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Pentazocine-Naloxone Prior Authorization Request Form (Page 1 of 2)

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Member Information <small>(required)</small>			Provider Information <small>(required)</small>		
Member Name:			Provider Name:		
Insurance ID#:			NPI#:		Specialty:
Date of Birth:			Office Phone:		
Street Address:			Office Fax:		
City:	State:	Zip:	Office Street Address:		
Phone:			City:	State:	Zip:

Medication Information <small>(required)</small>			
Medication Name:		Strength:	Dosage Form:
<input type="checkbox"/> Check if requesting brand		Directions for Use:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Check if request is for continuation of therapy			

Clinical Information <small>(required)</small>
<p>Select the diagnosis below:</p> <input type="checkbox"/> Pain severe enough to require an opioid analgesic and for which alternative treatments are inadequate <input type="checkbox"/> Other diagnosis: _____ ICD-10 Code(s): _____

The approval criteria is based on the guidance provided by the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), the Pharmacy Quality Alliance, the American Geriatric Society and the National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA). "Use of High Risk Medications in the Elderly" is measure 238 of the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services Physician Quality Reporting System.

Risk acknowledgment:

Does the provider acknowledge that this drug has been identified by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services as a high risk medication in the 65 and older population? Yes No

Does the provider wish to proceed with the originally prescribed medication? Yes No

Coverage of the drug is approvable after demonstrated failure to the alternatives below or we receive information as to why they would be inappropriate.

Select the medications the patient has a failure, contraindication, or intolerance to:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Acetaminophen-codeine | <input type="checkbox"/> Trezix |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Panlor | <input type="checkbox"/> Tylenol-codeine #3 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Synalgos-DC | <input type="checkbox"/> Tylenol-codeine #4 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tramadol-APAP | <input type="checkbox"/> Ultracet |

Quantity limit requests:

What is the quantity requested per DAY? _____

Does the patient's diagnosis include malignant (cancer) pain? Yes No

Is the medication being used to treat postoperative pain? Yes No

If yes, answer the following:

Is the medication being prescribed for pain related to a dental procedure? Yes No

Is the requested dose being prescribed the same dose that the patient was stable on prior to discharge? Yes No

Was the medication prescribed by a pain specialist or by pain management consultation? Yes No

Select all of the following that have been maintained and documented in chart notes*:

- A description of the nature and intensity of the pain
- An appropriate patient medical history and physical examination
- An updated, comprehensive treatment plan (the treatment plan should state objectives that will be used to determine treatment success, such as pain relief or improved physical and/or psychosocial function)
- Appropriate dose escalation
- Ongoing, periodic review of the course of opioid therapy
- Verification that the risks and benefits of the use of the requested drug have been discussed with the patient, significant other(s), and/or guardian

Chart documentation:

Will chart documentation be submitted to OptumRx® with this form, confirming the above information? Yes No

**Please note: Chart documentation of the above is required to be submitted for quantity limit requests for this drug.*

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Are there any other comments, diagnoses, symptoms, medications tried or failed, and/or any other information the physician feels is important to this review?

Please note:

This request may be denied unless all required information is received.
If the patient is not able to meet the above standard prior authorization requirements, please call 1-800-711-4555.
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