

Teplizumab-mzwv (TzielTM)

Place of Service

Infusion Center Administration
Office Administration
Outpatient Facility Administration

HCPs: J3490, J3590

NDCs:

2 mg/2 mL vials
73650-0316-01 (1 single dose vial)
73650-0316-10 (10 single dose vial)
73650-0316-14 (14 single dose vial)

Condition(s) listed in policy (*see criteria for details*)

- [Delaying the onset of stage 3 or clinical type 1 diabetes mellitus](#)

AHFS therapeutic class: Antidiabetic Agent

Mechanism of action: CD3-directed humanized IgG1 kappa antibody

(1) Special Instructions and pertinent Information

Covered under the Medical Benefit, please submit clinical information for prior authorization review.

(2) Prior Authorization/Medical Review is required for the following condition(s)

All requests for TzielTM (teplizumab-mzwv) must be sent for clinical review and receive authorization prior to drug administration or claim payment.

Delaying the onset of stage 3 or clinical type 1 diabetes mellitus

1. Prescribed by or in consultation with an endocrinologist, **AND**
2. Provider attestation the patient has family history for type 1 diabetes, **AND**
3. Patient is at least 8 years of age, **AND**
4. Documentation is provided the patient has stage 2 type 1 diabetes as confirmed by both of the following criteria:
 - a. Patient has at least two of the following pancreatic islet cell autoantibodies:
 - i. Glutamic acid decarboxylase 65 (GAD65) autoantibodies, or
 - ii. Insulin autoantibodies (IAA), or
 - iii. Tyrosine phosphatase-like protein autoantibodies (IA-2, ICA512), or
 - iv. Zinc transporter 8 autoantibody (ZnT8A), or
 - v. Islet cell autoantibody (ICA)**AND**
 - b. Patient has dysglycemia without overt hyperglycemia using an oral glucose tolerance test (OGTT) or equivalent alternative glycemic test as confirmed by one of the following:
 - i. Fasting plasma glucose between 100 and 125 mg/dL, or
 - ii. A 2-hour postprandial plasma glucose level between 140 and 199 mg/dL during an OGTT, or
 - iii. An intervening postprandial glucose level at 30, 60, or 90 minutes of greater than 200 mg/dL on two occasions during an OGTT, or
 - iv. Glycated hemoglobin (A1C) level between 5.7% and 6.4%

Covered Doses

Given by IV infusion at the following schedule:

Day 1: 65 mcg/m²

Day 2: 125 mcg/m²

Day 3: 250 mcg/m²

Day 4: 500 mcg/m²

Days 5 through 14: 1,030 mcg/m²

Coverage Period

14-day treatment (1 treatment course per lifetime)

ICD-10:

R73.03

(3) The following condition(s) DO NOT require Prior Authorization/Preservice

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(4) This Medication is NOT COVERED for the following condition(s)

Coverage for a Non-FDA approved indication, requires that criteria outlined in Health and Safety Code § 1367.21, including objective evidence of efficacy and safety are met for the proposed indication.

Please refer to the Provider Manual and User Guide for more information.

(5) Additional Information

How supplied:

- 2 mg per 2 mL (1 mg/mL) single-dose vial
 - 73650-0316-01 (1 single dose vial)
 - 73650-0316-10 (10 single dose vial)
 - 73650-0316-14 (14 single dose vial)
- Prior to initiating Tziel, administer all age-appropriate vaccinations as required, and obtain a complete blood count and liver enzyme tests.
- Premedicate prior to Tziel for the first 5 days of dosing with an NSAID or acetaminophen, antihistamine, and/or antiemetic
- Do not administer two doses on the same day.

(6) References

- AHFS®. Available by subscription at <http://www.lexi.com>
- DrugDex®. Available by subscription at <http://www.micromedexsolutions.com/home/dispatch>
- TzielTM (teplizumab-mzwv) [Prescribing information.] Red Bank, NJ: Provention Bio, Inc.; 11/2022.

(7) Policy Update

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Changes from previous policy version:

- New policy

*BSC Drug Coverage Criteria to Determine Medical Necessity
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