

ANTI-DEPRESSANTS

MEDICATION(S) SUBJECT TO STEP THERAPY

TRINTELLIX, VILAZODONE HCL

CRITERIA

Two of the following drugs need to be used first (step 1 drugs): bupropion, citalopram, desvenlafaxine succinate er, duloxetine, escitalopram, fluoxetine, fluvoxamine, paroxetine, sertraline, venlafaxine.

BIMATOPROST EYE DROPS (BIMATOPROST)

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BIMATOPROST

CRITERIA

The following drug needs to be used first (step 1 drug): latanoprost eye drops.

BRIVARACETAM (BRIVIACT)

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BRIVIACT 10 MG TAB, BRIVIACT 10 MG/ML SOLUTION, BRIVIACT 100 MG TAB, BRIVIACT 25 MG TAB, BRIVIACT 50 MG TAB, BRIVIACT 75 MG TAB

CRITERIA

The following drug need to be used first (step 1 drugs): levetiracetam.

CARVEDILOL EXTENDED RELEASE (COREG CR)

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CARVEDILOL PHOSPHATE ER

CRITERIA

The following drug needs to be used first (step 1 drugs): carvedilol immediate release.

DES Loratadine ODT (Clarinet)

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DES Loratadine 2.5 MG TAB DISP, DES Loratadine 5 MG TAB DISP

CRITERIA

The following drug needs to be used first (step 1 drugs): desloratadine 5mg (non-dissolving) tablet.

DONEPEZIL 23MG (ARICEPT)

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DONEPEZIL HCL 23 MG TAB

CRITERIA

One of the following drugs need to be used first (step 1 drugs): donepezil 5mg, donepezil 10mg.

FEBUXOSTAT (ULORIC)

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FEBUXOSTAT

CRITERIA

The following drug needs to be used first (step 1 drugs): allopurinol.

FLUVOXAMINE EXTENDED RELEASE

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FLUVOXAMINE MALEATE ER

CRITERIA

The following drug needs to be used first (step 1 drugs): fluvoxamine immediate release.

LAMOTRIGINE EXTENDED RELEASE (LAMICTAL XR)

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LAMOTRIGINE ER

CRITERIA

The following drug needs to be used first (step 1 drugs): lamotrigine immediate release.

NON-PREFERRED IMMEDIATE-RELEASE ADHD DRUGS

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AMPHETAMINE SULFATE

CRITERIA

One of the following drugs need to be used first (step 1 drugs):

amphetamine/dexamphetamine (generic ADDERALL), dexamethylphenidate (generic FOCALIN), methylphenidate (generic METHYLIN), methylphenidate (generic RITALIN).

NON-PREFERRED MEDIUM POTENCY TOPICAL STEROIDS

MEDICATION(S) SUBJECT TO STEP THERAPY

DESOXIMETASONE 0.05 % GEL, DESOXIMETASONE 0.05 % OINTMENT, HYDROCORTISONE BUTYRATE 0.1 % CREAM, HYDROCORTISONE BUTYRATE 0.1 % OINTMENT, HYDROCORTISONE BUTYRATE 0.1 % SOLUTION, HYDROCORTISONE VALERATE 0.2 % CREAM

CRITERIA

Trial of two preferred topical steroids from the medium potency group (step 1 drugs): betamethasone valerate (cream, ointment, lotion), mometasone (cream, ointment, solution), fluocinolone (cream, ointment), fluticasone (cream, ointment), triamcinolone (cream, lotion, ointment).

NON-PREFERRED MESALAMINE PRODUCT

MEDICATION(S) SUBJECT TO STEP THERAPY

MESALAMINE 400 MG CAP DR, MESALAMINE 800 MG TAB DR, MESALAMINE ER 500 MG CAP ER

CRITERIA

The following drugs need to be used first (step 1 drugs): balsalazide 750 capsule AND either mesalamine dr 1.2-gram tablet or mesalamine 0.375 gram er capsule.

NON-PREFERRED TOPICAL ANTI-ANTIFUNGAL

MEDICATION(S) SUBJECT TO STEP THERAPY

LULICONAZOLE, NAFTIFINE HCL 1 % CREAM, NAFTIFINE HCL 2 % CREAM, OXICONAZOLE NITRATE

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DARIFENACIN HYDROBROMIDE ER, TOLTERODINE TARTRATE, TOLTERODINE TARTRATE ER

CRITERIA

One of the following drugs need to be used first (step 1 drugs): oxybutynin, trospium, solifenacin

RUFINAMIDE (BANZEL)

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RUFINAMIDE

CRITERIA

Two of the following drugs need to be used first (step 1 drugs): clonazepam, divalproex sodium, felbamate, lamotrigine, topiramate.

TAFLUPROST EYE DROPS (ZIOPTAN)

MEDICATION(S) SUBJECT TO STEP THERAPY

TAFLUPROST (PF)

CRITERIA

The following drug needs to be used first (step 1 drug): latanoprost eye drops

TRIAMTERENE (DYRENIUM)

MEDICATION(S) SUBJECT TO STEP THERAPY

TRIAMTERENE

CRITERIA

One of the following drugs need to be used first (step 1 drugs): amiloride, amiloride hctz, spironolactone, spironolactone hctz, or triamterene/hctz.