



Ultomiris

Prior Authorization Request

CVS Caremark administers the prescription benefit plan for the member 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

Exception Criteria Questions:

- A. Is the product being requested for the treatment of paroxysmal nocturnal hemoglobinuria (PNH)? Yes No *If No, Skip to Site of Service Questions*
- B. The preferred product for your patient's health plan is Empaveli. Can the patient's treatment be switched to Empaveli?
 Yes, *Please obtain Form for preferred product and submit for corresponding PA*
 No
- C. Is this request for continuation of therapy with the requested product? Yes No, *If No, skip to Question E*
- D. Is the patient currently receiving the requested product through samples or a manufacturer's patient assistance program? If unknown, answer Yes. Yes No *If No, Skip to Site of Service Questions*
- E. Is the member less than 18 years of age? *If Yes, skip to Site of Service Questions* Yes No
- F. Does the patient have a documented inadequate response or intolerable adverse event with the preferred product (Empaveli)? **ACTION REQUIRED: If 'Yes', attach supporting chart note(s).** Yes No

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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 the 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.*** Yes No

Criteria Questions:

1. What is the diagnosis?
 Paroxysmal nocturnal hemoglobinuria (PNH)
 Atypical hemolytic uremic syndrome (aHUS)
 Other _____
2. What is the ICD-10 code? _____
3. What is the patient's weight? _____ kg
4. Is this a request for continuation of therapy with the requested drug?
 Yes No *If No, skip to diagnosis section*
5. Is there evidence of unacceptable toxicity or disease progression while on the current regimen? Yes No
6. Has the patient experienced a positive response to therapy by any of the following? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If 'Yes', please attach chart notes or medical record documentation supporting positive clinical response.***
 Yes, normalization of lactate dehydrogenase (LDH) levels, platelet counts
 Yes, improvement in hemoglobin levels, normalization of lactate dehydrogenase (LDH) levels
 None of the above
7. What is the prescribed maintenance dose and frequency? _____ mg every _____ weeks
No further questions

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

Section A: Paroxysmal Nocturnal Hemoglobinuria (PNH)

8. Was the diagnosis of PNH confirmed by detecting a deficiency of glycosylphosphatidylinositol-anchored proteins (GPI-APs)? Yes No

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9. How was the diagnosis established?
 - Quantification of PNH cells
 - Quantification of GPI-anchored protein deficient poly-morphonuclear cells, *skip to #11*
 - None of the above
10. What was the percentage of PNH cells? _____ %
If percentage of PNH cells is greater than or equal to 5%, skip to #12.
11. What was the percentage of GPI-anchored protein deficient poly-morphonuclear cells? _____ %
12. Was flow cytometry used to demonstrate the deficiency of GPI-anchored proteins? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, attach flow cytometry report.*** Yes No
13. Is the patient switching from eculizumab to the requested drug? Yes No
14. Will the loading dose of the requested drug be administered 2 weeks after the last eculizumab infusion?
 Yes No
15. What is the prescribed loading dose? _____ mg
16. What is the prescribed maintenance dose and frequency beginning 2 weeks after the loading dose?
 _____ mg every _____ weeks

Section B: Atypical Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome (aHUS)

17. Is the disease caused by Shiga toxin? Yes No
18. Do tests confirm the absence of Shiga toxin? Yes No
19. What is the ADAMTS13 level? ***ACTION REQUIRED: Please attach documentation of ADAMTS13 level.***
 Yes No
20. Is the patient switching from eculizumab to the requested drug? Yes No
21. Will the loading dose of the requested drug be administered 2 weeks after the last eculizumab infusion?
 Yes No
22. What is the prescribed loading dose? _____ mg
23. What is the prescribed maintenance dose and frequency beginning 2 weeks after the loading dose?
 _____ mg every _____ weeks

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Step Therapy Override: Complete if Applicable for the state of Maryland.	Please Circle	
Is the requested drug being used to treat stage four advanced metastatic cancer?	Yes	No
Is the requested drug's use consistent with the FDA-approved indication or the National Comprehensive Cancer Network Drugs & Biologics Compendium indication for the treatment of stage four advanced metastatic cancer and is supported by peer-reviewed medical literature?	Yes	No
Is the requested drug being used for an FDA-approved indication OR an indication supported in the compendia of current literature (examples: AHFS, Lexicomp, Clinical Pharmacology, Micromedex, current accepted guidelines)?	Yes	No
Does the prescribed quantity fall within the manufacturer's published dosing guidelines or within dosing guidelines found in the compendia of current literature (examples: package insert, AHFS, Lexicomp, Clinical Pharmacology, Micromedex, current accepted guidelines)?	Yes	No
Do patient chart notes document the requested drug was ordered with a paid claim at the pharmacy, the pharmacy filled the prescription and delivered to the patient or other documentation that the requested drug was prescribed for the patient in the last 180 days?	Yes	No
Has the prescriber provided proof documented in the patient chart notes that in their opinion the requested drug is effective for the patient's condition?	Yes	No

Step Therapy Override: Complete if Applicable for the state of Virginia.	Please Circle	
Is the requested drug being used for an FDA-approved indication or an indication supported in the compendia of current literature (examples: AHFS, Micromedex, current accepted guidelines)?	Yes	No
Does the prescribed dose and quantity fall within the FDA-approved labeling or within dosing guidelines found in the compendia of current literature?	Yes	No
Is the request for a brand drug that has an AB-rated generic equivalent or interchangeable biological product available?	Yes	No
Has the patient had a trial and failure of the AB-rated generic equivalent or interchangeable biological product due to an adverse event (examples: rash, nausea, vomiting, anaphylaxis) that is thought to be due to an inactive ingredient?	Yes	No
Is the preferred drug contraindicated?	Yes	No
Is the preferred drug expected to be ineffective based on the known clinical characteristics of the patient and the prescription drug regimen?	Yes	No
Has the patient tried the preferred drug while on their current or previous health benefit plan and it was discontinued due to lack of efficacy or effectiveness, diminished effect, or an adverse event?	Yes	No
Is the patient currently receiving a positive therapeutic outcome with the requested drug for their medical condition?	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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