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Exjade, Jadenu (deferasirox)

Prior Authorization Request

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Patient's Name: {{MEMFIRST}} {{MEMLAST}} **Date**: {{TODAY}}
Patient's ID: {{MEMBERID}} **Patient's Date of Birth:** {{MEMBERDOB}}
Physician's Name: {{PHYFIRST}} {{PHYLAST}}
Specialty: _____, NPI#: _____
Physician Office Telephone: {{PHYSICIANPHONE}} **Physician Office Fax:** {{PHYSICIANFAX}}
Request Initiated For: {{DRUGNAME}}

1. Which drug is being prescribed?
   - ❑ Exjade
   - ❑ Jadenu
   - ❑ deferasirox
   - ❑ Other _____
2. What is the diagnosis?
   - ❑ Chronic iron overload due to blood transfusions (transfusional iron overload)
   - ❑ Chronic iron overload due to a non-transfusion-dependent thalassemia syndrome
   - ❑ Hereditary hemochromatosis
   - ❑ Other _____
3. What is the ICD-10 code? _____
4. Has the patient's renal function been evaluated? ❑ Yes ❑ No
5. Is this a request for continuation of therapy with the requested drug?
   ❑ Yes ❑ No *If No, skip to next appropriate section*
6. Is the patient experiencing benefit from therapy as evidenced by a decrease in serum ferritin levels as compared to pretreatment baseline? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes and diagnosis is chronic iron overload, attach supporting laboratory report or chart notes with current serum ferritin level.*** ❑ Yes ❑ No
7. Is the patient's serum ferritin level consistently below the following level based on diagnosis? ❑ Yes ❑ No
   a) Chronic iron overload due to blood transfusions: 500 mcg/L
   b) Chronic iron overload due to a non-transfusion-dependent thalassemia syndrome: 300 mcg/L

Complete the following section(s) based on the prescribed product and/or patient's diagnosis, if applicable.

Section A: Preferred Product

8. Is the product being requested for the treatment of chronic iron overload?
   ❑ Yes ❑ No *If No, skip to next appropriate section*

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9. The preferred products for your patient's health plan are deferasirox, deferiprone, and deferoxamine. Can the patient's treatment be switched to a preferred product? ***If deferiprone or deferoxamine, 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.***
   ❑ Yes - deferiprone ❑ Yes - deferoxamine ❑ Yes - deferasirox, *skip to next appropriate section*
   ❑ No - Continue request for Exjade or Jadenu
   ❑ Not applicable - Requested product is preferred, *skip to All Requests section*

10. Does the patient have a documented inadequate response or intolerable adverse event to any of the preferred products indicated for plaque psoriasis (deferasirox, deferiprone, deferoxamine)?
    ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, attach supporting chart note(s). *Indicate ALL that apply.*
    ❑ deferasirox: ❑ Inadequate response ❑ Intolerable adverse event
    ❑ deferiprone: ❑ Inadequate response ❑ Intolerable adverse event
    ❑ deferoxamine: ❑ Inadequate response ❑ Intolerable adverse event
    ❑ No - None of the above

11. Was the documented intolerable adverse event an expected adverse event attributed to the active ingredient as described in the prescribing information? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If No, attach supporting chart note(s).***
    ❑ Yes ❑ No

12. Does the patient have any of the following documented clinical reasons to avoid preferred products?
    ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, attach supporting chart note(s). ❑ Yes ❑ No
    ❑ Estimated glomerular filtration rate (GFR) less than 40 mL/min/1.73 m^2, *specify product:* _____
    ❑ Poor performance status, *specify product:* _____
    ❑ High-risk myelodysplastic syndrome, *specify product:* _____
    ❑ Advanced malignancy, *specify product:* _____
    ❑ Platelet count less than 50 x 10^9/L, *specify product:* _____
    ❑ Known hypersensitivity to deferasirox or any components of drug formulations, *specify product:* _____
    ❑ Severe (Child-Pugh C) hepatic impairment, *specify product:* _____
    ❑ Known hypersensitivity to deferiprone or to any of the excipients in the formulation, *specify product:* _____
    ❑ Severe renal disease, *specify product:* _____
    ❑ No - None of the above

Section B: Chronic Iron Overload Due to Blood Transfusions (Transfusional Iron Overload)

13. What is the prescribed dosage? _____ mg/kg _____ day(s)

14. Is the patient's pretreatment serum ferritin level consistently greater than 1000 mcg/L? Note: If the patient is currently on therapy for iron overload, provide the patient's serum ferritin level before patient initiated therapy. ***ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, attach supporting laboratory report or chart notes with pretreatment serum ferritin level.*** ❑ Yes ❑ No

Section C: Chronic Iron Overload Due to a Non-Transfusion-Dependent Thalassemia Syndrome

15. What is the prescribed dosage? _____ mg/kg per _____ day(s)

16. What is the patient's pretreatment serum ferritin level? _____ mcg/L
    Note: If the patient is currently on therapy for iron overload, provide the patient's serum ferritin level before patient initiated therapy. ***ACTION REQUIRED: Attach supporting laboratory report or chart notes with pretreatment serum ferritin level.***

17. What is the patient's pretreatment liver iron concentration (LIC) (in milligrams of iron per gram of liver dry weight)? ***ACTION REQUIRED: Attach supporting laboratory report or chart notes with pretreatment liver iron concentration.*** _____ mg Fe/g dw

Section D: Hereditary Hemochromatosis

18. Has the patient had an unsatisfactory response to phlebotomy? *If Yes, no further questions* ❑ Yes ❑ No

19. Is phlebotomy not an option for the patient (e.g., poor venous access, poor candidate due to underlying medical conditions)? ❑ Yes ❑ No

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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