

**OPTIMA HEALTH COMMUNITY CARE
AND
OPTIMA FAMILY CARE
(MEDICAID)**

PHARMACY PRIOR AUTHORIZATION/STEP-EDIT REQUEST*

Directions: The prescribing physician must sign and clearly print name (preprinted stamps not valid) on this request. All other information may be filled in by office staff; **fax to 1-800-750-9692.** No additional phone calls will be necessary if all information (including phone and fax #s) on this form is correct. **Incomplete form will delay authorization process.**

Drug Requested: SymLin® /SymLinPen® (pramlintide acetate) (Non-Preferred)

DRUG INFORMATION: Complete all information below or authorization process will be delayed.

Drug Form:/Strength: _____

Dosing Schedule: _____ **Length of Therapy:** _____

Diagnosis: _____ **ICD Code, if applicable:** _____

CLINICAL CRITERIA: **ALL** boxes **must** be checked to qualify to ensure authorization process will **NOT** be delayed.

Patient is meeting **ALL** of the following criteria (and may be approved):

Diagnosis of Type 1- or 2- diabetes

AND

On insulin therapy

AND

Failure to achieve adequate glycemic control (HbA1c > 6.6%)

Patient must have a history of at least a 90-day trial of insulin

****Use of samples to initiate therapy does not meet step edit/ preauthorization criteria.****

Previous therapies will be verified through pharmacy paid claims or submitted chart notes.

Patient Name: _____

Member Optima #: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Prescriber Name: _____

Prescriber Signature: _____ Date: _____

Office Contact Name: _____

Phone Number: _____ Fax Number: _____

DEA OR NPI #: _____

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