

IMMUNE GLOBULINS (IVIG)

Prior Authorization Form

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IF THIS IS AN URGENT REQUEST, Please Call UPMC Health Plan Pharmacy Services. Otherwise please return completed form to:

UPMC HEALTH PLAN PHARMACY SERVICES

PHONE 800-979-UPMC (8762)

FAX 412-454-7722

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT NEATLY. Incomplete responses may delay this request.

Office Contact:		Provider Specialty:		
Provider First Name:		Provider Last Name:		
Provider Phone:		Provider Fax:	Provider NPI #:	
Patient Name	Patient UPMC Health Plan ID Number:		Patient DOB:	Patient Age
Drug Requested (Brand Name REQUIRED) :		Strength:	Frequency:	Diagnosis and ICD9 Code:
<input type="checkbox"/> Brand <input type="checkbox"/> Generic				

Generic equivalent drugs will be substituted for Brand name drugs unless you specifically indicate otherwise.

Please indicate place of infusion: <input type="checkbox"/> Physician Office <input type="checkbox"/> Hospital/Facility <input type="checkbox"/> Patient Home	Please indicate how drug will be billed: <input type="checkbox"/> Billed directly by the provider via JCODE. Provide JCODE: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Billed by a pharmacy and delivered to the provider <input type="checkbox"/> Billed by a pharmacy and delivered to the patient
Please provide facility/provider name and address:	

Please indicate the diagnosis on the left and complete the corresponding questions

<input type="checkbox"/> Primary Immunodeficiency	Please specify type of immunodeficiency: <input type="checkbox"/> Bruton's or X-linked Agammaglobunemia <input type="checkbox"/> Common Variable Immunodeficiency (hypogammaglobulinemia) <input type="checkbox"/> Congenital Agammaglobulinemia <input type="checkbox"/> Severe Combined Immunodeficiency (SCID) <input type="checkbox"/> Wiskott-Aldrich Syndrome <input type="checkbox"/> X-linked Hyper IgM Syndrome
<input type="checkbox"/> Idiopathic or Immune Thrombocytopenic Purpura (ITP)	Any upcoming surgeries or procedures scheduled? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes to above, please list surgery/procedure: _____ Is the member pregnant? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No History of splenectomy? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Does the member have acute bleeding? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Has the member tried corticosteroids? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes to above, please list medication dates of trial: _____ Please provide Platelet count: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Kawasaki Disease	Is disease in the acute phase? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If request is for a second dose, did the member fail to respond to initial dose? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Time frame of illness onset (number of days): _____ Type of symptoms: _____ Will IVIG be given with aspirin? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Chronic B-cell Lymphocytic Leukemia	Does the member have a history of serious bacterial infections requiring antibiotics? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Please provide IgG level: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> HIV	Does the member have a history of serious, recurrent bacterial infections requiring antibiotics despite receiving highly active antiretroviral therapy and prophylactic antibiotics? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Please provide IgG level if have hypogammaglobulinemia: _____ Does the member have chronic parvovirus B19 infection? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Does the member have bronchiectasis not responsive to antibiotics and pulmonary therapy? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Is measles immunization contraindicated due to severe thrombocytopenia or coagulation disorder? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Guillan-Barre Syndrome	Time frame of onset of neuropathic symptoms (number of days): _____ Is this a relapse? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Is the member able to ambulate? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

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Patient Name

Patient UPMC Health Plan ID Number:

Patient DOB:

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<input type="checkbox"/> Systemic Lupus Erythematosus (SLE)	Please indicate disease severity: <input type="checkbox"/> Mild <input type="checkbox"/> Moderate <input type="checkbox"/> Severe Is disease active? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Has the member previously tried and failed NSAIDs (e.g. Naproxen, Ibuprofen)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Has the member previously tried and failed Steroids? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Has the member previously tried and failed antimalarials (e.g. hydroxychloroquine)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Has the member previously tried and failed immunosuppressants (e.g. methotrexate, cyclosporine)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes to above, please list medication dates of trial: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Dermatomyositis or Polymyositis	Has the member previously tried and failed a 4 month trial of Prednisone? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No, Has the member previously tried and failed Azathioprine, Methotrexate, Cyclosporine, or Hydroxychloroquine? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes to above, please list medication dates of trial: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Chronic Inflammatory Demyelinating Polyneuropathy (CIDP)	Does the member have impaired function? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Has the member previously tried and failed Steroid therapy for at least 2 months? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes to above, please list medication dates of trial: _____ Has the member previously tried and failed plasma exchange? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Sclerosis (MS)	Specify type: _____ Has the member previously tried and failed an interferon (e.g. Betaseron, Avonex, Rebif) or glatiramer (Copaxone) for at least 3 months? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes to above, please list medication dates of trial: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Autoimmune mucocutaneous blistering disease	Specify type: _____ Has the member previously tried corticosteroids or immunosuppressives agents? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Myasthenia Gravis Syndrome	Does the member have severely impaired function? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Has the member previously tried and failed pyridostigmine or neostigmine for at least 3 months? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Has the member previously tried and failed steroids or immunosuppressants for at least 3 months? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes to above, please list medication dates of trial: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Parvovirus B19 Infection	Does the member have severe anemia associated with bone marrow suppression? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Renal and/or Pancreatic Transplant Desensitization in Combination with Rituxan	Type of organ transplant <input type="checkbox"/> Kidney <input type="checkbox"/> Pancreas Will IVIG be given in combination with Rituxan? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Please indicate donor type: <input type="checkbox"/> Deceased <input type="checkbox"/> Living If deceased donor, please complete the following: Please provide panel reactive antibody (PRA) level (%): _____ Did the member have a previous kidney and/or pancreas transplant? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No For living donor, please complete the following: Is crossmatch positive? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Is donor-specific antibody positive using Luminex assay? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Renal Transplant Desensitization Monotherapy	Is the member awaiting a kidney transplant? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Renal Transplant Rejection	Has the member received a renal transplant from a living donor? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Does the member have post-transplant rejection? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<input type="checkbox"/> Allogenic Bone Marrow Transplantation or Hematopoietic Stem Cell Transplantation (HSCT)	Please indicate IgG level: _____ Does the member have multiple myeloma? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Does the member have malignant macroglobulinemia? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Days post transplant: _____

Please provide any additional information which should be considered in the space below:
