MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS

Prior Authorization Request

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PATIENT INFORMATION

Date: _____
Name: _____
ID: _____
Date of Birth: _____
Request Initiated For: _____

PRESCRIBER INFORMATION

Name: _____
Office Telephone: _____
Office Fax: _____
Specialty: _____
NPI#: _____

DRUG PRESCRIBED

Preferred: ❑ Ampyra ❑ Aubagio ❑ Betaseron ❑ Copaxone 40mg ❑ Copaxone 20mg ❑ dalfampridine ER ❑ Gilenya ❑ glatiramer 20mg ❑ glatiramer 40mg ❑ Glatopa ❑ Mavenclad ❑ Mayzent ❑ Rebif ❑ Tecfidera ❑ Tysabri ❑ Zinbryta

Non-preferred: ❑ Avonex ❑ Extavia ❑ Lemtrada ❑ Plegridy ❑ Vumerity

❑ Other _____

PATIENT DIAGNOSIS & ICD-10 CODE

❑ Relapsing form of multiple sclerosis (including relapsing-remitting and secondary progressive disease for those who continue to experience relapses)
❑ Primary progressive multiple sclerosis (PPMS)
❑ First clinical episode of multiple sclerosis (MS)
❑ Clinically isolated syndrome
❑ Other _____

ICD-10: _____

PREFERRED PRODUCT: ***Complete the section(s) below if non-preferred product(s) are being prescribed.***

1. The preferred products for your patient's health plan are Aubagio, Betaseron, Copaxone, Gilenya, glatiramer, Glatopa, Mayzent, Rebif, Tecfidera and Tysabri. *If the request is for Extavia, please note that Betaseron and Extavia are the exact same products with different labels and brand names, which are made in the same manufacturing facility.* Can the patient's treatment be switched to a preferred product? ***If Yes, fax a new prescription to the pharmacy and skip to next section.***
   ❑ Yes - Please specify: _____ ❑ No

2. Does the patient have a documented inadequate response or intolerable adverse event with any of the following preferred products? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, attach supporting chart note(s).*** Indicate ALL that apply. *List continues on following page.*

❑ Aubagio:	❑ Inadequate response	❑ Intolerable adverse event
❑ Betaseron:	❑ Inadequate response	❑ Intolerable adverse event
❑ Copaxone:	❑ Inadequate response	❑ Intolerable adverse event
❑ Gilenya:	❑ Inadequate response	❑ Intolerable adverse event

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❑ glatiramer:	❑ Inadequate response	❑ Intolerable adverse event
❑ Glatopa:	❑ Inadequate response	❑ Intolerable adverse event
❑ Mayzent:	❑ Inadequate response	❑ Intolerable adverse event
❑ Rebif:	❑ Inadequate response	❑ Intolerable adverse event
❑ Tecfidera:	❑ Inadequate response	❑ Intolerable adverse event
❑ Tysabri:	❑ Inadequate response	❑ Intolerable adverse event

❑ No - None of the above

3. *If request is for Vumerity,* has the patient experienced a documented intolerable adverse event to Tecfidera including intolerable gastrointestinal adverse effects from Tecfidera? ❑ Yes ❑ No

4. *If request is for Avonex or Plegridy,* has the patient had a documented contraindication to treatment with Rebif? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, attach supporting chart note(s).*** ❑ Yes ❑ No

5. *If request is for Extavia,* given that Betaseron and Extavia are the same products, is there a documented clinical reason that the patient must use Extavia over Betaseron? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, attach supporting chart note(s).*** ❑ Yes ❑ No

ALL REQUESTS (EXCEPT AMPYRA)

1. Is this a request for continuation of therapy? ❑ Yes ❑ No *If No, skip to #3*

2. Is the patient experiencing clinical disease stability or improvement while receiving the requested medication? ❑ Yes ❑ No

3. Is the patient taking requested medication with any other medication used for the treatment of multiple sclerosis other than Ampyra? ❑ Yes ❑ No

DRUG SPECIFIC QUESTIONS

MAVENCLAD

1. How many cycles of Mavenclad has the patient received previously? *Note: Mavenclad is administered based on weight over 4 to 5 days. This 4 to 5 day administration period is a cycle. Two cycles administered three to four weeks apart are a course.* _____ cycles ❑ None

2. Is this a request for continuation of therapy? *If Yes, skip to #4* ❑ Yes ❑ No

3. Has the patient had an inadequate response or were unable to tolerate an alternative drug indicated for the treatment of multiple sclerosis (e.g., Rebif, Tecfidera, Copaxone, etc)? ❑ Yes ❑ No *No further questions*

4. Has the patient received a complete course (two 4-5 day cycles) of Mavenclad in the last 43 weeks? *Note: One course is two 4 to 5 day cycles administered 3 to 4 weeks apart).* ❑ Yes ❑ No

AMPYRA (dalfampridine ER)

1. If brand Ampyra is being prescribed, is the prescriber willing to switch to the generic dalfampridine ER? ***If Yes, fax a new prescription to the pharmacy and skip to #5.***
   ❑ Yes - generic dalfampridine ER
   ❑ No
   ❑ Generic dalfampridine ER is being requested, *skip to #5*

2. Has the patient failed treatment with the generic medication due to an intolerable adverse event (e.g., rash, nausea, vomiting)? ❑ Yes ❑ No

3. Was the intolerable adverse event an expected adverse event attributed to the <u>active</u> ingredient as described in the prescribing information (i.e., known adverse reaction for both the brand and generic medication)? ❑ Yes ❑ No

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4. Was this adverse event documented in the patient's chart? ***ACTION REQUIRED: Documentation is required for approval. Provide SPECIFIC and DETAILED chart documentation including description, date/time, and severity of the adverse event, dosage and duration of generic medication treatment, required intervention (if any), and relevant tests or laboratory data (if any) OR MedWatch form of this trial and failure including the adverse reaction.*** ❑ Yes ❑ No

5. Is this request for continuation of therapy with the requested medication? ❑ Yes ❑ No *If No, skip to #7*

6. Has the patient experienced improvement in walking speed or other objective measure of walking ability since starting therapy with the requested medication? ❑ Yes ❑ No *No further questions*

7. Prior to initiation of therapy with the requested medication, does/did the patient have sustained walking impairment? ❑ Yes ❑ No

LEMTRADA

1. Is the patient currently receiving the requested product through samples or a manufacturer's patient assistance program? If unknown, answer Yes. ❑ Yes ❑ No

2. How many courses of the requested medication has the patient previously received? _____ courses
If one course or more (5 doses or more), skip to #4.

3. Has the patient had an inadequate response to two or more drugs indicated for multiple sclerosis?
❑ Yes ❑ No *No further questions*

4. Has the patient received the previous course of the requested medication at least 12 months prior to the planned date of the first course of the requested medication treatment course? ❑ Yes ❑ No

ZINBRYTA

1. Has the patient had an inadequate response to two or more drugs indicated for MS? ❑ Yes ❑ No

TYSABRI

1. Will the requested drug be used in combination with any other MS agent (except Ampyra), immunosuppressants, or TNF inhibitors (e.g., adalimumab, infliximab)? ❑ Yes ❑ No

2. *If initiation of therapy,* has the patient been tested for anti-JCV (John Cunningham virus) antibodies?
❑ Yes ❑ No

AUTHORIZATION

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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