



Cimzia

Prior Authorization Request

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Patient's Name: _____ Date: _____
Patient's ID: _____ Patient's Date of Birth: _____
Physician's Name: _____
Specialty: _____ NPI#: _____
Physician Office Telephone: _____ Physician Office Fax: _____
Request Initiated For: _____

1. What is the prescribed dose and frequency?

a) **Loading dose:**

- Cimzia Starter Kit Quantity and Frequency: _____
- Cimzia 200 mg PFS (prefilled syringe) Quantity and Frequency: _____
- Cimzia Kit (lyophilized powder - vial) Quantity and Frequency: _____
- Other _____

b) **Maintenance dose:**

- Cimzia 200 mg PFS (prefilled syringe) Quantity and Frequency: _____
- Cimzia Kit (lyophilized powder - vial) Quantity and Frequency: _____
- Other _____

2. Has the patient been diagnosed with any of the following?

- Moderately to severely active rheumatoid arthritis (RA) Active psoriatic arthritis (PsA)
- Active psoriatic arthritis (PsA) WITH co-existent plaque psoriasis Active ankylosing spondylitis (AS)
Please indicate primary diagnosis being treated:
- Active psoriatic arthritis Moderate to severe plaque psoriasis
- Active non-radiographic axial spondyloarthritis Moderate to severe plaque psoriasis
- Moderately to severely active Crohn's disease (CD) Other _____

3. What is the ICD-10 code? _____

4. What is the patient's weight? _____ kg/lbs (circle one)

Section A: Preferred Product

5. These are the preferred products for which coverage is provided for treatment of the following indications:

Question continues on next page.

- a) Ankylosing spondylitis: **Cosentyx, Enbrel, Humira, Remicade, Rinvoq, Simponi Aria**
- b) Crohn's disease: **Humira, Remicade, Rinvoq, Skyrizi (IV), Skyrizi (SC), Stelara (IV), Stelara (SC)**
- c) Plaque psoriasis: **Humira, Ilumya, Otezla, Remicade, Skyrizi, Sotyktu, Stelara (SC), Taltz, Tremfya**
- d) Psoriatic arthritis: **Cosentyx, Enbrel, Humira, Otezla, Remicade, Rinvoq, Simponi Aria, Skyrizi, Stelara (SC), Tremfya**

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e) Rheumatoid arthritis: **Enbrel, Humira, Kevzara, Orencia /Orencia Clickject, Remicade, Rinvoq, Simponi Aria, Xeljanz/Xeljanz XR**

Can the patient's treatment be switched to a preferred product?

Yes - Please specify: _____ *If Yes, please call 1-866-814-5506 to have the updated form faxed to your office OR you may complete the PA electronically (ePA). You may sign up online via CoverMyMeds at: www.covermymeds.com/epa/caremark/ or call 1-866-452-5017.*

No - Continue request for non-preferred product, Cimzia

Not applicable - Requested for condition not listed above, skip to Section B: All Requests.

6. *If request is for Cimzia syringe, is this request for continuation of therapy with the requested product?*

Yes No N/A, request is for Cimzia vial *If No or N/A, skip to #8*

7. Is the patient currently receiving the requested product through samples or a manufacturer's patient assistance program? If unknown, answer Yes. Yes No

