

STIMULANTS AND RELATED AGENTS PRIOR AUTHORIZATION FORM (form effective 01/05/2021)

Prior authorization guidelines for Stimulants and Related Agents and Quantity Limits/Daily Dose Limits are available on Geisinger Health Plan's website at <https://healthplan.geisinger.org/pharmacy/pharmacy.aspx?strip=true&style=OneGeisinger>

<input type="checkbox"/> New request <input type="checkbox"/> Renewal request		Total # pages: _____		Prescriber name:	
Name of office contact:			Specialty:		
Phone number of office contact:			NPI:		State license#:
LTC facility contact/phone:			Street address:		
Beneficiary name:			Suite #:	City/state/zip:	
Beneficiary ID#:		DOB:	Phone:		Fax:

CLINICAL INFORMATION

Drug requested:		Dosage form (tablet, ODT, suspension, ect):	
Directions:		Quantity	# months requested:
Diagnosis <i>(submit documentation)</i> :		Dx code <i>(required)</i> :	

INITIAL requests

Has the beneficiary been taking the requested medication within the past 90 days?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <i>Submit documentation of drug regimen and clinical response</i> <input type="checkbox"/> No	
<i>For a non-preferred drug:</i> Does the beneficiary have a history of trial and failure of or contraindication or intolerance to the preferred drugs in this class that are approved or medically accepted for treatment of the beneficiary's condition? Refer to https://papdl.com/preferred-drug-list for a list of preferred and non-preferred drugs in this class.		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <i>Submit documentation</i> <input type="checkbox"/> No	

Complete the sections below that are applicable to the beneficiary and this request and SUBMIT DOCUMENTATION for each item.

For a child <4 years of age:

Is prescribed the requested medication **AND** had a comprehensive evaluation by or in consultation with one of the following specialists:

pediatric neurologist
 child/adolescent psychiatrist
 child development pediatrician

For a beneficiary ≥18 years of age:

For the treatment of ADHD:
 Has a diagnosis of ADHD that is consistent with current DSM criteria
 For the treatment of narcolepsy:
 Has a diagnosis of narcolepsy consistent with current International Classification of Sleep Disorders criteria (e.g., MSLT, overnight PSG, CSF hypocretin-1 concentration, clinical assessment)

For the treatment of moderate to severe binge eating disorder:

Has a diagnosis documented by a history that is consistent with current DSM criteria
 Tried and failed (or cannot try) SSRIs (unless beneficiary has comorbid ADD or ADHD)
 Tried and failed (or cannot try) topiramate (unless beneficiary has comorbid ADD or ADHD)
 Was referred for cognitive behavioral therapy or other psychotherapy

For a stimulant agent:

Was assessed for potential risk of misuse, abuse, and/or addiction based on family and social history
 Was educated regarding the potential adverse effects of stimulants, including the risk of misuse, abuse, and addiction
 Has documentation that the provider checked the PDMP for the beneficiary's controlled substance prescription history
 For a beneficiary with a history of substance dependency, abuse, or diversion:

For a beneficiary >18 years of age:

Has results of a recent UDS for licit & illicit drugs with the potential for abuse (including specific testing for oxycodone, fentanyl, and tramadol) that is consistent with prescribed controlled substances

RENEWAL requests

Has the beneficiary experienced a positive clinical response since starting the requested medication?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <i>Submit documentation</i>	
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Please submit to PromptPA <https://ghp.promptpa.com> OR fax to Geisinger Health Plan at 570-271-5610 the completed form with required clinical documentation.

Prescriber Signature:	Date:
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