

# Priority Health Medicare Prior Authorization Criteria (Part D)

## Jakafi®

### Products affected

- Jakafi®

### Details

<b>Covered uses</b>	All medically accepted indications not otherwise excluded from Part D.
<b>Exclusion criteria</b>	N/A
<b>Required medical information</b>	Complete blood count (CBC) prior to initiating therapy (platelet count greater than $100 \times 10^9/L$ ) with monitoring every 2 to 4 weeks until dose is stabilized, then as clinically necessary.
<b>Age restrictions</b>	Must be age 18 or older.
<b>Prescriber restrictions</b>	N/A
<b>Coverage duration</b>	Initial approval for 12 weeks, continuation approval for 12 months.
<b>Other criteria</b>	Patient must be at intermediate or high-risk, including primary myelofibrosis, post-polycythemia vera myelofibrosis, or post-essential thrombocythemia myelofibrosis. Physician must be familiar with the FDA labeling and dose modification information for Jakafi. For continuation, patient must have experienced a 35% reduction in spleen volume (approximately a 50% reduction in spleen size on palpation).