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Announcement 1039

Quantity Limits for Sedative/Hypnotic Agents

The Nevada Medicaid and Nevada Check Up Drug Use Review (DUR) Board voted to include specific quantity limits for sedative/hypnotic agents. The following quantity limits were effective beginning November 16, 2015:

1. Sedative/Hypnotics, Non-Barbiturate: 30 tabs/30 days
 - a. Rozerem® (Ramelteon)
 - b. Hetlioz® (Tasimelteon)
 - c. Silenor® (Doxepin)
 - d. Belsomra® (Suvorexant)
 - e. Ambien®, Intermezzo®, Edluar® (zolpidem)
 - f. Ambien CR® (Zolpidem ER)
 - g. Sonata® (Zaleplon)
 - h. Doral® (Quazepam)
 - i. Halcion (Temazepam)
 - j. Estazolam
 - k. Flurazepam
2. Midazolam (syrup): 10 ml/day
3. Zolpimist® (Zolpidem) oral spray: 1 unit/30 days

Please call or fax the Clinical Call Center to request a prior authorization for exceeding the quantity of the above medications.

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