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adapalene 0.1% solution (Differin)

Diagnoses Considered for Coverage:

Acne vulgaris

Coverage Criteria:

For generic adapalene 0.1% solution:

- Being used for acne vulgaris, and
- Medical rationale why patient cannot use the preferred topical adapalene 0.1% formulations cream and lotion.

For brand-name Differin 0.1% solution:

- Meets above coverage criteria for generic, and
- Patient is allergic or experienced intolerable side effect to the generic adapalene 0.1% solution

Coverage Duration: 1 year

Effective: 10/06/2020