

Criteria-Based Consultation Prescribing Program CRITERIA FOR DRUG COVERAGE

Levorphanol

Initiation (new start) criteria: Non-formulary **levorphanol** will be covered on the prescription drug benefit when the following criteria are met:

- Prescribed by a Pain Management Specialist
- Prior adequate trial and failure of or intolerance to all formulary or preferred opioids (e.g. oxyCODONE immediate-release, traMADol, HYDROcodone, morphine immediate-release, HYDROmorphine immediate-release, oxyCODONE extended-release, fentaNYL transdermal, methadone, oxyMORphone ER)

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