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We consider the optimal control problem of the quantum systems described by the Schrödinger equation. Control inputs enter through coupling operators and results in a bilinear control system. Nonsmooth feedback control laws are developed for the orbit tracking via a controlled Hamiltonian. Wellposeness and asymptotic tracking properties of the feedback laws are analyzed. Numerical integrations via time-splitting are also analyzed and used to demonstrate the feasibility of the proposed feedback laws. Next, a monotone scheme for the solving the optimality system is described. Finally, we develope the receding horizon control synthesis, which improves the performance of the proposed feedback laws significantly. (Received September 03, 2008)