

modafinil, oral (PROVIGIL) PROVIGIL (modafinil, oral)

Diagnosis Considered for Coverage:

• Improve wakefulness in patients with excessive sleepiness associated with narcolepsy, obstructive sleep apnea (OSA), and shift work disorder

Coverage Criteria:

1. For generic armodafinil and diagnosis narcolepsy:

- Positive polysomnography (sleep study) for narcolepsy, and
- Dose does not exceed 400 mg per day

2. For generic armodafinil and diagnosis obstructive sleep apnea:

- Sleep study confirms OSAHS OR patient is currently using CPAP or BiPAP therapy, and
- Patient has hypersomnolence score at least 10 on the Epworth Sleepiness Scale,
 and
- Dose does not exceed 400 mg per day, and
- One of the following:
 - Patient is currently on CPAP AND armodafinil will be added to CPAP therapy,
 or
 - Patient is intolerant to CPAP and is using one of the following therapies for OSA: BIPAP, oral appliances AND armodafinil will be added, or
 - Patient has undergone a previous surgical procedure for OSA (uvulopalatopharngoplasty, maxillomandibular advancement, or radiofrequency ablation of throat tissue).

3. For generic armodafinil and diagnosis shift work disorder:

- Dose does not exceed 400 mg per day, and
- One of the following shift work schedule interrupts normal circadian sleep pattern:
 - Night shift worker with hours of 11pm-7am, or
 - Early morning shift worker with starting hours between 4am -7am, or
 - Rotating shift worker where scheduling changes adversely affect normal circadian sleep pattern.

4. For brand-name Provigil:

- Meets above coverage criteria for generic, and
- Allergic or intolerable side effect to the generic formulation

Coverage Duration: Length of benefit

Effective: 2/04/2020