

Narcotics Analgesic Formulary Changes

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Quantity Limits (QL): the maximum amount of a drug that will be covered over a certain time period. Prescriptions for greater quantities than the QL may be reviewed for medical necessity through the Prior Authorization Process.

TABLE 1

Medication	Labeled Dosing	Dosage Forms	Quantity Limits / 30 Days
Short-Acting Opioid Products:			
Codeine Based Products			
codeine sulfate tablet generic	15-60 mg Q4H PRN max: 360 mg/day	15 mg	180 tablets
		30 mg	180 tablets
		60 mg	180 tablets
acetaminophen-codeine oral solution generic	15 mL Q4H PRN max: APAP 4 g/day	120-12 mg/5 mL	2700 mL
acetaminophen-codeine tablet generic	Q4H PRN max APAP 4 g/day, max codeine 360 mg/day	300-15 mg	180 tablets
		300-30 mg generic for tylenol with Codeine #3	180 tablets
		300-60 mg generic for Tylenol with Codeine #4	180 tablets
codeine-butalbital-asa-caff capsule generic fioricet with codeine	1-2 capsules Q4H max: 6 capsules/day	30-50-325 mg	180 tablets
Hydrocodone Based Products			
hydrocodone-acetaminophen oral solution generic for Hycet	2.5-10 mg Q4-6H PRN APAP max: ≤4 g/day	7.5-325 mg/15 mL	2700 mL
hydrocodone-acetaminophen tablet generic for Lorcet, Lorcet HD, Lorcet Plus, Norco, verdrocet, Vicodin, Vicodin ES, Vicodin HP, Xodol *	2.5-10 mg Q4-6H PRN APAP max: ≤4 g/day	2.5-325 mg generic for vedroctet	180 tablets
		5-325 mg generic for Lorcet	180 tablets
		7.5-325 mg generic for Lorcet Plus	180 tablets
		10-325 mg generic for Lorcet HD	180 tablets
		5-300 mg generic for Vicodin	180 tablets
		7.5-300 mg generic for Vicodin ES	180 tablets
hydrocodone-ibuprofen tablet generic for Ibudone and Vicoprofen	1 tablet Q4-6H PRN max: 5 tabs/day 10 day supply	5-200 mg (generic for Ibudone)	50 tablets
		10-200 mg (generic for Ibudone)	50 tablets
		7.5-200 mg (generic for Vicoprofen)	50 tablets
Hydromorphone Based Products			
hydromorphone oral liquid generic for Dilaudid	2.5-10 mg Q3-6H PRN	1 mg/mL (473 mL)	600 mL
hydromorphone oral tablet	2-4 mg	2 mg	180 tablets

generic for Dilaudid	Q4-6H PRN	4 mg	180 tablets
		8 mg	90 tablets
Morphine Based Products			
morphine concentrate oral solution			
morphine oral solution generic	10-20 mg Q4H PRN	10 mg/5 mL	900 mL
		20 mg/5 mL	600 mL
		20 mg/1 mL	120 mL
morphine oral tablet generic	15-30 mg Q4H PRN	15 mg	180 tablets
		30 mg	90 tablets
Oxycodone Based Products			
oxycodone oral concentrate	5-15 mg Q4-6H PRN	100 mg/5 mL (30 mL)	90 mL
oxycodone oral solution	5-15 mg Q4-6H PRN	5 mg/5 mL (5 mL, 15 mL, 473 mL, 500 mL)	1800 mL
oxycodone capsule	Q4-6H PRN	5 mg	180 capsules
oxycodone tablet generic for Roxicodone	Q4-6H PRN	5 mg generic for Roxicodone	180 tablets
		10 mg	180 tablets
		15 mg generic for Roxicodone	120 tablets
		20 mg	90 tablets
		30 mg generic for Roxicodone	60 tablets
oxycodone-acetaminophen tablet generic for Endocet, Percocet, and Primlev	2.5-10 mg Q6H PRN APAP max: ≤4 g/day	2.5-325 mg	120 tablets
		5-325 mg	120 tablets
		7.5-325 mg	120 tablets
		10-325 mg	120 tablets
oxycodone-ibuprofen tablet generic	1 tablet Q6H PRN max: 4tabs/day 7 day supply	5-400 mg	28 tablets
Oxymorphone Based Products			
oxymorphone tablet generic for Opana	5-10 mg Q4-6H PRN	5 mg	180 tablets
		10 mg	90 tablets
Tramadol Based Products			
tramadol oral tablet generic for Ultram	50-100 mg Q4-6H PRN max: 400 mg/day	50 mg	240 tablets
tramadol-acetaminophen tablet generic for Ultracet	2 tablets Q4-6H PRN max:8 tabs/day 5 day supply	37.5-325 mg	40 tablets
Long-Acting Opioid products:			
Buprenorphine Based Products			
buprenorphine hcl sublingual tablet generic for Subutex	24 mg/day	2 mg	360 tablets
		8 mg	90 tablets
Fentanyl Based Products:			
fentanyl transdermal patch generic for Duragesic	1 patch Q72H	12 (12.5 mcg/hr)	10 patches
		25 (25 mcg/hr)	10 patches
		50 (25 mcg/hr)	10 patches

		75 (25 mcg/hr)	Not covered
		100 mcg (25 mcg/hr)	Not covered
fentanyl transdermal patch generic step	1 patch Q72H	37.5 (37.5 mcg/hour)	10 patches
		62.5 (62.5 mcg/hour)	Not covered
		87.5 (87.5 mcg/hour)	Not covered
Hydromorphone Based Products			
hydromorphone ER tablet generic for Exalgo	1 tablet QD	8 mg	30 tablets
		12 mg	30 tablets
		16 mg	30 tablets
		32 mg	Not covered
Morphine Based Products			
morphine sulfate extended- release 24 Hour capsule generic for Kadian	Kadian Q12-24H	10 mg	60 capsules
		20 mg	60 capsules
		30 mg	60 capsules
		40 mg	60 capsules
		50 mg	30 capsules
		60 mg	30 capsules
		80 mg	30 capsules
		100 mg	30 capsules
		200 mg	Not covered
morphine sulfate ER controlled-release tablet generic for MS-Contin	Q8-12H	15 mg	90 tablets
		30 mg	90 tablets
		60 mg	30 tablets
		100 mg	Not covered
		200 mg	Not covered
Oxymorphone Based Products			
oxymorphone ER tablet 12 Hour generic for Opana ER	Q12H	5 mg	60 tablets
		7.5 mg	60 tablets
		10 mg	60 tablets
		15 mg	60 tablets
		20 mg	Not covered
		30 mg	Not covered
		40 mg	Not covered
Tramadol Based Products			
tramadol oral tablet/ capsule ER 24 hr generic for Ultram ER tab generic for ConZip caps	100 mg Q24H Titrate to max: 300 mg/day	100 mg	30 tablets
		200 mg	30 tablets
		300 mg	30 tablets
Miscellaneous			
methadone tablet generic for dolophine	Q8-12H	5mg	120 tablet
		10 mg	60 tablets
Tapentadol tablet Generic for Nucynta	Q4-6H	50 mg	120 tablets
		75 mg	90 tablets
		100 mg	60 tablets