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Prior Authorization Form
Sedative Hypnotic Step Therapy

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Fax completed form to **1-877-329-3760**
If this an **URGENT** request, please call 1-800-753-2851

Patient Information

Patient First Name: _____

Patient Last Name: _____

Patient ID#: _____

Patient DOB: _____

Patient Phone #: _____

Prescriber Information

Prescriber Name: _____

Prescriber DEA/NPI **(required)**: _____

Prescriber Phone #: _____

Prescriber Fax #: _____

Prescriber Address: _____

State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Primary Diagnosis: _____ ICD Code: _____

Please indicate which drug and strength is being requested:

- ☐ Ambien 5mg
- ☐ Ambien 10mg
- ☐ Ambien CR 6.25mg
- ☐ Ambien CR 12.5mg
- ☐ Edluar 5mg Sublingual Tablet
- ☐ Edluar 10mg Sublingual Tablet
- ☐ Lunesta 1mg
- ☐ Lunesta 2mg
- ☐ Lunesta 3mg
- ☐ Rozerem 8mg
- ☐ Silenor 3mg
- ☐ Silenor 6mg
- ☐ Sonata 5mg
- ☐ Sonata 10mg
- ☐ Zolpimist 5mg/actuation Oral Spray
- ☐ Intermezzo

Directions for use (i.e. QD, BID, PRN & Qty):_____

Please complete the clinical assessment:			
1. Is the patient currently taking the requested medication? If yes, for how long? _____ _____	☐ Yes	☐ No	☐ N/A
2. Is the patient taking samples or paying 100% out of pocket for the medication being requested? If no, please indicate: ☐ Requested medication covered under previous insurance plan ☐ Started medication in hospital ☐ Other: _____	☐ Yes	☐ No	☐ N/A
3. Does the patient have difficulty swallowing OR is the patient unable to swallow tablets?	☐ Yes	☐ No	☐ N/A

4. Does the patient have middle-of-the-night awakening followed by difficulty returning to sleep?	☐ Yes	☐ No	☐ N/A
5. Does the patient have a documented history of addiction to controlled substances?	☐ Yes	☐ No	☐ N/A
6. Has the patient tried generic zolpidem IR, generic zolpidem ER, or generic zaleplon? If yes, please indicate which sedative hypnotic patient has tried: _____ _____	☐ Yes	☐ No	☐ N/A

Are there any other comments, diagnoses, symptoms, and/or any other information the physician feels is important to this review?

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Prescriber Signature: _____Date: _____

Office Contact Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Based upon each patient's prescription plan, additional questions may be required to complete the prior authorization process. If you have any questions about the process or required information, please contact our prior authorization team at the number listed on the top of this form.

Prior Authorization of Benefits is not the practice of medicine or a substitute for the independent medical judgment of a treating physician. Only a treating physician can determine what medications are appropriate for the patient. Please refer to the applicable plan for the detailed information regarding benefits, conditions, limitations, and exclusions.