



Medication Audit Checklist

**Methylphenidate (Ritalin® , Concerta™),
dextroamphetamine (Dexedrine®, Zenzedi®),
dextroamphetamine/amphetamine mixture (Adderall®),
dexmethylphenidate ER (Focalin XR®), lisdexamfetamine
(Vyvanse®)**

Audit Information

Reviewer:	Audit Date:
Drug:	Dose:
Audit #:	Does this audit require a physician review? Y or N

Patient Information

Patient #:	Admit Date:
Age:	Gender:
Ordering Provider:	Attending Provider:

Indication	Comments	Does this indication require a physician review?
Attention deficit hyperactivity disorder		

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Indication	Comments	Does this indication require a physician review?
Narcolepsy (methylphenidate; dextroamphetamine; dextroamphetamine/amphetamine mixture)		
Binge eating disorder (lisdexamfetamine)		
Severe treatment resistant depression or depression in medically compromised patients		

Contraindications - Absolute	Comments	Does this contraindication require a physician review?
History of anaphylactic reaction or similarly severe significant hypersensitivity to the medication prescribed		
Concomitant use or use within 14 days of MAOI administration, including linezolid or IV methylene blue; may result in hypertensive crisis		

Contraindications - Absolute	Comments	Does this contraindication require a physician review?
Known structural cardiac abnormalities, cardiomyopathy, serious heart rhythm abnormalities and coronary artery disease		

Contraindications - Relative	Comments	Does this contraindication require a physician review?
Tourette's syndrome or other motor or vocal tics		
Pre-existing psychosis		
Hypertension		
Cardiovascular disease (dextroamphetamine, dextroamphetamine/amphetamine mixture)		
Glaucoma (dextroamphetamine, methylphenidate, dextroamphetamine/amphetamine mixture)		
History of drug abuse/dependence		
Hyperthyroidism		
Pregnant or nursing mothers		

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Contraindications - Relative	Comments	Does this contraindication require a physician review?
Agitated states		
Advanced arteriosclerosis (dextroamphetamine, dextroamphetamine/amphetamine)		

Patient Monitoring - Parameters	Comments	Does this require a physician review?
Black Box Warning: CNS stimulants, including amphetamines, dextroamphetamine, dextroamphetamine/amphetamine, dexamethylphenidate, lisdexamfetamine, and methylphenidate, have a high potential for abuse and dependence. Assess the risk of abuse prior to prescribing and monitor for signs of abuse and dependence while on therapy.		
Height and weight in children (baseline and as clinically indicated)		
EKG, as clinically indicated - based on family and patient history regarding symptoms of cardiac condition (e.g., palpitations, syncope, near syncope), and risk factors associated with sudden cardiac death		
Blood pressure – monthly for three months, then every 6 months		

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Patient Monitoring - Parameters	Comments	Does this require a physician review?
Pregnancy test – baseline and as clinically indicated		

Patient Monitoring - Dosing	Comments	Does this require a physician review?
See HHSC Psychiatric Drug Formulary for dosage guidelines		
Exceptions to maximum dosage must be justified as per medication rule		