

Division: Pharmacy Policy	Subject: Prior Authorization Criteria
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**Elmiron® (pentosan)**

**LENGTH OF AUTHORIZATION: UP TO SIX MONTHS**

**Review Criteria:**

Must provide diagnosis for **interstitial cystitis (IC)**, confirmed by diagnosis code(s) **OR** by supporting clinical documentation.

**Maximum Dosage Limits:**

- *Adults:* 300 mg/day PO.
- *Elderly:* 300 mg/day PO.
- *Children and Adolescents:* **Safe and effective use has not been established.**