

**NC Medicaid and NC Health Choice  
Pharmacy Prior Approval Request for  
Sedative Hypnotics**



**Beneficiary Information**

1. Beneficiary Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ 2. First Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
3. Beneficiary ID #: \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Beneficiary Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Beneficiary Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

**Prescriber Information**

6. Prescribing Provider NPI #: \_\_\_\_\_  
7. Requester Contact Information  
Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Ext. \_\_\_\_\_

**Drug Information**

8. Drug Name: \_\_\_\_\_ 9. Strength: \_\_\_\_\_ 10. Quantity Per 30 Days: \_\_\_\_\_  
11. Length of Therapy (in days):  up to 30  60  90  120  180  Other: \_\_\_\_\_ (Max length of therapy is 180 days)

**Clinical Information**

**For Non-Preferred Drugs**

1. Failed two preferred drug(s). List preferred drugs failed: \_\_\_\_\_  
1a. Allergic Reaction 1b. Drug-to-drug interaction. Please describe reaction: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Previous episode of an unacceptable side effect or therapeutic failure. Please provide clinical information: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Clinical contraindication, co-morbidity, or unique patient circumstance as a contraindication to preferred drug(s).  
Please provide clinical information: \_\_\_\_\_
4. Age specific indications. Please give patient age and explain: \_\_\_\_\_
5. Unique clinical indication supported by FDA approval or peer reviewed literature. Please explain and provide a general reference: \_\_\_\_\_
6. Unacceptable clinical risk associated with therapeutic change. Please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**Criteria for Quantity Limits: Exceeding Quantity of 15 per 30 days (check all that apply)**

1. Does beneficiary have a diagnosis of chronic primary insomnia lasting one month or longer?  Yes  No
2. Has beneficiary received information on good sleep hygiene and had a documented trial (at least 3 weeks) of non-pharmacological therapies (ex. stimulus control, sleep restriction, sleep hygiene measures and relaxation therapy)?  Yes  No
3. Does beneficiary have diagnosis of chronic secondary or co-morbid insomnia lasting one month or longer and has been evaluated for and is being actively treated for one of the below conditions?  Yes  No Please check appropriate condition:  
 a. underlying psychiatric illness associated with insomnia  
 b. underlying medical illness associated with insomnia (ex. chronic pain associated with cancer, inflammatory arthritis etc.)  
 c. sleep disorder such as restless legs syndrome, sleep-related breathing disorder, sleep related movement disorder, or circadian rhythm disorder
4. Is beneficiary being discontinued from a sedative hypnotic and tapering is required to prevent symptoms of withdrawal?  Yes  No
5. Is beneficiary being actively assessed for a diagnosis of chronic primary or secondary/co-morbid insomnia?  Yes  No (Do not check "yes" if answer to #1 above is "yes")

Signature of Prescriber: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**(Prescriber Signature Mandatory)**

I certify that the information provided is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge, and I understand that any falsification, omission, or concealment of material fact may subject me to civil or criminal liability.

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