



AETNA BETTER HEALTH®
Coverage Policy/Guideline

Name: Xdemvy

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Effective Date: 2/11/2026

Last Review Date: 1/2026

Applies to: Illinois
 Florida Kids

New Jersey
 Pennsylvania Kids

Maryland
 Virginia

Intent:

The intent of this policy/guideline is to provide information to the prescribing practitioner outlining the coverage criteria for Xdemvy under the patient's prescription drug benefit.

Description:

FDA-Approved Indication

Xdemvy is indicated for the treatment of Demodex blepharitis.

Applicable Drug List:

Xdemvy

Policy/Guideline:

Coverage Criteria

Demodex Blepharitis

Authorization may be granted when the requested drug is being prescribed for the treatment of Demodex blepharitis when ALL of the following criteria are met:

- The patient displays cylindrical dandruff at the base of the lash (collarettes).
- The patient has mild eyelid margin erythema.
- The requested drug is being prescribed by, or in consultation with an optometrist or ophthalmologist.

Approval Duration and Quantity Restrictions:

Approval: Xdemvy (lotilaner ophthalmic solution): 1 bottle (10 mL) / 6 weeks.

These drugs are for short-term acute use.

Quantity Level Limit: Reference Formulary for drug specific quantity level limits

References:

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