



Medicare Part D – 2012

Prior Authorization Group Description

SAVELLA

Covered Uses:

All FDA-approved indications not otherwise excluded from Part D. Depression.

Exclusion Criteria:

Use of monoamine oxidase inhibitors concomitantly or in close temporal proximity. Use in patients with uncontrolled narrow-angle glaucoma.

Required Medical Information:

FIBROMYALGIA: Documentation of the number and location of tender points OR Chart notes documenting the history of the condition.

Age Restrictions:

Prescriber Restrictions:

Coverage Duration:

Length of benefit.

Other Criteria:

FIBROMYALGIA: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to Cymbalta. DEPRESSION: Failure or clinically significant adverse effects to ONE preferred generic antidepressant including: bupropion, citalopram, fluoxetine, mirtazapine, paroxetine, sertraline, venlafaxine.