

OPTIMA HEALTH PLAN

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: Evekeo® (amphetamine sulfate)

DRUG INFORMATION: Complete information below. If incomplete, authorization process will be delayed.

Drug Form/Strength: _____

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

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

CLINICAL CRITERIA: Boxes **MUST** be checked below to qualify or authorization process will be delayed.

▪ Is Evekeo® being prescribed for Exogenous Obesity? Yes **OR** No

▪ **IF NO:**

Patient **must** have tried and failed **30 days of therapy** with **two (2)** of the following:

<input type="checkbox"/> amphetamine-dextroamphetamine IR/ER (generic Adderall/Adderall XR)	<input type="checkbox"/> dexamethylphenidate IR/ER (generic Focalin/Focalin XR)
<input type="checkbox"/> dextroamphetamine IR/SR (generic Dextrostat/Procentra/Zenedi/Dexedrine)	<input type="checkbox"/> methylphenidate IR/ER (generic Ritalin/Ritalin SR/Ritalin LA/Concerta/Metadate CD)

If the member is over the age of 18, the member must also meet diagnostic criteria. The prior authorization form ("CNS Stimulants- Age 19 and Older") can be downloaded from: <http://providers.optimahealth.com>

▪ **IF YES:** (*This is a group specific benefit*)

The following criteria **must** be met:

Height: _____ Weight: _____ Date measured: _____

Patient has a BMI of 40 or greater

OR

Patient has a BMI of 35 with co-morbid condition(s): _____
(*may include coronary artery disease, hypertension, CHF, diabetes, dyslipidemia, or sleep apnea.*)

Please Note: *If medication claims documenting the co-morbid condition(s) are **NOT** present, chart notes must be submitted.*

*****LENGTH OF AUTHORIZATION IS 4 WEEKS ONLY FOR WEIGHT LOSS*****

****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: _____

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