

DIPEPTIDYL PEPTIDASE 4 (DPP-4) INHIBITORS



Included Products: ALOGLIPTIN, ALOGLIPTIN/METFORMIN, ALOGLIPTIN/PIOGLITAZONE

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Alogliptin is coded with step-therapy logic. Claims will pay automatically if there are claims for metformin AND pioglitazone (or a sulfonylurea)

Type 2 Diabetes			
Criteria		If yes	If no
1.	Has the member failed, been intolerant to, or have a contraindication to metformin?	Continue to #2	Do not approve
2.	Has the member tried and failed pioglitazone*? *Sulfonylureas accepted but not required by step-criteria	Approve for life	Do not approve