
Medical Policy for the Treatment of Cancer

VCHCP has adopted the National Comprehensive Cancer Network (NCCN) Guidelines for the treatment of cancer by site.

Treatment Authorization Requests for services will be approved if the treatment protocol and/or testing requested is contained within the most recent NCCN guidelines. See <http://www.nccn.org> for details of the guidelines.

Requests submitted outside of these guidelines will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis by a physician reviewer. In such cases, the requestor must submit all pertinent information regarding the case for the referral to be considered for approval.

Note: Non-FDA approved medications are not a covered benefit per the VCHCP Evidence of Coverage (EOC).

Note: Off-label uses of medication must meet requirements of the VCHCP Coverage of Prescription Medication for Off-Label Use policy.

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