



UnitedHealthcare Pharmacy
Clinical Pharmacy Programs

Program Number	2018 P 1151-5
Program	Prior Authorization/Notification
Medication	Eloctate [®] [antihemophilic factor (recombinant), Fc fusion protein]
P&T Approval Date	2/2015, 2/2016, 12/2016, 11/2017, 11/2018
Effective Date	2/1/2019; Oxford only: N/A

1. Background:

Eloctate[®] [Antihemophilic Factor (Recombinant), Fc Fusion Protein] is a recombinant DNA derived, antihemophilic factor indicated in adults and children with Hemophilia A (congenital Factor VIII deficiency) for:¹

- On-demand treatment and control of bleeding episodes
- Perioperative management of bleeding
- Routine prophylaxis to reduce the frequency of bleeding episodes

Eloctate is not indicated for the treatment of von Willebrand disease.

2. Coverage Criteria:

A. Eloctate will be initially approved based on **both** of the following criteria:¹⁻³

1. Diagnosis of hemophilia A

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2. **One** of the following:

- a. Treatment of bleeding episodes
- b. Prevention of bleeding in surgical interventions or invasive procedures (e.g., surgical prophylaxis)
- c. Prevention of bleeding episodes (i.e., routine prophylaxis)

Authorization of therapy will be issued for 12 months.

B. Reauthorization

1. **Eloctate** will be approved based on the following criterion:

- a. Documentation of positive clinical response to Eloctate therapy.

Authorization of therapy will be issued for 12 months.

3. Additional Clinical Programs:

- Notwithstanding Coverage Criteria, UnitedHealthcare may approve initial and re-authorization based solely on previous claim/medication history, diagnosis codes (ICD-10) and/or claim logic. Use of automated approval and re-approval processes varies by program and/or therapeutic class.
- Medical Necessity may be in place.

4. References:

1. Eloctate® [package insert]. Cambridge, MA: Biogen Inc., December 2017.
2. Mahlangu J, Powell JS, Ragni MV. Phase 3 study of recombinant factor VIII Fc fusion protein in severe hemophilia A. *Blood*. 2014 Jan 16;123(3):317-25.
3. U. S. Department of Health and Human Services, National Institutes of Health, National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute. (2013). How is hemophilia diagnosed? <http://www.nhlbi.nih.gov/health/health-topics/topics/hemophilia/diagnosis#>. Accessed November 3, 2016.
4. MASAC Recommendations Concerning Products Licensed for the Treatment of Hemophilia and Other Bleeding Disorders. *Med Bulletin #253*, April 23, 2018.

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Change Control	
2/2015	New program.
2/2016	Annual review. Removed initial and reauthorization criteria for dosing and dosing interval requirement.
12/2016	Annual review. Updated background and references.
11/2017	Annual review. No changes to clinical coverage criteria. Updated references.
11/2018	Annual review. No changes to clinical coverage criteria. Updated references.