

Prior Authorization

JOHNS HOPKINS HEALTH PLANS (MEDICAID)

Xyrem - Priority Partners MCO

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Complete/review information, sign and date. Fax signed forms to Johns Hopkins Health Plans at
1-410-424-4607. Please contact Johns Hopkins Health Plans at **1-888-819-1043** with questions regarding the
Prior Authorization process.
When conditions are met, we will authorize the coverage of Xyrem - Priority Partners MCO.

Drug Name (select from list of drugs shown)

Xyrem (sodium oxybate)

Quantity	Frequency	Strength
Route of Administration	Expected Length of Therapy	

Patient Information

Patient Name: _____
Patient ID: _____
Patient Group No.: _____
Patient DOB: _____
Patient Phone: _____

Prescribing Physician

Physician Name: _____
Physician Phone: _____
Physician Fax: _____
Physician Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____

Diagnosis: _____ **ICD Code:** _____

Comments: _____

Please circle the appropriate answer for each question.

1. Is this request for continuation of therapy? Y N

[Note: The use of physician samples, or manufacturer product discounts, does not guarantee coverage under the provisions of the medical and/or pharmacy benefit. All pertinent criteria must be met in order to be eligible for benefit coverage.]

[If no, then skip to question 3.]

2. Is the patient showing clinical improvement as supported by documentation of at least one of the following: A) Reduction in frequency of cataplexy attacks, B) Reduction in excessive daytime sleepiness symptoms? Y N

[Note: Documentation must be provided.]	
[No further questions.]	
3. Is the patient 7 years of age or older?	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N
[If no, then no further questions.]	
4. Does the patient have any of the following: A) Concurrent use with alcohol, or other CNS depressants, B) Excessive daytime sleepiness not associated with narcolepsy, C) Fibromyalgia, D) Insomnia?	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N
[If yes, then no further questions.]	
5. Has the patient been diagnosed with one of the following: A) Narcolepsy with cataplexy, B) Narcolepsy without cataplexy?	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N
[Note: Documentation must be provided.]	
[If no, then no further questions.]	
6. Is the diagnosis supported by polysomnogram and mean sleep latency time (MSLT) objective testing?	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N
[Note: Documentation must be provided.]	
[If no, then no further questions.]	
7. Does the patient have symptoms of excessive daytime sleepiness?	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N
[Note: Documentation must be provided.]	
[If no, then no further questions.]	
8. Has the patient experienced inadequate response or intolerance to at least two oral medications commonly used to treat narcolepsy-related excessive daytime sleepiness?	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N
[Note: Documentation must be provided.]	

I attest that the medication requested is medically necessary for this patient. I further attest that the information provided is accurate and true, and that the documentation supporting this information is available for review if requested by the claims processor, the health plan sponsor, or, if applicable a state or federal regulatory agency.

Prescriber (Or Authorized) Signature and Date