

Market Applicability															
Market	DC	FL & FHK	FL MMA	FL LTC	GA	KS	KY	LA	MD	NJ	NV	NY	TN	TX	WA
Applicable	X	X	NA	NA	X	NA	X	X	X	X	X	X	NA	NA	X

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Ravicti (glycerol phenylbutyrate)

Override(s)	Approval Duration
Prior Authorization Quantity Limit	1 year

Medications	Quantity Limit
Ravicti (glycerol phenylbutyrate) Oral Liquid	May be subject to quantity limit

APPROVAL CRITERIA

Requests for Ravicti (glycerol phenylbutyrate) may be approved based on the following criteria:

- I. Individual has had a trial (medication samples/coupons/discount cards are excluded from consideration as a trial) and inadequate response or intolerance to one preferred agent;

Preferred agents: generic sodium phenylbutyrate powder or tablets*

AND

- II. Individual is 2 months of age or older; **AND**
- III. Individual is using for chronic management of a urea cycle disorder (UCD); **AND**
- IV. Disorder cannot be managed by dietary protein restriction and/or amino acid supplementation alone; **AND**
- V. Individual is using as adjunctive therapy with dietary protein restriction and, in some cases, dietary supplements, including but not limited to the following:
 - a. Essential amino acids; **OR**
 - b. Arginine; **OR**
 - c. Citrulline; **OR**
 - d. Protein-free calorie supplements.

OR

- VI. Ravicti may be approved if the individual has congestive heart failure, severe renal insufficiency, or a clinical state where there is sodium retention with edema;

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Requests for Ravicti (glycerol phenylbutyrate) may **not** be approved for the following:

- I. Management of acute hyperammonemia; **OR**
- II. Using to treat N-acetylglutamate synthase deficiency (NAGS).

*prior authorization may be required

State Specific Mandates		
State name	Date effective	Mandate details (including specific bill if applicable)
N/A	N/A	N/A

Key References:

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This policy does not apply to health plans or member categories that do not have pharmacy benefits, nor does it apply to Medicare. Note that market specific restrictions or transition-of-care benefit limitations may apply.