

CarePlus to require prior authorization for Nuedexta effective May 1, 2018

Effective May 1, 2018, CarePlus will add a prior authorization requirement to Nuedexta (dextromethorphan hydrobromide and quinidine sulfate) on its formularies.

Prescribers with patients currently taking Nuedexta will not be impacted by this change. Those patients will be able to continue taking the medication until the end of the plan year. On May 1, all patients with new prescriptions must have a prior authorization for Nuedexta for the claim to be covered.

Prescribers with questions regarding this change may call the CarePlus Pharmacy Coverage Determination Review team at 1-866-315-7587, Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Eastern time.