



Medication Audit Checklist

Clonidine (Catapres® , Kapvay®), Guanfacine (Tenex® , Intuniv®)

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		
Symptoms related to opioid withdrawal (clonidine)		

Contraindications - Absolute	Comments	Does this contraindication require a physician review?
Hypersensitivity to medication prescribed		

Contraindications - Relative	Comments	Does this contraindication require a physician review?
Pregnancy/nursing mothers		

Patient Monitoring - Parameters	Comments	Does this require a physician review?
Blood pressure and heart rate – baseline, then daily for 4 days after initiation or dose increase, quarterly and as clinically indicated		
EKG – For patients with known heart disease, a personal history of syncope, a family history of sudden death at an early age (under age 40 years, especially if both parents had sudden death)		

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		