



# Policy Type: PA/SP

## Pharmacy Coverage Policy: EOCCO090

## Description

Coagulation Factor X, human is a plasma-derived human blood coagulation factor that works by temporarily replacing the missing Factor X needed for effective hemostasis.

### Length of Authorization

- Initial: Six months (for on-demand treatment and prophylaxis); one month (for perioperative)
- Renewal: 12 months (for prophylaxis); 6 months (for on-demand)

### **Quantity limits**

Product Name	Dosage Form	Indication/FDA Labeled Dosing	Quantity Limit
Coagulation Factor X, human (Coagadex)	250 IU/vial, 500 IU/vial	Factor X deficiency: On-demand treatment <12 years: 30 IU/kg/dose >12 years: 25 IU/kg/dose Repeat every 24 hours until bleeding stops. Max of 60 IU/kg/day Routine prophylaxis <12 years: 40 IU/kg IV twice weekly initially >12 years: 25 IU/kg IV twice weekly initially Max of 60 IU/kg/day Perioperative management Max of 60 IU/kg/day	On-demand Treatment: Amount requested OR a max of 60 IU/kg/day (whichever value is lower) and no more than 5 on- demand doses on hand Routine Prophylaxis: 480 IU/kg every 28 days Perioperative Management: Amount requested OR a max of 60 IU/kg/day (whichever value is lower) Up to the number of doses requested for 28 days

## **Initial Evaluation**

- I. Coagulation Factor X, human (Coagadex) may be considered medically necessary when the following criteria below are met:
  - A. Treatment is prescribed by, or in consultation with a hematologist; **AND**
  - B. A diagnosis of hereditary Factor X deficiency when the following are met:
    - 1. Used for on-demand treatment and control of bleeding episodes; AND
      - i. Member does **<u>NOT</u>** have more than 5 on-demand doses on hand; **OR**
    - 2. Used for routine prophylaxis to reduce the frequency of bleeding episodes; AND
      - i. Member must have severe factor X deficiency (factor X level of <1%); OR



- ii. Member has at least two documented episodes of spontaneous bleeding into joints; **OR**
- 3. Used for perioperative management of surgical bleeding in patients with mild (Factor X level 6-10%) and moderate (Factor X level 1-5%) deficiency
- II. Coagulation Factor X, human (Coagadex) is considered <u>investigational</u> when used for all other conditions.

## **Renewal Evaluation**

- I. Member has received a previous prior authorization approval for this agent; AND
- II. Any increases in dose must be supported by an acceptable clinical rationale (i.e. weight gain, half-life study results, increase in breakthrough bleeding when patient is fully adherent to therapy, etc.) as verified by a Moda Health pharmacist; **AND**
- III. Used for on-demand treatment and control of bleeding episodes; AND
  - Member does **NOT** have more than five on-demand doses on hand; **OR**
- IV. Used for routine prophylaxis to reduce the frequency of bleeding episodes; AND
  - Documentation of clinical benefit, including decreased incidence of bleeding episodes or stability of bleeding episodes relative to baseline

#### Supporting Evidence

- I. Perioperative management of bleeding in major surgery in patients with severe hereditary Factor X deficiency has not been studied.
- II. Dose and duration of the treatment depend on the severity of the Factor X deficiency, location and extent of the bleeding, the patient's age (<12 years or >12 years) and on the patient's clinical condition.
- III. The dose and frequency is based on the individual clinical response. With a max dose of 60 IU/kg daily.

#### **Investigational or Not Medically Necessary Uses**

There is no evidence to support the use of coagulation Factor X, human (Coagadex) in any other condition.

#### References

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