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Non-Sedating Antihistamines

Override(s)	Approval Duration
Prior Authorization (applies to both over the counter (OTC) and prescription (RX) versions of the medications listed)	1 year
Quantity Limit	

Medications	Quantity Limit
Allegra	May be subject to quantity limit
Allegra	
Allegra-D 12-Hour	
Allegra-D 24-Hour	
Allegra Suspension	
Cetirizine	
Cetirizine-D	
Cetirizine Solution	
Cetirizine Syrup	
Clarinet, Clarinet RediTab	
Clarinet-D 12-Hour	
Clarinet-D 24-Hour	
Clarinet syrup	
Desloratadine (generic Clarinet)	
Desloratadine ODT (generic Clarinet RediTab)	
Semprex-D	
Levocetirizine solution	
Levocetirizine tablet	

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Xyzal solution
Xyzal tablet

APPROVAL CRITERIA

Requests for an oral non-preferred non-sedating antihistamine may be approved when the following criteria are met:

- I. Individual has had a previous trial (medication samples/coupons/discount cards are excluded from consideration as a trial) and inadequate response or intolerance to: over-the-counter loratadine/loratadine-D and fexofenadine/fexofenadine D.

State Specific Mandates		
State name	Date effective	Mandate details (including specific bill if applicable)
N/A	N/A	N/A

Key References:

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