

Adult Multivitamin PA Criteria

PA Criteria:

- 1) *Is patient diagnosed with an OHP funded condition?*
 - If yes, continue to #2
 - If no, forward to PharmD for Category 1 denial
- 2) *Dose the patient have:*
 - a. *A documented nutritional deficiency?*
 - b. *An increased nutritional need resulting from severe trauma (severe burn, major physical injury)?*
 - c. *A diagnosis resulting in malabsorption or increased vitamin need (celiac disease, Crohn's disease, cystic fibrosis, bowel resection or removal, gastric bypass, elderly, hemodialysis)?*
 - If yes, approve for one year
 - If no, forward to PharmD or MD (possible Category 3 or Category 5 denial)

Guide to Denial Categories	Reason for Denial
Category 1	The condition is not on a funded line
Category 3	The use of the medication is considered experimental/ investigational (usually applies to off-label use of a medication)
Category 5	Not medically appropriate
Category 15	Formulary medications have not been exhausted