

# Ciprofloxacin-Dexamethasone Otic



**Included Products:** Ciprodex (ciprofloxacin-dexamethasone)

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## Acute Otitis Externa

Initial Criteria		If yes	If no
1.	Does the member have a diagnosis of acute otitis externa (swimmer's ear)?	Continue to #2.	Do not approve.
2.	Has the member failed ciprofloxacin or ofloxacin otic?	Continue to #3.	Do not approve.
3.	Has the member failed treatment with neomycin/polymyxin B/HC otic?	Continue to #5.	Continue to #4.
4.	Does the member have a perforated tympanic membrane or tympanostomy tubes?	Continue to #5.	Do not approve.
5.	Approve for 7 days for 1 bottle.		

## Acute Otitis Media

Initial Criteria		If yes	If no
1.	Is the request for prophylaxis following tympanostomy tube placement?	Do not approve.	Continue to #2.
2.	Is the diagnosis acute otitis media with tympanostomy tubes (AOMT) or post-operative tympanostomy tube otorrhea and/or granulation tissue?	Continue to #3.	Do not approve.
3.	Approve for 7 days for 1 bottle.		