

Division: Pharmacy Policy	Subject: Prior Authorization Criteria
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## EMFLAZA® (deflazacort)

Clinical PA required (preferred): Emflaza®

Non-Preferred: Deflazacort

**LENGTH OF AUTHORIZATION**: Up to one year

## **REVIEW CRITERIA**:

• Patient must be  $\geq 2$  years of age.

- Prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist or a specialist in Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy (DMD) or neuromuscular disorders.
- Patient must have the diagnosis of DMD (supported with progress notes and confirmed genetic testing).
- Documentation of inadequate treatment response, contraindication or intolerance to a six month trial of oral prednisone (documentation required).

## DOSING AND ADMINISTRATION:

- Refer to product labeling at <a href="https://www.accessdata.fda.gov/scripts/cder/daf/">https://www.accessdata.fda.gov/scripts/cder/daf/</a>
- Available as 6mg, 18mg, 30mg, and 36mg Tablets and 22.75mg/ml Oral Suspension