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1861-A

## SPECIALTY GUIDELINE MANAGEMENT

### SYLVANT (siltuximab)

#### POLICY

##### I. INDICATIONS

The indications below including FDA-approved indications and compendial uses are considered a covered benefit provided that all the approval criteria are met and the member has no exclusions to the prescribed therapy.

A. FDA-Approved Indication

Sylvant is indicated for the treatment of patients with multicentric Castleman's disease who are human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) negative and human herpesvirus-8 (HHV-8) negative.

B. Compendial Use

Relapsed/refractory unicentric Castleman's disease

All other indications are considered experimental/investigational and are not a covered benefit.

##### II. CRITERIA FOR INITIAL APPROVAL

**Multicentric Castleman's disease or relapsed/refractory unicentric Castleman's disease.**

Authorization of 12 months may be granted for the treatment of multicentric Castleman's disease or relapsed/refractory unicentric Castleman's disease.

##### III. CONTINUATION OF THERAPY

All members (including new members) requesting authorization for continuation of therapy must meet ALL initial authorization criteria.

##### IV. REFERENCES

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