BRAND NAME (generic)

DALIRESP (roflumilast)

Status: CVS Caremark Criteria Type: Initial Prior Authorization

POLICY

FDA-APPROVED INDICATIONS

Daliresp is indicated as a treatment to reduce the risk of COPD exacerbations in patients with severe COPD associated with chronic bronchitis and a history of exacerbations.

Limitations of Use

Daliresp is not a bronchodilator and is not indicated for the relief of acute bronchospasm.

Daliresp 250 mcg is a starting dose, for the first 4 weeks of treatment only and is not the effective (therapeutic) dose.

COVERAGE CRITERIA

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

• The requested drug is being prescribed to reduce the risk of chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) exacerbations in a patient with severe COPD associated with chronic bronchitis and a history of exacerbations

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