

02/26/2019	Humira trial removed from criteria; Actemra, Cimzia, Kevzara, Olumiant, Otezla and Xeljanz added to trial agents. Clarifications entered for PsA on NSAIDs trial length. TB test allowed to be done within 12 months prior to initiation of therapy; chest x-ray option removed. References added.
11/22/2020	<p>Replaced list of excluded diagnoses with the generic statement. Updated references. For all diagnoses: Removed repeat TB in reauth for all diagnoses. Updated dosing sections.</p> <p><u>JIA</u>: Changed trials to require one non-biologic DMARD. Specified name to be pJIA. Removed 6 months of active disease and 5 or more joints involved.</p> <p><u>PsA</u>: Added requirement of diagnosis of PsA. Changed the trial section to be 4 weeks of an NSAID AND 3 months of a DMARD unless other circumstances apply (e.g., concomitant axial disease, severe PsA, etc.).</p> <p><u>RA</u>: Changed the trials to require methotrexate as one of the non-biologic DMARD trials; only one trial is needed if member has poor prognostic factors.</p>
01/04/2022	<p>Transferred to new template.</p> <p>Added new section for aGVHD prophylaxis (also had to add “inpatient” to site of service).</p> <p>RA: Added new reference. Edited the terminology “non-biologic” DMARD to “conventional” DMARD. Changed from requiring 2 csDMARD to just 1. Changed second step to say at least 2 preferred biologics (previously listed specific drugs including some JAK inhibitors).</p> <p>PsA: Clarified reauthorization criteria. Edited the terminology “non-biologic” DMARD to “conventional” DMARD. Updated wording for preferred biologic trials.</p>
11/15/2023	<u>PsA: lowered age limit from 18 to 2 years of age</u> and added pediatric dosing.

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