

## **QUANTITY LIMIT EXCEPTION CRITERIA FOR APPROVAL**

The requested medication will be approved when BOTH of the following are met:

- 1. The patient has an FDA labeled indication or an indication that is supported in CMS approved compendia for the requested medication
  - AND
- 2. ONE of the following:
  - A. The requested quantity (dose) does NOT exceed the program quantity limit **OR**
  - B. ALL of the following:
    - i. The requested quantity (dose) is greater than the program quantity limit **AND**
    - ii. The requested quantity (dose) cannot be achieved with a lower quantity of a higher strength that does not exceed the program quantity limit AND
    - iii. The prescriber has provided information in support of therapy with a higher dose for the requested indication

Length of Approval: 12 months