

QUANTITY LIMIT CRITERIA

DRUG CLASS	ERECTILE DYSFUNCTION - BPH DRUGS
BRAND NAME (generic) ALPROSTADILS:	CAVERJECT (alprostadil) EDEX (alprostadil) MUSE (alprostadil)
PHOSPHODIESTERASE TYPE 5 (PDE-5) INHIBITORS:	CHEWTADZY (tadalafil chewable tablets) CIALIS (tadalafil) STENDRA (avanafil) (vardenafil) (vardenafil orally disintegrating tablet) VIAGRA (sildenafil)
Status: CVS Caremark® Criteria Type: Quantity Limit	

POLICY

FDA-APPROVED INDICATION

ALPROSTADILS

Caverject

Erectile Dysfunction

Caverject is indicated for the treatment of erectile dysfunction.

Diagnostic Test

Caverject is indicated as an adjunct to other diagnostic tests in the diagnosis of erectile dysfunction.

Edex

ED-BPH Alprostadils, PDE-5 Inhibitors Limit Policy 05-2024 v2.docx

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Edex is indicated for the treatment of erectile dysfunction due to neurogenic, vasculogenic, psychogenic, or mixed etiology.

Muse

Muse is indicated for the treatment of erectile dysfunction. Studies that established benefit demonstrated improvements in success rates for sexual intercourse compared with similarly administered placebo.

PHOSPHODIESTERASE TYPE 5 (PDE-5) INHIBITORS

Chewtadzy

Erectile Dysfunction

Chewtadzy is indicated for the treatment of erectile dysfunction (ED) in adult males.

Benign Prostatic Hyperplasia

Chewtadzy is indicated for the treatment of the signs and symptoms of benign prostatic hyperplasia (BPH) in adult males.

Erectile Dysfunction and Benign Prostatic Hyperplasia

Chewtadzy is indicated for the treatment of ED and the signs and symptoms of BPH (ED/BPH) in adult males.

Limitations of Use

If Chewtadzy is used with finasteride to initiate BPH treatment, such use is recommended for up to 26 weeks because the incremental benefit of tadalafil decreases from 4 weeks until 26 weeks, and the incremental benefit of tadalafil beyond 26 weeks is unknown.

Chewtadzy is not indicated for once daily use for ED because dosing is not possible in such patients (the recommended dosage for this indication cannot be achieved with the lowest available strength).

Cialis

Erectile Dysfunction

Cialis is indicated for the treatment of erectile dysfunction (ED).

Benign Prostatic Hyperplasia

Cialis is indicated for the treatment of the signs and symptoms of benign prostatic hyperplasia (BPH).

Erectile Dysfunction and Benign Prostatic Hyperplasia

Cialis is indicated for the treatment of ED and the signs and symptoms of BPH (ED/BPH).

Limitation of Use

If Cialis is used with finasteride to initiate BPH treatment, such use is recommended for up to 26 weeks because the incremental benefit of Cialis decreases from 4 weeks until 26 weeks, and the incremental benefit of Cialis beyond 26 weeks is unknown.

Stendra

Stendra is a phosphodiesterase 5 (PDE5) inhibitor indicated for the treatment of erectile dysfunction in adult males.

Vardenafil

Vardenafil hydrochloride tablets are indicated for the treatment of erectile dysfunction.

Vardenafil orally disintegrating tablet

Vardenafil hydrochloride orally disintegrating tablet is indicated for the treatment of erectile dysfunction.

Viagra

Viagra is indicated for the treatment of erectile dysfunction.

INITIAL LIMIT QUANTITY

Limits should accumulate across all drugs and strengths up to highest quantity listed depending on the order the claims are processed.

PLEASE NOTE: Since manufacturer package sizes may vary, it is the discretion of the dispensing pharmacy to fill quantities per package size up to these quantity limits. In such cases the filling limit and day supply may be less than what is indicated.

Drug	1 Month Limit*	3 Month Limit*
Caverject (alprostadil)	6 units / 25 days	18 units / 75 days
Chewtadzy (tadalafil chewable tablets) 5 mg	30 tablets / 25 days	90 tablets / 75 days
Chewtadzy (tadalafil chewable tablets) 10 mg, 20 mg	6 tablets / 25 days	18 tablets / 75 days
Cialis (tadalafil) 2.5 mg, 5 mg	30 tablets / 25 days	90 tablets / 75 days
Cialis (tadalafil) 10 mg, 20 mg	6 tablets / 25 days	18 tablets / 75 days
Edex (alprostadil)	6 units / 25 days	18 units / 75 days
Muse (alprostadil)	6 units / 25 days	18 units / 75 days
Stendra (avanafil)	6 tablets / 25 days	18 tablets / 75 days
varafenafil tablets	6 tablets / 25 days	18 tablets / 75 days
varafenafil ODT	6 tablets / 25 days	18 tablets / 75 days
Viagra (sildenafil)	6 tablets / 25 days	18 tablets / 75 days

* The duration of 25 days is used for a 30-day fill period and 75 days is used for a 90-day fill period to allow time for refill processing.

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