8. Is the patient currently breastfeeding, pregnant, or planning pregnancy?

If Yes, skip to Section B: All Requests. Yes No

9. Does the patient have a documented inadequate response or intolerable adverse event with any of the following preferred products? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, attach supporting chart note(s).** Indicate ALL that apply.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Cimzia syringe: | <input type="checkbox"/> Inadequate response | <input type="checkbox"/> Intolerable adverse event |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cosentyx: | <input type="checkbox"/> Inadequate response | <input type="checkbox"/> Intolerable adverse event |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Enbrel: | <input type="checkbox"/> Inadequate response | <input type="checkbox"/> Intolerable adverse event |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Humira: | <input type="checkbox"/> Inadequate response | <input type="checkbox"/> Intolerable adverse event |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ilumya: | <input type="checkbox"/> Inadequate response | <input type="checkbox"/> Intolerable adverse event |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Kevzara: | <input type="checkbox"/> Inadequate response | <input type="checkbox"/> Intolerable adverse event |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Orencia (Clickject): | <input type="checkbox"/> Inadequate response | <input type="checkbox"/> Intolerable adverse event |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Otezla: | <input type="checkbox"/> Inadequate response | <input type="checkbox"/> Intolerable adverse event |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Remicade: | <input type="checkbox"/> Inadequate response | <input type="checkbox"/> Intolerable adverse event |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rinvoq: | <input type="checkbox"/> Inadequate response | <input type="checkbox"/> Intolerable adverse event |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Simponi Aria: | <input type="checkbox"/> Inadequate response | <input type="checkbox"/> Intolerable adverse event |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Skyrizi (IV): | <input type="checkbox"/> Inadequate response | <input type="checkbox"/> Intolerable adverse event |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Skyrizi (SC): | <input type="checkbox"/> Inadequate response | <input type="checkbox"/> Intolerable adverse event |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sotyktu: | <input type="checkbox"/> Inadequate response | <input type="checkbox"/> Intolerable adverse event |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Stelara (IV): | <input type="checkbox"/> Inadequate response | <input type="checkbox"/> Intolerable adverse event |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Stelara (SC): | <input type="checkbox"/> Inadequate response | <input type="checkbox"/> Intolerable adverse event |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Taltz: | <input type="checkbox"/> Inadequate response | <input type="checkbox"/> Intolerable adverse event |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tremfya: | <input type="checkbox"/> Inadequate response | <input type="checkbox"/> Intolerable adverse event |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Xeljanz/Xeljanz XR: | <input type="checkbox"/> Inadequate response | <input type="checkbox"/> Intolerable adverse event |
| <input type="checkbox"/> No- None of the above | | |

Section B: All Requests

10. Is the requested drug being prescribed by or in consultation with any of the following?

Yes - Dermatologist Yes - Gastroenterologist Yes - Rheumatologist No - None of the above

11. Will the requested drug be used in combination with any other biologic (e.g., Humira) or targeted synthetic drug (e.g., Olumiant, Otezla, Xeljanz)? Yes No

12. Has the patient ever received (including current utilizers) a biologic (e.g., Humira) or targeted synthetic drug (e.g., Olumiant, Xeljanz) associated with an increased risk of tuberculosis? *If Yes, skip to #16* Yes No

13. Has the patient had a tuberculosis (TB) test (e.g., tuberculosis skin test [PPD], interferon-release assay [IGRA], chest x-ray) within 6 months of initiating therapy? Yes No

14. What were the results of the tuberculosis (TB) test?

Positive for TB Negative for TB, skip to #16 Unknown

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15. Does the patient have latent or active tuberculosis (TB)?
 Patient has latent TB and treatment for latent TB has been initiated
 Patient has latent TB and treatment for latent TB has been completed
 Patient has latent TB and treatment for latent TB has not been initiated
 Patient has active TB
16. Is this request for continuation of therapy with the requested drug?
 Yes No *If No, skip to diagnosis section.*
17. Is the patient currently receiving the requested drug through samples or a manufacturer's patient assistance program? Yes No Unknown
18. Has the patient achieved or maintained a positive clinical response as evidenced by low disease activity or improvement in signs and symptoms of the condition since starting treatment with the requested drug?
 Yes No

Complete the following section based on the patient's diagnosis, if applicable.

Section C: Rheumatoid Arthritis

Continuation

19. Has the patient experienced substantial disease activity improvement (e.g., at least 20% from baseline) in tender joint count, swollen joint count, pain, or disability? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach chart notes or medical record documentation supporting positive clinical response and substantial disease activity improvement.**
 Yes No

