoholic steatohepatitis (NASH) with
  moderate to advanced liver fibrosis, consistent with stages F2 to F3 confirmed by at least one of the
  following (official diagnostic testing results must be provided):
  - Liver biopsy performed within the past 6 months with a NAFLD Activity Score (NAS)  $\geq$  4;
  - o Enhanced liver fibrosis (ELF) panel;
  - o Fibrosis Index Based on 4 Factors (FIB-4);
  - Vibration-controlled transient elastography (VCTE) (e.g., FibroScan).
- Patient **does not** have any of the following:
  - Cirrhosis;
  - Liver decompensation;
  - o Moderate to severe hepatic impairment (Child-Pugh Class B or C).
- Medication will be taken in conjunction with a low-fat diet and exercise.
- Medication was prescribed by, or in consultation with a hepatologist, gastroenterologist or specialist in the area of the patient's diagnosis.

### **CONTINUATION OF THERAPY:**

- Patient met initial review criteria: **AND**
- Documentation of improved clinical response (e.g., NASH resolution or improvement in liver fibrosis);
   AND
- Patient has not experienced any treatment-restricting side effects (e.g., Acute cholecystitis, cholelithiasis or hepatotoxicity); AND
- Dosing is appropriate as per labeling or is supported by compendia.

#### DOSING AND ADMINISTRATION:

- Refer to product labeling at https://www.accessdata.fda.gov/scripts/cder/daf/
- Available as 60 mg, 80 mg, and 100 mg tablets.