



STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA  
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN RESOURCES  
BUREAU FOR MEDICAL SERVICES



Office of Pharmacy Services  
Prior Authorization Criteria  
**Oriahnn<sup>®</sup>**  
(elagolix, estradiol, and norethindrone acetate)  
Effective 3/1/2021

[Prior Authorization Request Form](#)

***Oriahnn** is a combination of elagolix, a gonadotropin-releasing hormone (GnRH) receptor antagonist, estradiol, an estrogen, and norethindrone acetate, a progestin, indicated for the management of heavy menstrual bleeding associated with uterine leiomyomas (fibroids) in premenopausal women.*

**CRITERIA FOR APPROVAL:**

1. Patient must be a premenopausal woman diagnosed with heavy menstrual bleeding associated with uterine leiomyomas (fibroids); **AND**
2. Patient must be within the age range as recommended by the FDA label; **AND**
3. Patient must not be pregnant; **AND**
4. Patient must not be diagnosed with osteoporosis; **AND**
5. Patient has failed a 90-day trial with one agent from **ONE** the following categories (unless contraindicated):
  - a. Combination Estrogen/Progestin contraceptives
  - b. Progestin therapy (oral, transdermal, vaginal ring, IUD, or injections)
  - c. Tranexamic acid

**Initial prior authorization will be for 90 days. Continuation of coverage requires documentation of clinically significant improvement in symptoms as compared to that seen using previous therapy.**

**Maximum length of therapy is limited to 24 months due to the risk of continued bone loss, which may not be reversible.**

**References:**

- 1.) Oriahnn Package Insert
- 2.) Lexi-Comp Clinical Application 2/2021
- 3.) UpToDate Clinical monograph: Uterine fibroids (leiomyomas): Treatment overview reviewed 2/2021