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topiramate extended release capsule (QUDEXY XR)

Diagnoses Considered for Coverage:

- Partial Onset Seizures
- Primary Generalized Tonic-Clonic Seizures
- Seizures associated with Lennox-Gastaut Syndrome
- Prevention of migraine headaches

Coverage Criteria:

For diagnosis of seizures:

- Adequate trial with immediate-release topiramate (generic Topamax), and
- Dose does not exceed FDA approved dosing

For prevention of migraine headache:

- Medical rationale why patient is unable to use immediate-release topiramate (generic Topamax), **and**
- Dose does not exceed FDA approved dosing

Coverage Duration: one year

Effective Date: 6/28/2023