

## Drug Monograph

Drug Name: **Dilaudid® (hydromorphone) Pre-Filled Syringe**  
 Drug Class: **Opioid Analgesic**  
 Prepared For: MO HealthNet  
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**New Criteria**

**Revision of Existing Criteria**

### Executive Summary

**Purpose:** The purpose of this monograph is to provide a review of new therapy to determine whether the reviewed drug should be made available on an open access basis to prescribers, require a clinical edit or require prior authorization for use.

**Dosage Forms:** Dilaudid is now available in 0.2 mg/mL pre-filled syringes.

**Manufacturer:** Fresenius Kabi USA, Lake Zurich, IL 60047.

**Indications:** Dilaudid is indicated for the management of pain severe enough to require an opioid analgesic and for which alternative treatments are inadequate.

**Costs:** \$3.00 per 0.2 mg/mL syringe or \$30.00 per 10 count Wholesale Acquisition Cost

**Summary of Findings:** MO HealthNet Division recommends Open Access status for this product.

**Status Recommendation:**

<input type="checkbox"/> Clinical Edit	<input type="checkbox"/> PA Required
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Open Access	<input type="checkbox"/> PDL

**Type of PA Criteria:**

<input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate Indications	<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Preferred
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No PA Required	<input type="checkbox"/> Preferred

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