



TEXAS MEDICAID
Clinical Edit Prior Authorization
Opioid Policy
Fentanyl Agents: transdermal fentanyl (DURAGESIC equiv)

STEP 1: CLEARLY PRINT AND COMPLETE TO EXPEDITE PROCESSING	
Date:	Prescriber First & Last Name:
Patient First & Last Name:	Prescriber NPI:
Patient Address:	Prescriber Address:
Patient ID:	Prescriber Phone:
Patient Date of Birth:	Prescriber Fax:
STEP 2: MEDICATION INFORMATION	
Medication Requested (Name):	Quantity Requested:
Dose Requested:	Dosing Instructions:
Patient's Primary Diagnosis: _____ ICD 10 Code: _____	
Indicate the drug's formulary status: *(Formulary available at www.txvendordrug.com) <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Preferred Drug (NPD or NAP Status, Go to Step 3 - PDL PA Criteria Applies) OR <input type="checkbox"/> Preferred Drug (Go to Step 4) OR <input type="checkbox"/> N/A as this request is for a CHIP / PERINATE client (Go to Step 4)	
STEP 3: PDL PRIOR AUTHORIZATION CRITERIA FOR NON-PREFERRED PRODUCT	
1. Has the client failed a 6-day treatment trial with at least 1 preferred agent in the last 180 days? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (Go to Step 4 Question 1) <input type="checkbox"/> No (Go to #2)	
2. Is there a documented allergy or contraindication to preferred agents in this class? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (Go to Step 4 Question 1) <input type="checkbox"/> No (Go to #3)	
3. Is the drug necessary for treatment of stage-4 advanced metastatic cancer and associated conditions? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (Go to Step 4 Question 1) <input type="checkbox"/> No (Deny)	



STEP 4: OPIOID POLICY CRITERIA

1. Does the client have a diagnosis of ONE (1) of the following in the last 365 days?

- Sickle cell
 - Palliative care
 - Cancer
 - Hospice care
- Yes (Go to Step 5 Question 1) No (Go to #2)

2. Does the client have a total of less than or equal to (\leq) 7 days supply of opiates in the last 60 days?

- Yes (Go to #3) No (Go to #6)

3. Is the days supply of the requested medication greater than ($>$) 10 days?

- Yes (Deny) No (Go to #4)

4. Is the request for a long-acting opioid agent?

- Yes (Deny) No (Go to #5)

5. Is the incoming request greater than ($>$) 90 morphine milligram equivalents (MME)?

- Yes (Deny) No (Go to Step 5 Question 1)

6. Does the client's total opiate intake exceed 90 morphine milligram equivalents (MME) per day?

- Yes (Deny) No (Go to Step 5 Question 1)

STEP 5: CLINICAL PRIOR AUTHORIZATION CRITERIA

1. Does the client have a diagnosis of cancer or fibrotic lung disease in the last 730 days?

- Yes (Go to #6) No (Go to #2)

2. Does the client have a history of an antineoplastic agent in the last 365 days?

- Yes (Go to #6) No (Go to #3)

3. Does the client have less than or equal to (\leq) 7 days of opioid therapy in the last 30 days?

- Yes (Go to #4) No (Go to #6)

4. Does the client have a diagnosis of Chronic Non-Malignant Pain (CNMP) in the last 365 days?

- Yes (Go to #6) No (Go to #5)



5. Does the client have a history of an inferring CNMP non-opioid analgesic for less than or equal to (\leq) 60 days out of the last 90 days? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (Deny) <input type="checkbox"/> No (Go to #6)
6. Is the dose less than or equal to (\leq) 25ug (mcg) per hour? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (Go to #8) <input type="checkbox"/> No (Go to #7)
7. Does the client have less than or equal to (\leq) 14 days of opioid therapy in the last 30 days? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (Deny) <input type="checkbox"/> No (Go to #8)
8. Is the dose less than or equal to (\leq) 600ug (mcg) per hour? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (Go to #9) <input type="checkbox"/> No (Deny)
9. Does the client have a total of less than or equal to (\leq) 7 days supply of opiates in the last 60 days? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (Approve – 1 x for incoming prescription) (opioid naïve) <input type="checkbox"/> No (Approve – 180 days) (opioid experienced)
STEP 6: SIGN AND FAX TO: NAVITUS PRIOR AUTHORIZATION AT: 855-668-8553
Prescriber Signature: _____ Date: _____

If criteria not met, submit chart documentation with form citing complex medical circumstances.
For questions, please call Navitus Customer Care at 1-877-908-6023.