



SmartPA Criteria Proposal

Drug/Drug Class:	ADHD: Amphetamines, Long Acting PDL Edit	
First Implementation Date:	January 10, 2019	
Proposed Date:	September 17, 2020	
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Criteria Status:	 □Existing Criteria ⊠Revision of Existing Criteria □New Criteria 	

Executive Summary

Purpose: The MO HealthNet Pharmacy Program will implement a state-specific preferred drug list.

Why Issue
 The CNS stimulant therapeutic class has been edited within the MO HealthNet
 Selected:
 Pharmacy Program, since 1992. In August of 2003, the restriction on these medications was significantly lessened with the implementation of a stimulant clinical edit, eventually leading to an ADHD therapy edit which now includes Non-Stimulant ADHD medications. With the increased recognition of impairment due to adult attention deficit disorder, there is a need to re-evaluate the products used to treat ADHD.

Participants that are currently on a drug that is listed as non-preferred are not required to switch to a preferred agent as long as they have been compliant with their current therapy.

Total program savings for the PDL classes will be regularly reviewed.

Program-Specific	Preferred Agents	Non-Preferred Agents
Information:	 Adderall XR[®] Vyvanse[®] Caps Vyvanse[®] Chew Tabs 	 Adzenys ER[™] Adzenys XR ODT[™] Amphetamine ER Susp (gen Adzenys ER[™]) Dexedrine[®] Spansule Dextroamphetamine ER
		 Dextroamphetamine/Amphetamine ER (gen Adderall XR[®]) Dyanavel[®] XR Mydayis[™] ER
Type of Criteria:	 ☐ Increased risk of ADE ☑ Appropriate Indications 	⊠ Preferred Drug List □ Clinical Edit
Data Sources:	Only Administrative Databases	☑ Databases + Prescriber-Supplied

Setting & Population

- Drug class for review: ADHD: Amphetamines, Long Acting
- Age range: All appropriate MO HealthNet participants aged 6 years and older

Approval Criteria

- Dosage within approved dosage limitations AND
- Participant demonstrates compliance to prescribed therapy OR
- Failure to achieve desired therapeutic outcomes with trial on 2 or more preferred agents
 - Documented trial period for preferred agents (90 out of 120 days) OR
 - Documented ADE/ADR to preferred agents
- Therapy may be approved for indications below (clinical consultant review may be required):
 - o Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder
 - o Opioid-Induced Sedation or Depression in the treatment of Cancer
 - o Idiopathic hypersomnia
 - Binge-Eating Disorder: Vyvanse only
 - Narcolepsy
- Participant aged ≥ 6 years and < 18 years: appropriate diagnosis of ADHD or Idiopathic hypersomnia
- Participant aged \geq 18 years and < 23 years:
 - Appropriate diagnosis (see above)
 - For ADHD therapy: Goals of therapy clearly defined by prescriber (may include academic/work enrollment)
- Participant aged > 23 years:
 - Diagnosis of Opioid-Induced Sedation or Depression in the treatment of Cancer or Idiopathic hypersomnia **OR**
 - Diagnosis of ADHD:
 - Positive diagnosis Diagnostic criteria including:
 - At least 5 of the 9 symptoms of inattention and/or at least 5 of the 9 symptoms of hyperactivity and impulsivity from the DSM-5
 - Symptoms are present in 2 or more settings
 - Clear evidence that the symptoms interfere with social, academic or occupational functioning.
 - o DSM-5 Diagnostic Criteria Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD)
 - Claim may be flagged for clinical consultant review secondary to comorbid substance use disorder diagnosis (see Appendix I for specific ICD-10 Diagnoses Codes inclusion/exclusion criteria)
 - Claim flagged for clinical consultant review secondary to concomitant psychiatric medication use of 3 or more agents (including requested ADHD therapy)
 - Claim flagged if concomitant use of benzodiazepines present
 - Psychiatric Specialist Consult (within most recent 6 months) required for diagnosis and treatment initiation (participant may receive regular follow-up by primary care physician)
 - Adequate trial required for monotherapy

Denial Criteria

- Lack of adequate trial on required preferred agents
- Therapy will be denied if all approval criteria are not met
- Participant aged < 6 years: Clinical Consultant Review

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Required Documentation

Laboratory Results: MedWatch Form:

Progress	Notes:
Other:	

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Disposition of Edit

Denial: Exception Code "0160" (Preferred Drug List) Rule Type: PDL

Default Approval Period

3 months

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