



Division: Pharmacy Policy	Subject: State of Florida's Agency for Health Care Administration's Prior Authorization Criteria
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Victoza® (liraglutide injection)

LENGTH OF AUTHORIZATION: UP TO SIX MONTHS

REVIEW CRITERIA:

- Patient must be ≥ 10 years old.
- Must have a diagnosis of type 2 diabetes mellitus.
- Must have a minimum three month trial with metformin and a preferred glucagon-like peptide-1 agonist.
- Hemoglobin A1C $\geq 7\%$ (within last 6 months).

DOSING:

- **Adult Dosage:**
Initiate at 0.6 mg daily for one week then increase to 1.2 mg daily. If additional glycemic control is required, increase the dose to 1.8 mg daily after one week of treatment with the 1.2 mg daily dose.
- **Pediatric patients 10 years to < 18 years of age:**
Initiate at 0.6 mg daily for at least one week. If additional glycemic control is required increase the dose to 1.2 mg daily and if additional glycemic control is still required, increase the dose to 1.8 mg daily after at least one week of treatment with the 1.2 mg daily dose.