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Pepcid (famotidine) Oral Suspension

Override(s)	Approval Duration
Prior Authorization	1 year

Medications
Pepcid (famotidine) 40 mg/5 mL oral suspension

APPROVAL CRITERIA

Requests for Pepcid (famotidine) oral suspension may be approved for individuals who meet the following criteria:

I. Individual is less than 6 years of age;

OR

II. Individual is unable to swallow the oral tablet dose form due to a clinical condition such as but not limited to the following:

A. Dysphagia; **OR**

B. Individual's age.

State Specific Mandates		
State name	Date effective	Mandate details (including specific bill if applicable)
N/A	N/A	N/A

Key References:

DailyMed. Package inserts. U.S. National Library of Medicine, National Institutes of Health website. <http://dailymed.nlm.nih.gov/dailymed/about.cfm>. Accessed February 23, 2018.

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