

NEW STARTS

Accredo Option

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- Neurologist completes Patient Release of Information (Form 10-5345) and APOKYN VA Prescription and Enrollment Form and faxes to VA Pharmacy.
- VA Pharmacy faxes the enrollment form to Accredo Specialty (888-454-8488).
- Accredo obtains VA credit card information and obligation number for orders. For orders which do not utilize credit card as the method of payment, the invoice along with the obligation number must be submitted electronically by Accredo via the Tungsten Network.
- Accredo ships trimethobenzamide (42 pills), patient education kit, sharps container, bandages and alcohol swabs to the patient's home. Filled prescription of APOKYN titration dose, pen and needles sent to VA Pharmacy with patient's name included on delivery label, or to patient's home as indicated by VA on VA Prescription and Enrollment Form.
- Patient starts trimethobenzamide 3 days prior to titration visit with Neurologist and picks up APOKYN at VA Pharmacy the day of titration appointment and brings to Neurologist's office.

McKesson Wholesale Transaction Option

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- APOKYN can be ordered for new prescriptions as a wholesale purchase by the VA Pharmacy by contacting McKesson. In this capacity, McKesson is only serving as a wholesaler and does not fill the prescription or obtain patient information. The VA Pharmacy would then fill as a traditional prescription.
- Order the product via McKesson Connect or with a customer service representative.
- The APOKYN Pen Pak is only available from VA CMOP
- VA Pharmacy provides APOKYN and trimethobenzamide to the patient and manages all refills.

MAINTENANCE PRESCRIPTIONS

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- VA Pharmacy faxes maintenance prescription to Accredo (888-454-8488) and updates VA pharmacy system. Accredo fills the prescription and sends an invoice to the pharmacy. The filled prescription will be sent directly to the patient. The prescription can be sent to the pharmacy if instructed by VA Pharmacy staff.

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- Order the product via McKesson Connect or with a customer service representative.
- VA Pharmacy provides APOKYN and trimethobenzamide to the patient and manages all refills.