

Elaprase® (idursulfase)

When requesting Elaprase® (idursulfase), the individual requiring treatment must be diagnosed with the following FDA-approved indication and meet the specific coverage guidelines and applicable safety criteria for the covered indication.

FDA-approved Indication

Elaprase (idursulfase) is indicated for the treatment of individuals with mucopolysaccharidosis type II (MPS II; Hunter syndrome).

Coverage Guidelines

Mucopolysaccharidosis Type II (MPS II; Hunter syndrome)

The individual must meet all of the following criteria for approval:

- Diagnosis is confirmed by one of the following:
 - Laboratory test demonstrating deficient iduronate-2-sulfatase activity in leukocytes, fibroblasts, serum or plasma; OR
 - Molecular genetic test demonstrating iduronate-2-sulfatase gene mutation
- Elaprase is prescribed by or in consultation with a geneticist, an endocrinologist, a metabolic disorder sub-specialist, or a physician who specializes in the treatment of lysosomal storage disorders.

Approval duration: 12 months

Dosing Recommendation

The recommended dosage regimen of Elaprase is 0.5 mg per kg of body weight administered once weekly as an intravenous infusion.

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