



Department of Vermont Health Access
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Prior Authorization Request Form

In order for members to receive Medicaid coverage for medications that require prior authorization, the prescriber must complete and fax this form to Change Healthcare. Please complete this form in its entirety and sign and date below. Incomplete requests will be returned for additional information. For questions, please contact the Change Healthcare Helpdesk at 1-844-679-5363.

Submit request via: Fax: 1-844-679-5366

Prescribing physician:

Name: _____
 Physician NPI: _____
 Phone#: _____
 Fax#: _____
 Address: _____
 Contact Person at Office: _____

Beneficiary:

Name: _____
 Medicaid ID#: _____
 Date of Birth: _____ Sex: _____
 Pharmacy Name: _____
 Pharmacy NPI: _____
 Pharmacy Phone: _____ Pharmacy Fax: _____

The following MUST be completed for MEDICAL BENEFIT requests:

- HCPCS J-code or other code: _____
- Administering Provider/Facility: Name _____ NPI# _____ Medicaid ID# _____

Patient Diagnosis:

- Ankylosing Spondylitis Crohn's Disease Plaque Psoriasis Psoriatic Arthritis Rheumatoid Arthritis Ulcerative Colitis

Preferred Medications:

- Avsola® (infliximab-axxq) Inflectra® (infliximab-dyyb)

Non-preferred Medications (clinical documentation must be submitted detailing why the patient cannot use Avsola or Inflectra)

- Remicade® (infliximab) Renflexis® (infliximab-abda)

Patient weight _____ **(kg)**

Induction Dosing and Frequency:

- 5mg/kg at weeks 0, 2, and 6, then every 8 weeks (Ankylosing Spondylitis, Plaque Psoriasis, Psoriatic Arthritis, Crohn's Disease and Ulcerative Colitis)
- 3mg/kg at weeks 0, 2, and 6, then every 8 weeks (Rheumatoid Arthritis)
- Other: _____

Maintenance Dosing and Frequency:

- _____ mg every 8 weeks (up to 10mg/kg for Rheumatoid Arthritis, 5mg/kg for all other diagnoses)
- Other: _____

List previous medications tried and failed for this condition:

Name of medication

Reason for failure

Date (s) attempted

_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Please explain why self-injectables (if indicated but not trialed) cannot be trialed?

Prescriber comments: _____

By completing this form, I hereby certify that the above request is true, accurate and complete. That the request is medically necessary, does not exceed the medical needs of the member, and is clinically supported in the patient's medical records. I also understand that any misrepresentations or concealment of any information requested in the prior authorization request may subject me to audit and/or recoupment.

Prescriber Signature: _____ **Date of request:** _____