PRIOR AUTHORIZATION CRITERIA

BRAND NAME (generic)

SYMPROIC (naldemedine)

Status: CVS Caremark Criteria Type: Initial Prior Authorization

POLICY

FDA-APPROVED INDICATIONS

Symproic is indicated for the treatment of opioid-induced constipation (OIC) in adult patients with chronic non-cancer pain, including patients with chronic pain related to prior cancer or its treatment who do not require frequent (e.g., weekly) opioid dosage escalation.

COVERAGE CRITERIA

The requested drug will be covered with prior authorization when the following criteria are met:

The requested drug is being prescribed for the treatment of opioid-induced constipation (OIC) in an adult patient
with chronic non-cancer pain, including chronic pain related to prior cancer or its treatment who does not require
frequent (e.g., weekly) opioid dosage escalation

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