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Mid-Atlantic States

## Nidra TOMAC Therapy

### Medical Coverage Policy

#### **UTILIZATION \* ALERT\***

- Prior to use of this MCP for evaluation of medical necessity, benefit coverage MUST be verified in the member's EOC or benefit document.
- For Medicare members, please consult the Medicare Coverage Database.

#### **I. Procedure: Nidra or NTX100 Tonic Motor Activation (NTX100 TOMAC) system**

#### **II. Overview**

The **NTX100 Tonic Motor Activation (NTX100 TOMAC) system** or **Nidra TOMAC Therapy (E0743)** is a non-invasive peripheral nerve stimulation device for Restless Legs Syndrome (RLS) relief of adults who are drug-refractory to RLS medication. It features a pair of wearable devices that are externally worn on each lower extremity to deliver bilateral electrical stimulation on the peroneal nerves.

#### **III. Clinical Indication**

Nidra, TOMAC therapy is medically necessary when **ALL** of the following are met.

- Confirmed diagnosis of severe Restless Legs Syndrome (RLS) that is recalcitrant, medication refractory; **and**
- Presence of documentation that RLS' exacerbating factors (such as alcohol, caffeine, antihistaminergic, serotonergic, antidopaminergic medications, untreated obstructive sleep apnea or other co-existing sleep disorders) have been addressed; **and**
- Documentation that all other pharmacologic treatments or in combination with non-pharmacologic strategy for RLS were tried but ineffective, unable to be tolerated, contraindicated or failed

#### **1. Primary RLS**

- Pharmacologic therapy
  - Gabapentin;
  - Gabapentin enacarbil;
  - Cabergoline;
  - Pregabalin;
  - Intravenous ferric carboxymaltose in patients with appropriate iron status;



- vi. Intravenous low molecular weight Iron dextran in patients with appropriate iron status;
- vii. Ferrous sulfate in patients with appropriate iron status;
- viii. Dipyridamole; or
- ix. With caution, low dose opioids or extended-release oxycodone

## 2. Secondary RLS

There is documentation that treatment of the RLS' underlying cause was attempted but failed to reduce RLS symptoms.

## IV. Exclusion

Except for severe recalcitrant, medication-refractory RLS, the use of Nidra neuromodulation device for any other condition is not medically necessary and considered to be experimental and investigational.

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### **Approval History**

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<b>Date approved by RUMC</b>	<b>Date of Implementation</b>
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