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REQUEST FOR PRIOR AUTHORIZATION NARCOTIC
AGONIST/ANTAGONIST NASAL SPRAYS

This form is used for both preferred and non-preferred agents.
(PLEASE PRINT - ACCURACY IS IMPORTANT)

Form with fields for IA Medicaid Member ID, Patient Name, DOB, Patient Address, Provider NPI, Prescriber Name, Phone, Prescriber Address, Fax, Pharmacy Name, Address, Phone, Prescriber information, Pharmacy NPI, Pharmacy Fax, and NDC.

Prior authorization is required for narcotic agonist-antagonist nasal sprays. For consideration, the diagnosis must be supplied. If the use is for the treatment of migraine headaches, documentation of current prophylactic therapy or documentation of previous trials and therapy failures with two different prophylactic medications must be provided. There must also be documented treatment failure or contraindication to triptans for the acute treatment of migraines. For other pain conditions, there must be documentation of treatment failure or contraindication to oral administration. Payment for non-preferred narcotic agonist-antagonist nasal sprays will be authorized only for cases in which there is documentation of previous trial and therapy failure with a preferred agent. Quantities are limited to 2 bottles or 5 milliliters per 30 days. Payment for narcotic agonist-antagonist nasal sprays beyond this limit will be considered on an individual basis after review of submitted documentation.

Preferred

Butorphanol Tartrate Nasal Spray [ ]

Strength Dosage Instructions Quantity Days Supply

Diagnosis:

If migraine, please document current prophylactic therapy:

Drug Name Strength Dosage instructions

If not currently using prophylactic therapy, please document 2 previous trials:

Trial 1 with prophylactic treatment: Drug Name Strength

Dosage instructions Trial Date from Trial Date to

Failure documentation

Trial 2 with prophylactic treatment: Drug Name Strength

Dosage instructions Trial Date from Trial Date to

Failure documentation

Medical or contraindication reason to override trial requirements:

Reason for use of Non-Preferred drug requiring prior approval:

Attach lab results and other documentation as necessary.

Prescriber Signature: Date of Submission:

\*MUST MATCH PRESCRIBER LISTED ABOVE

IMPORTANT NOTE: In evaluating requests for prior authorization the consultant will consider the treatment from the standpoint of medical necessity only. If approval of this request is granted, this does not indicate that the member continues to be eligible for Medicaid. It is the responsibility of the provider who initiates the request for prior authorization to establish by inspection of the member's Medicaid eligibility card and, if necessary by contact with the county Department of Human Services, that the member continues to be eligible for Medicaid. CASE NUMBER: 1623324