

# bedaquiline (SIRTURO)

## **Diagnoses Considered for Coverage:**

Multi-drug resistant tuberculosis (MDR-TB)

#### **Coverage Criteria:**

### For diagnosis of multi-drug resistant tuberculosis (MDR-TB):

- Patient is 5 years and older and weighing at least 15 kg, and
- Being used as part of a combination regimen, and
- Dose does not exceed FDA label maximum:
  - Adults: 400 mg per day for 2 weeks, then 600 mg per week for a total treatment duration of 24 weeks
  - o Pediatric patients: dosed based on body weight.

Coverage Duration: 24 weeks

#### References:

1. Sirturo. Prescribing information. Janssen Products; 2021.

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