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20. Has the patient ever received or is currently receiving a biologic (e.g., Humira) or targeted synthetic drug (e.g., Rinvoq, Xeljanz) indicated for moderately to severely active rheumatoid arthritis (excluding receiving the drug via samples or a manufacturer's patient assistance program)? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach chart notes, medical record documentation, or claims history supporting previous medications tried and no further questions.** Yes No
21. Does the patient meet either of the following: a) the patient was tested for the rheumatoid factor (RF) biomarker and the RF biomarker test was positive, or b) the patient was tested for the anti-cyclic citrullinated peptide (anti-CCP) biomarker and the anti-CCP biomarker test was positive? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach laboratory results, chart notes, or medical record documentation of biomarker testing and skip to #23.**
 Yes No
22. Has the patient been tested for all of the following biomarkers: a) rheumatoid factor (RF), b) anti-cyclic citrullinated peptide (anti-CCP), and c) C-reactive protein (CRP) and/or erythrocyte sedimentation rate (ESR)? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach laboratory results, chart notes, or medical record documentation of biomarker testing.** Yes No
23. Has the patient experienced an inadequate response after at least 3 months of treatment with methotrexate at a dose greater than or equal to 15 mg per week? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach chart notes, medical record documentation, or claims history supporting previous medications tried, including response to therapy and no further questions.** Yes No
24. Has the patient experienced an intolerance to methotrexate? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach chart notes, medical record documentation, or claims history supporting previous medications tried, including response to therapy and no further questions.** Yes No
25. Does the patient have a contraindication to methotrexate? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach documentation of clinical reason to avoid therapy.** Yes No
26. Please indicate the contraindication to methotrexate. *List continues on next page.*
 Clinical diagnosis of alcohol use disorder, alcoholic liver disease, or other chronic liver disease
 Drug interaction
 Risk of treatment-related toxicity
 Pregnancy or currently planning pregnancy

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- Breastfeeding
- Significant comorbidity prohibits use of systemic agents (e.g., liver or kidney disease, blood dyscrasias, uncontrolled hypertension)
- Hypersensitivity
- History of intolerance or adverse event
- Other: _____

Section D: Psoriatic Arthritis

Continuation

27. Which of the following has the patient experienced an improvement in from baseline? **ACTION REQUIRED: Please attach chart notes or medical record documentation supporting positive clinical response.**

- Number of swollen joints Dactylitis Number of tender joints
- Skin and/or nail involvement Enthesitis Axial disease
- None of the above

Initiation

28. Has the patient ever received or is currently receiving a biologic or targeted synthetic drug (e.g., Rinvoq, Otezla) indicated for active psoriatic arthritis (excluding receiving the drug via samples or a manufacturer's patient assistance program)? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach chart notes, medical record documentation, or claims history supporting previous medications tried and no further questions.** Yes No

29. What is the patient's disease severity? Mild to moderate Severe *If Severe, no further questions.*

30. Does the patient have enthesitis or predominantly axial disease? *If Yes, no further questions.* Yes No

31. Has the patient had an inadequate response to methotrexate, leflunomide, or another conventional synthetic drug (e.g., sulfasalazine) administered at an adequate dose and duration? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach chart notes, medical record documentation, or claims history supporting previous medications tried, including response to therapy and no further questions.** Yes No

32. Has the patient had an intolerance to methotrexate, leflunomide, or another conventional synthetic drug (e.g., sulfasalazine)? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach chart notes, medical record documentation, or claims history supporting previous medications tried, including response to therapy and no further questions.** Yes No

33. Does the patient have a contraindication to methotrexate or leflunomide? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach documentation of clinical reason to avoid therapy and no further questions.** Yes No

34. Please indicate the contraindication to methotrexate or leflunomide.

- Clinical diagnosis of alcohol use disorder, alcoholic liver disease, or other chronic liver disease
- Drug interaction
- Risk of treatment-related toxicity
- Pregnancy or currently planning pregnancy
- Breastfeeding
- Significant comorbidity prohibits use of systemic agents (e.g., liver or kidney disease, blood dyscrasias, uncontrolled hypertension)
- Hypersensitivity
- History of intolerance or adverse event
- Other: _____

35. Does the patient have a contraindication to another conventional synthetic drug (e.g., sulfasalazine)? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach documentation of clinical reason to avoid therapy.** Yes No

Section E: Ankylosing Spondylitis or Non-radiographic Axial Spondyloarthritis

Continuation

36. Which of the following has the patient experienced an improvement in from baseline?

ACTION REQUIRED: Please attach chart notes or medical records supporting positive clinical response.

