

**Texas Prior Authorization Program  
Clinical Criteria**

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**Drug/Drug Class****Arikayce (Amikacin liposome inhalation  
suspension)**

*This criteria was recommended for review by the Texas Medicaid Vendor Drug Program to ensure appropriate and safe utilization*

**Clinical Criteria Information Included in this Document****Arikayce (Amikacin)**

- **Drugs requiring clinical prior authorization:** the list of drugs requiring prior authorization for this clinical criteria
- **Clinical prior authorization criteria logic:** a description of how the prior authorization request will be evaluated against the clinical criteria rules
- **Logic diagram:** a visual depiction of the clinical criteria logic
- **Supporting tables:** a collection of information associated with the steps within the criteria (diagnosis codes, procedure codes, and therapy codes)
- **References:** clinical publications and sources relevant to this clinical criteria

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**Revision Notes**

- Initial publication



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### Drugs Requiring Clinical Prior Authorization

Label Name	GCN
ARIKAYCE 590 MG/8.4 ML VIAL	45435



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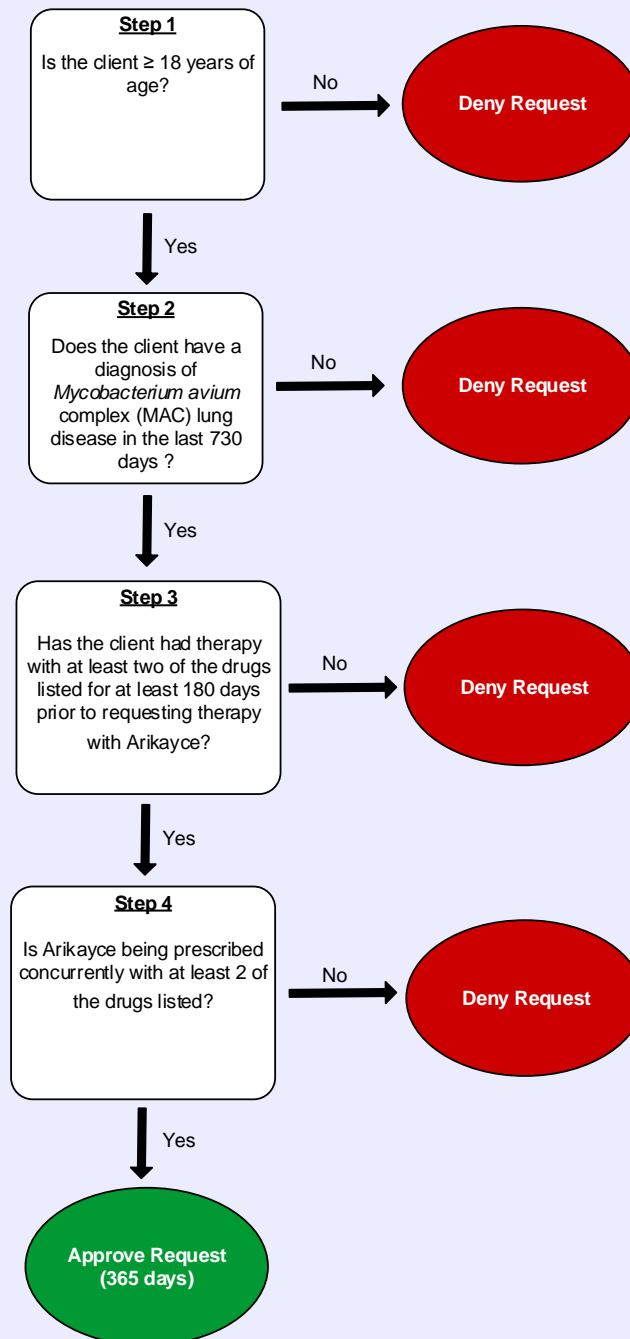
### Clinical Criteria Logic

1. Is the client greater than or equal to ( $\geq$ ) 18 years of age?  
 Yes – Go to #2  
 No – Deny
2. Does the client have a **diagnosis of *Mycobacterium avium* complex (MAC) lung disease** in the last 730 days?  
 Yes – Go to #3  
 No – Deny
3. Has the client had therapy with at least two of the **drugs listed** for at least 180 days in the last 365 days prior to requesting therapy with Arikayce?  
 Yes – Go to #4  
 No – Deny
4. Is Arikayce being prescribed concurrently with at least 2 of the **drugs listed**?  
 Yes – Approve (365 days)  
 No - Deny



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## Clinical Criteria Logic Diagram





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### Clinical Criteria Supporting Tables

<b>Step 2 (diagnosis of <i>Mycobacterium avium</i> complex (MAC) lung disease)</b> <b>Required quantity: 1</b> <b>Look back timeframe: 730 days</b>	
ICD-10 Code	Description
A310	PULMONARY MYCOBACTERIAL INFECTION
A312	DISSEMINATED MYCOBACTERIUM AVIUM – INTRACELLULARE COMPLEX (DMAC)

<b>Step 3 (claims for drugs recommended as prior multi-drug therapy)</b> <b>Required quantity: 2 (180 days total therapy)</b> <b>Look back timeframe: 365 days</b>	
GCN	Label Name
48792	AZITHROMYCIN 100 MG/5 ML SUSP
61199	AZITHROMYCIN 200 MG/5 ML SUSP
48793	AZITHROMYCIN 250 MG TABLET
61198	AZITHROMYCIN 500 MG TABLET
48794	AZITHROMYCIN 600 MG TABLET
11670	CLARITHROMYCIN 125 MG/5 ML SUSPENSION
48852	CLARITHROMYCIN 250 MG TABLET
11671	CLARITHROMYCIN 250 MG/5 ML SUSPENSION
48851	CLARITHROMYCIN 500 MG TABLET
48850	CLARITHROMYCIN ER 500 MG TABLET
41800	ETHAMBUTOL HCL 100 MG TABLET
41801	ETHAMBUTOL HCL 400 MG TABLET
29810	MYCOBUTIN 150 MG CAPSULE
29810	RIFABUTIN 150 MG CAPSULE
48792	ZITHROMAX 100 MG/5 ML SUSP
61199	ZITHROMAX 200 MG/5 ML SUSP
48793	ZITHROMAX 250 MG TABLET
61198	ZITHROMAX 500 MG TABLET

**Step 4 (concurrent therapy with recommended drugs)****Required quantity: 2****Look back timeframe: NA**

For the list of recommended drug GCNs that pertain to this step, see the **Recommended Drug GCN** table in the previous "Supporting Tables" section.

**Note:** Click the hyperlink to navigate directly to the table.



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### Publication History

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