

<b>Clinical Policy Title:</b>	solriamfetol
<b>Policy Number:</b>	RxA.472
<b>Drug(s) Applied:</b>	Sunosi®
<b>Original Policy Date:</b>	03/06/2020
<b>Last Review Date:</b>	08/28/2024
<b>Line of Business Policy Applies to:</b>	All lines of business (except Medicare)

## Criteria

### I. Initial Approval Criteria

#### A. Narcolepsy (must meet all):

1. Diagnosis of narcolepsy;
2. Trial and failure of a central nervous system stimulant for at least one (1) month unless contraindicated or clinically significant adverse effects are experienced: amphetamine immediate-release (IR), amphetamine, dextroamphetamine IR, dextroamphetamine, or methylphenidate IR;  
\*Prior authorization may be required for CNS stimulants
3. Trial and failure of armodafinil (Nuvigil®) or modafinil (Provigil®) for at least one (1) month unless contraindicated or clinically significant side effects are experienced.  
\*Prior authorization may be required for armodafinil/modafinil

#### Approval duration

**All Lines of Business (except Medicare):** 12 months

#### B. Obstructive Sleep Apnea (must meet all):

1. Diagnosis of OSA;
2. Documented evidence of residual sleepiness despite compliant CPAP use as monotherapy for at least one (1) month;
3. Trial and failure of armodafinil (Nuvigil®) or modafinil (Provigil®) for at least one (1) month unless contraindicated or clinically significant side effects are experienced.  
\*Prior authorization may be required for armodafinil/modafinil

#### Approval duration

**All Lines of Business (except Medicare):** 12 months

### II. Continued Therapy

#### A. All Indications in Section I (must meet all):

1. Auto-approval based on lookback functionality within the past 120 days as a proxy for member responding positively to therapy.

#### Approval duration

**All Lines of Business (except Medicare):** 12 months

## References

1. Morgenthaler TI, Kapur VK, Brown TM, et al. Practice parameters for the treatment of narcolepsy and other

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<https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC2276123/>. Accessed August 28, 2024.

Review/Revision History	Review/Revision Date	P&T Approval Date
Policy established.	01/2020	03/06/2020
Policy was reviewed: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Clinical policy title was updated.</li> <li>Line of Business Policy Applies to was updated to "All lines of business".</li> <li>Initial approval criteria: updated the specialist requirement in Obstructive Sleep Apnea and Narcolepsy Initial approval criteria.</li> <li>Commercial approval duration was updated for initial and Continued approval criteria.</li> <li>Continued therapy criteria II.A.1 was rephrased to "Currently receiving medication that has been authorized by RxAdvance...".</li> <li>Reference was reviewed and updated.</li> </ol>	12/03/2020	12/07/2020
Policy was reviewed: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>References were reviewed and updated.</li> </ol>	08/30/2021	12/07/2021
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Policy was reviewed.	10/19/2023	10/19/2023
Policy was reviewed: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Removed age restrictions.</li> <li>Removed prescriber restrictions.</li> <li>Removed dose restrictions.</li> <li>Updated Continued therapy approval with auto-approval based on lookback functionality within the past 120 days.</li> <li>Removed reauthorization requirement for positive response to therapy.</li> <li>Updated approval duration verbiage.</li> <li>References were reviewed and updated.</li> </ol>	08/28/2024	09/13/2024