

# New Hampshire Medicaid Fee-for-Service Program Hemgenix® (etranacogene dezaparvovec-drlb) Criteria

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#### **Medications**

<b>Brand Names</b>	Generic Names	Indication
<b>Hemgenix</b> ®	etranacogene	indicated for treatment of adults with hemophilia B (congenital
	dezaparvovec-drlb	factor IX deficiency) who currently use factor IX prophylaxis
		therapy, or have current or historical life-threatening
		hemorrhage or repeated, serious spontaneous bleeding
		episodes

#### **Criteria for Approval**

- 1. Patient is at least 18 years of age; AND
- 2. Prescribed by a hematologist and patient is managed by a hemophilia treatment center; AND
- 3. Patient has a diagnosis of moderately severe or severe congenital factor IX deficiency (e.g., factor  $IX \le 2\%$ ), as confirmed by blood coagulation testing; **AND**
- 4. Patient has one or more of the following:
  - a. Currently uses factor IX prophylaxis therapy; OR
  - b. Current or historical life-threatening hemorrhage; **OR**
  - c. Repeated, serious spontaneous bleeding episodes; AND
- 5. Patient has been tested and found negative for factor IX inhibitor titers (if test result positive, re-test within approximately 2 weeks. If re-test is also positive, Hemgenix® should not be given); **AND**
- 6. Patient factor IX (FIX) activity will be monitored periodically (e.g., weekly for 3 months); AND
- 7. Provider will monitor for presence of inhibitors if bleeding is not controlled (note: patient will continue to require exogenous factor IX until response to Hemgenix® occurs); **AND**
- 8. Patient will receive baseline liver function assessed prior to and after therapy weekly for at least 3 months; **AND**
- 9. Patients with preexisting risk factors for hepatocellular carcinoma (e.g., cirrhosis, advanced hepatic fibrosis, hepatitis C or B, non-alcoholic fatty liver disease [NAFLD], chronic alcohol consumption, non-alcoholic steatohepatitis [NASH], advanced age) will have abdominal ultrasound screenings and be monitored regularly (e.g., annually) for alpha-fetoprotein (AFP) elevations for 5 years following administration.

### Limitation

A single dose per lifetime.

### **Criteria for Denial**

1. Criteria for approval are not met.

## **Revision History**

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