- Functional status Total spinal pain Inflammation (e.g., morning stiffness) None of the above

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37. Has the patient ever received or is currently receiving a biologic (e.g., Humira) or targeted synthetic drug (e.g., Rinvoq, Xeljanz) that is indicated for active ankylosing spondylitis or active non-radiographic axial spondyloarthritis (excluding receiving the drug via samples or a manufacturer's patient assistance program)? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach chart notes, medical record documentation, or claims history supporting previous medications tried and no further questions.** Yes No
38. Has the patient experienced an inadequate response with at least TWO nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drugs (NSAIDs), or has an intolerance or contraindication to at least two NSAIDs? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach chart notes, medical record documentation, or claims history supporting previous medications tried (if applicable), including response to therapy. If therapy is not advisable, please attach documentation of clinical reason to avoid therapy.** Yes No

Section F: Crohn's Disease

Continuation

39. Has the patient achieved or maintained remission? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach chart notes or medical record documentation of remission and no further questions.** Yes No
40. Which of the following has the patient experienced an improvement in from baseline? **ACTION REQUIRED: Please attach chart notes or medical records supporting positive clinical response.**
- | | |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Abdominal pain or tenderness | <input type="checkbox"/> Diarrhea |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Body weight | <input type="checkbox"/> Abdominal mass |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hematocrit | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Appearance of the mucosa on endoscopy, computed tomography enterography (CTE), magnetic resonance enterography (MRE), or intestinal ultrasound | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Improvement on a disease activity scoring tool (e.g., Crohn's Disease Activity Index [CDAI] score) | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> None of the above | |

Section G: Plaque Psoriasis

Continuation

41. Has the patient experienced a reduction in body surface area (BSA) affected from baseline? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach chart notes or medical record documentation of decreased body surface area affected and no further questions.** Yes No
42. Has the patient experienced an improvement in signs and symptoms of the condition from baseline (e.g., itching, redness, flaking, scaling, burning, cracking, pain)? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach chart notes or medical record documentation of improvement in signs and symptoms.** Yes No

Initiation

43. Has the patient ever received or is currently receiving a biologic (e.g., Humira) or targeted synthetic drug (e.g., Sotyktu, Otezla) indicated for the treatment of moderate to severe plaque psoriasis (excluding receiving the drug via samples or a manufacturer's patient assistance program)? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, attach chart notes, medical record documentation, or claims history supporting previous medications tried and no further questions.** Yes No
44. Are crucial body areas (e.g., hands, feet, face, neck, scalp, genitals/groin, intertriginous areas) affected? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach chart notes or medical record documentation of affected areas and no further questions.** Yes No
45. What is the percentage of body surface area (BSA) affected (prior to starting the requested medication)? Indicate percentage. **ACTION REQUIRED: Please attach chart notes or medical record documentation of body surface area affected.** _____ % *If greater than or equal to 10% of BSA, no further questions.*
46. Has the patient experienced an inadequate response, or has an intolerance to phototherapy (e.g., UVB, PUVA) or pharmacologic treatment with methotrexate, cyclosporine, or acitretin? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach chart notes, medical record documentation, or claims history supporting previous medications tried, including response to therapy and no further questions.** Yes No

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47. Does the patient have a clinical reason to avoid pharmacologic treatment with methotrexate, cyclosporine, and acitretin? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach documentation of clinical reason to avoid therapy.***
 Yes No
48. Please indicate the contraindication to methotrexate or leflunomide.
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 Drug interaction
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 Breastfeeding
 Cannot be used due to risk of treatment-related toxicity
 Significant comorbidity prohibits use of systemic agents (e.g., liver or kidney disease, blood dyscrasias, uncontrolled hypertension)
 Hypersensitivity
 History of intolerance or adverse event
 Other: _____

I attest that this information is accurate and true, and that documentation supporting this information is available for review if requested by CVS Caremark or the benefit plan sponsor.

X _____
Prescriber or Authorized Signature **Date (mm/dd/yy)**

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