

## Step Therapy Criteria

Step Therapy Group Description	Celebrex
<b>Step Therapy Criteria</b>	Celebrex will process if Member is 65 years of age or older or has current fill of warfarin or clopidogrel within the past 45 days. If neither of these step therapy criteria is met, then prior authorization is required.

Step Therapy Group Description	Byetta
<b>Step Therapy Criteria</b>	Prior to receiving Byetta, a member must have a concurrent prescription filled within the previous 30(thirty) days for metformin, sulfonylurea, thiazolidinedione, or a combination of metformin plus a sulfonylurea or metformin plus a thiazolidinedione.

Step Therapy Group Description	Symlin
<b>Step Therapy Criteria</b>	Prior to receiving Symlin, a member must have a concurrent prescription filled for any kind of insulin within the previous 30(thirty) days.

Step Therapy Group Description	Inspra
<b>Step Therapy Criteria</b>	Prior to receiving Inspra, a member must have a concurrent prescription filled within the previous 30(thirty) days for spironolactone.

Step Therapy Group Description	Vancocin
<b>Step Therapy Criteria</b>	Vancocin capsules will process if Member has filled oral metronidazole within the last 45 days.

Step Therapy Group Description	Bisphosphonate
<b>Step Therapy Criteria</b>	Prior to receiving Actonel, the member must first try alendronate within the previous 3 months.

<b>Step Therapy Group Description</b>	<b>PPI Therapy</b>
<b>Step Therapy Criteria</b>	Prior to receiving a branded PPI (Nexium, Aciphex, Zegerid, Kapidex) the member must have tried and failed the following generic PPIs (omeprazole, pantoprazole, and lansoprazole) for at least one day supply in the past 365 days.