



## Neulasta, Fulphila, Udenyca Prior Authorization Request

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**Patient's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Patient's ID:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Patient's Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Physician's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **NPI#:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Specialty:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Physician Office Fax:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Physician Office Telephone:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Request Initiated For:** \_\_\_\_\_

1. What is the prescribed drug?  
 Neulasta  
 Fulphila  
 Udenyca  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_
2. What is the patient's diagnosis?  
 Neutropenia treatment associated with myelosuppressive anti-cancer therapy  
 Stem cell transplantation-related indication  
 Radiation therapy/injury  
 Hairy cell leukemia  
 Chronic myeloid leukemia  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_
3. What is the ICD-10 code? \_\_\_\_\_

**Complete the following questions if Fulphila is being prescribed. If Neulasta or Udenyca are being prescribed, skip to diagnosis section.**

4. Is the product being requested for the treatment of the following indication: a) Neutropenia associated with myelosuppressive anti-cancer therapy.  Yes  No *If No, skip to diagnosis section.*
5. The preferred products for your patient's health plan are Neulasta and Udenyca. Can the patient's treatment be switched to a preferred product? ***If Yes, fax a new prescription to the pharmacy and skip to diagnosis section.***  
 Yes - Neulasta  Yes - Udenyca  No - Continue request for Fulphila
6. Has the patient failed treatment with Neulasta and Udenyca due to an intolerable adverse event (e.g., rash, nausea, vomiting)? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, attach supporting chart note(s).***  Yes  No
7. Was the intolerable adverse event an expected adverse event attributed to the active ingredient as described in the prescribing information (i.e., known adverse reaction for both the brand and generic medication)?  
***ACTION REQUIRED: If No, attach supporting chart note(s).***  Yes  No

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

Section A: Radiation Therapy/Injury

8. Will the requested medication be used in either of the following settings?  Yes  No
- a) To manage neutropenia in a patient who was acutely exposed to myelosuppressive doses of radiation therapy
  - b) Treatment of radiation injury

Section B: Hairy Cell Leukemia

9. Will the requested medication be used for treatment of neutropenic fever following chemotherapy?  
 Yes  No

Section C: Chronic Myeloid Leukemia (CML)

10. Will the requested medication be used to treat resistant neutropenia due to tyrosine kinase inhibitor therapy?  
 Yes  No

Section D: Neutropenia in Cancer Patients Receiving Myelosuppressive Chemotherapy

11. Will the requested medication be used in combination with any other colony stimulating factor products within any chemotherapy cycle?  Yes  No
12. Will the patient be receiving concurrent chemotherapy and radiation therapy?  Yes  No
13. Will the requested medication be administered with a weekly chemotherapy regimen?  Yes  No
14. For which of the following indications is the requested medication being prescribed?  
 Primary prophylaxis (i.e., before chemotherapy is given) of febrile neutropenia in a patient with a solid tumor or non-myeloid malignancy  
 Secondary prophylaxis of febrile neutropenia in a patient with a solid tumor or non-myeloid malignancies, *skip to #18*  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_
15. Has the patient received, is currently receiving, or will be receiving myelosuppressive anti-cancer therapy that is expected to result in 20% or higher incidence of febrile neutropenia? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If yes, please submit documentation confirming the patient's diagnosis and the chemotherapeutic regimen and no further questions.***  Yes  No
16. Has the patient received, is currently receiving, or will be receiving myelosuppressive anti-cancer therapy that is expected to result in 10-19% incidence of febrile neutropenia? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If yes, please submit documentation confirming the patient's diagnosis and the chemotherapeutic regimen.***  Yes  No
17. Is the patient considered to be at high risk for febrile neutropenia because of bone marrow compromise or co-morbidity, including any of the following? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If yes, please submit documentation confirming the patient's risk factors. Indicate below and no further questions.***
- Active infections, open wounds, or recent surgery
  
  - Age greater than or equal to 65 years
  
  - Bone marrow involvement by tumor producing cytopenias
  
  - Previous chemotherapy or radiation therapy
  
  - Poor nutritional status
  
  - Poor performance status
  
  - Previous episodes of FN

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- Other serious co-morbidities, including renal dysfunction, liver dysfunction, HIV infection, cardiovascular disease
  - Persistent neutropenia
  - Other bone marrow compromise or comorbidity not listed above
  - No
18. Has the patient experienced a febrile neutropenic complication or a dose-limiting neutropenic event (a nadir or day of treatment count impacting the planned dose of chemotherapy) from a prior cycle of similar chemotherapy?  
 Yes  No
19. For the planned chemotherapy cycle, will the patient receive the same dose and schedule of chemotherapy as the previous cycle (for which primary prophylaxis was not received)?  Yes  No

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*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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