

Pharmacy Drug Policy & Procedure

Policy Name:	Recorlev (levoketoconazole)	Policy #:	3158P

Purpose of the Policy

The purpose of this policy is to establish the criteria for coverage of Recorlev (levoketoconazole).

Statement of the Policy

Health Alliance Medical Plans will approve the use of Recorlev (levoketoconazole) under the pharmacy benefit when the following criteria have been met.

Criteria

1. Coverage Criteria for Cushing's Syndrome

- 1.1 Diagnosis of endogenous hypercortisolemia related to Cushing's syndrome
- 1.2 Age 18 years or older
- 1.3 Ordered by or in consultation with an endocrinologist (doctor of hormone-related conditions)
- 1.4 Patient is not a candidate for surgery, or previous surgery has not been curative
- 1.5 Documented trial and failure of ketoconazole

2. Approval Period

- 2.1 Initial approval: 12 months
- 2.2 Reauthorization: 12 months with documented clinical benefit as evidenced by a decrease in urinary free cortisol levels from baseline

3. Managed Dose Limit

3.1 240 tablets per 30 days

CPT Codes	
HCPCS Codes	

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