



## Exondys 51

### Prior Authorization Request

CVS Caremark administers the prescription benefit plan for the patient identified. This patient's benefit plan requires prior authorization for certain medications in order for the drug to be covered. To make an appropriate determination, providing the most accurate diagnosis for the use of the prescribed medication is necessary. **Please respond below and fax this form to CVS Caremark toll-free at 1-855-330-1720.** If you have questions regarding the prior authorization, please contact CVS Caremark at **1-888-877-0518**. For inquiries or questions related to the patient's eligibility, drug copay or medication delivery; please contact the Specialty Customer Care Team: CaremarkConnect® 1-800-237-2767.

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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:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Referring Provider Info:**  Same as Requesting Provider

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **NPI#:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Fax:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Rendering Provider Info:**  Same as Referring Provider  Same as Requesting Provider

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **NPI#:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Fax:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

*Approvals may be subject to dosing limits in accordance with FDA-approved labeling, accepted compendia, and/or evidence-based practice guidelines.*

**Required Demographic Information:**

*Patient Weight:* \_\_\_\_\_ kg

*Patient Height:* \_\_\_\_\_ cm

*Please indicate the place of service for the requested drug:*

- Ambulatory Surgical       Home       Off Campus Outpatient Hospital  
 On Campus Outpatient Hospital       Office       Pharmacy

**Send completed form to: Case Review Unit CVS Caremark Specialty Programs Fax: 1-855-330-1720**

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**Site of Service Questions (SOS):**

- A. Where will this drug be administered?  
 Ambulatory surgical, *skip to Clinical Questions*       Home infusion, *skip to Clinical Questions*  
 Off-campus Outpatient Hospital       On-campus Outpatient Hospital  
 Physician office, *skip to Clinical Questions*       Pharmacy, *skip to Clinical Questions*
- B. Is this request to continue previously established treatment with the requested medication?  
 Yes – This is a continuation of an existing treatment  
 No – This is a new therapy request (patient has not received requested medication in the last 6 months) *skip to Clinical Criteria Questions*
- C. Has the patient experienced an adverse event with the requested product that has not responded to conventional interventions (eg acetaminophen, steroids, diphenhydramine, fluids, other pre-medications, or slowing of infusion rate) or a severe adverse event (anaphylaxis, anaphylactoid reactions, myocardial infarction, thromboembolism, or seizures) during or immediately after an infusion? ***ACTION REQUIRED: Attach supporting clinical documentation.***    Yes, *skip to Clinical Criteria Questions*    No
- D. Is the patient medically unstable which may include respiratory, cardiovascular, or renal conditions that may limit the member's ability to tolerate a large volume or load or predispose the member to a severe adverse event that cannot be managed in an alternate setting without appropriate medical personnel and equipment?  
***ACTION REQUIRED: Attach supporting clinical documentation.***  
 Yes, *skip to Clinical Criteria Questions*    No
- E. Does the patient have severe venous access issues that require the use of special interventions only available in the outpatient hospital setting?   ***ACTION REQUIRED: Attach supporting clinical documentation.***  
 Yes, *skip to Clinical Criteria Questions*    No
- F. Does the patient have significant behavioral issues and/or physical or cognitive impairment that would impact the safety of the infusion therapy AND the patient does not have access to a caregiver?  
***ACTION REQUIRED: Attach supporting clinical documentation. Indicate and continue to Clinical Criteria Questions***    Yes    No

**Criteria Questions:**

- What is the diagnosis?  
 Duchenne muscular dystrophy  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_
- What is the ICD-10 code? \_\_\_\_\_
- What is the patient's weight? \_\_\_\_\_ kg
- Is the requested drug prescribed by or in consultation with a physician who specializes in treatment of Duchenne muscular dystrophy?    Yes    No
- Does the patient's dose exceed 30 mg/kg once weekly?    Yes    No
- Is this a request for continuation of therapy with the requested drug?    Yes    No   *If No, skip to #9*
- Is the patient currently receiving the requested product through samples or a manufacturer's patient assistance program?   *If Yes or Unknown, skip to #9.*    Yes    No    Unknown
- Has the patient demonstrated a response to therapy as evidenced by remaining ambulatory (e.g., able to walk with or without assistance, not wheelchair dependent)?   ***ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, attach documentation (e.g., chart notes) of response to therapy.***    Yes    No   *No further questions*
- Was genetic testing conducted to confirm the diagnosis of Duchenne muscular dystrophy?    Yes    No
- Was genetic testing conducted to identify the specific type of *DMD* gene mutation?   ***ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, attach a copy of the genetic testing results.***    Yes - Indicate the *DMD* gene mutation: \_\_\_\_\_    No

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11. Is the *DMD* gene mutation amenable to exon 51 skipping?  Yes  No
12. Is the patient able to achieve an average distance of at least 180 meters while walking independently over 6 minutes?  Yes  No
13. Will treatment with the requested drug be initiated prior to age 14?  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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