

Prescriber Criteria Form

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High Risk Medications (HRM) Criteria –Anticonvulsants  
Phenobarbital

This HRM List Applies To Formulary Drugs Only.  
Prior Authorization applies only to patients 70 years of age or older  
Coverage Determination

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Complete/review information, sign and date. Fax signed forms to CVS Caremark at **1-855-633-7673**. Please  
contact CVS Caremark at **1-866-785-5714** with questions regarding the prior authorization process. When  
conditions are met, we will authorize the coverage of Phenobarbital.

Drug Name:  
Phenobarbital

**Patient Name:**

**Patient ID:**

**Patient DOB:**

**Patient Phone:**

**Prescriber Name:**

**Prescriber Address:**

**City:**

**State:**

**Zip:**

**Prescriber Phone:**

**Prescriber Fax:**

**Diagnosis:**

**ICD Code(s):**

**Please circle the appropriate answer for each question.**

1	Does the patient have a diagnosis of epilepsy? [If no, then no further questions.]	Yes	No
2	The American Geriatrics Society identifies the use of this medication as potentially inappropriate in older adults, meaning it is best avoided, prescribed at reduced dosage, or used with caution or carefully monitored. Does the benefit of therapy with this prescribed medication outweigh the potential risks for this patient?	Yes	No

Comments:

By signing this form, I attest that the information provided is accurate and true as of this date and that the documentation supporting this information is available for review if requested by the health plan.

**Prescriber (or Authorized) Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_