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## 7 Day Opioid Supply Limit for Opioid Naïve Patients

**For Primary Care Providers:** Starting July 1, 2018, the Alliance will implement a 7-day supply limit for opioid naïve patients. Opioid naïve patients will also be subject to a MED (morphine equivalent dose) ceiling of 50mg MED. Exclusions to the quantity limit restrictions include members stable on high doses of opioids, members with cancer, and members with palliative/hospice care plans. Prior authorizations will be required for prescription regimens exceeding the new quantity limits listed in the table below.

Opioid	Generic Name and Strengths	Limit
Norco (hydrocodone-acetaminophen) tablets	Hydrocodone-Acetaminophen 2.5-325	70 tablets per 7 days
	Hydrocodone-Acetaminophen 5-325mg	60 tablets per 7 days
	Hydrocodone-Acetaminophen 7.5-325mg	30 tablets per 7 days
	Hydrocodone-Acetaminophen 10-325mg	30 tablets per 7 days
Percocet (oxycodone-acetaminophen) tablets	Oxycodone-Acetaminophen 5-325mg	42 tablets per 7 days
	Oxycodone-Acetaminophen 7.5-325mg	21 tablets per 7 days
	Oxycodone-Acetaminophen 10-325mg	21 tablets per 7 days
Ultram (Tramadol tablets)	Tramadol, Tramadol/Acetaminophen (all strengths)	42 tablets per 7 days
Oxycodone IR tablets	Oxycodone 5mg tablet	42 tablets per 7 days
	Oxycodone 10mg tablet	21 tablets per 7 days
Dilaudid (hydromorphone) tablets	Hydromorphone 2mg tablet	42 tablets per 7 days
	Hydromorphone 4mg tablets	21 tablets per 7 days
Other opioids	Acetaminophen with codeine solution	400ml per 7 days
	Acetaminophen with codeine tablets	30 tablets per 7 days
	Hydrocodone-Ibuprofen 7.5-200	42 tablets per 7 days
	Hydrocodone acetaminophen solution	473 ml per 7 days
	Morphine sulfate Immediate Release 15mg	21 tablets per 7 days
	Morphine sulfate solution 10mg/5ml	175ml per 7 days