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Scope: Medicaid

**Methylphenidate Solution 5mg/5ml & 10mg/5ml
Methylphenidate chewable tablets 2.5mg, 5mg, 10mg**

POLICY

I. CRITERIA FOR APPROVAL

An authorization of 12 months may be granted when all the following criteria are met:

- A. Patient has documented diagnosis of attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) or narcolepsy
- B. Patient has documented failure or inability to swallow methylphenidate tablets or capsules

II. COVERAGE DURATION

- 12 months