

## Apomorphine (Apokyn, Kynmobi, and generic apomorphine)

## **Coverage Criteria:**

Reserved for patients meeting the following criteria:

- 1. Patient is an adult diagnosed with Parkinson's disease; and
- 2. Prescribed by or in consultation with a neurologist; and
- 3. Medication is prescribed for acute, intermittent treatment of hypo-mobility "off" episodes
- 4. Apomorphine will not be used in combination with inhaled levodopa (Inbrija); and
- 5. Trial and failure of Inbrija for at least 4 weeks, or documented allergy or contraindication to Inbrija or carbidopa/levodopa, or inability to use Inbrija device; and
- 6. For brand name requests: patient has a documented allergic reaction to generic apomorphine; and
- 7. Prescribed within the FDA approved regimen

## **Coverage Duration:**

Initial authorization will be provided for 3 months and reauthorizations for 12 months.

## **Renewal Criteria:**

1. Provider documentation of improvement in off period symptoms with use of apomorphine