QUANTITY LIMIT CRITERIA

DRUG CLASS DRONABINOL PRODUCTS

BRAND NAME (generic)

MARINOL (dronabinol)

SYNDROS

(dronabinol oral solution)

Status: CVS Caremark Criteria

Type: Quantity Limit

POLICY

FDA-APPROVED INDICATIONS

Marinol and Syndros are indicated for the treatment of:

- anorexia associated with weight loss in patients with Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS).
- nausea and vomiting associated with cancer chemotherapy in patients who have failed to respond adequately to conventional antiemetic treatments.

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LIMIT CRITERIA

Limits should accumulate across all drugs and strengths up to highest quantity listed depending on the order the claims are processed. Accumulation does not apply if limit is coded for daily dose.

Drug 1 Month Limit* 3 Month Limit*

Marinol 2.5 mg, 5 mg, 10 mg capsules 60 capsules /25 days 180 capsules /75 days

Syndros oral solution 120 mL/25 days 360 mL/75 days

*The duration of 25 days is used for a 30-day fill period and 75 days is used for a 90-day fill period to allow time for refill processing.

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