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Scope: Medicaid

Doxylamine Succinate and Pyridoxine

POLICY

I. CRITERIA FOR APPROVAL

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

- A. Patient is pregnant and currently in gestational weeks 7 to 14
- B. Patient is being treated for nausea and vomiting in pregnancy
- C. Patient has failed or has a documented intolerance to, pyridoxine (vitamin B6) in combination with doxylamine
- D. Patient is not diagnosed with hyperemesis gravidarum

II. QUANTITY LIMIT

Doxylamine Succinate and Pyridoxine Hydrochloride 10mg/10mg: 4 tablets per day

III. COVERAGE DURATION

Coverage provided up to, and including, gestational week 14

IV. REFERENCES

1. Doxylamine succinate and pyridoxine hydrochloride tablet, extended release [package insert]. Parsippany, NJ; Teva Pharmaceuticals; October 2023. Accessed March 2024.