

## Drug Monograph

Drug/Drug **Dupixent® (dupilumab) syringe for injection / Interleukin-4**  
 Class: **receptor antagonists**  
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**New Criteria**

**Revision of Existing Criteria**

### Executive Summary

**Purpose:** The purpose of this monograph is to provide a review of new therapy to determine whether the reviewed drug should be made available on an open access basis to prescribers, require a clinical edit or require prior authorization for use.

**Dosage Forms:** Dupixent® is now available in a single-dose pre-filled syringe containing 200 mg dupilumab per 1.14 mL solution.

**Manufacturer:** Regeneron Pharmaceuticals, Inc. Tarrytown, NY 10591

**Indications:** Dupixent® is an interleukin-4 receptor alpha antagonist indicated for the treatment of adult patients with moderate-to-severe atopic dermatitis whose disease is not adequately controlled with topical prescription therapies or when those therapies are not advisable. Dupixent® can be used with or without topical corticosteroids. Also, as an add-on maintenance treatment in patients with moderate-to-severe asthma aged 12 years and older with an eosinophilic phenotype or with oral corticosteroid dependent asthma.

**Costs:** \$1,459.90 per 200 mg syringe of Dupixent®. Maximum Allowable Cost

**Summary of Findings:** This drug is being considered for inclusion in the state specific Preferred Drug List (PDL).

**Status Recommendation:**  Prior Authorization (PA) Required  Open Access  
 Fiscal Edit  PDL

**Type of PA Criteria:**  Increased Risk of ADE  Under Solicitation  
 Appropriate Indications  No PA Required

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