

## **Therapeutic Interchange for Nasal Steroids**

Patients under the age of 16 years old are excluded from this interchange

| Ordered As                              | Substitute To  |
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| Beclomethasone (Beconase)               | Fluticasone propionate (Flonase) Two sprays (50 mcg/spray) per nostril once daily* |
| Budesonide (Rhinocort)                  |  |
| Ciclesonide (Omnaris)                   |  |
| Flunisolide (Nasarel)                   |  |
| Fluticasone furoate (Veramyst)          |  |
| Mometasone (Nasonex)                    |  |
| Triamcinolone (Nasacort)**              |  |
| Fluticasone proprionate 93 mcg (Xhance) | Do not substitute. Attempt to obtain patient's own med.                            |

<sup>\*</sup>If original order for nasal steroid is PRN, substitute to two sprays (50 mcg/spray) per nostril once daily PRN and do not dispense unless requested

## Reference:

J Allergy Clin Immunol. 2008; 122: S1-84. Senior, et al. Int Forum Allergy Rhino. 2011; 11(5):837-845.

<sup>\*\*</sup>If a non-alcohol based nasal spray is required, substitute triamcinolone (Nasacort) Two sprays (55 mcg/spray) per nostril once daily\*\*