

PRIOR AUTHORIZATION REQUEST

<u>Arikayce</u>

Patient Information:

Name:	
Member ID:	
Address:	
City, State, Zip:	
Date of Birth:	

Prescriber Information:

Name:	
NPI:	
Phone Number:	
Fax Number	
Address:	
City, State, Zip:	

Requested Medication

Rx Name:	
Rx Strength	
Rx Quantity:	
Rx Frequency:	
Rx Route of	
Administration:	
Diagnosis and ICD Code:	

Your patient's prescription benefit requires that we review certain requests for coverage with the prescriber. You have prescribed a medication for your patient that requires Prior Authorization before benefit coverage or coverage of additional quantities can be provided. Please complete the following questions then fax this form to the toll-free number listed below. Upon receipt of the completed form, prescription benefit coverage will be determined based on the plan's rules.

SECTION A: Please note that supporting clinical documentation is required for ALL PA requests.

If you have any questions, call:			
3	Is the patient 18 years of age or older?	Yes	No
	[] Continuation of therapy (If checked, go to 11)		
2	Is this request for initial therapy or for a continuation of therapy? [] Initial therapy (If checked, go to 3)		
	[] Other (If checked, no further questions)		
	[] Cystic Fibrosis (If checked, go to 14)		
1	What is the diagnosis or indication? [] Mycobacterium avium Complex (MAC) Lung Disease (If checked, go to 2)		

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[If no, no further questions.]

4	Has the patient completed 6 or more consecutive months of a background multidrug regimen? [NOTE: A multidrug regimen typically includes a macrolide (azithromycin or clarithromycin), ethambutol, and a rifamycin (rifampin or rifabutin).] [If no, no further questions.]	Yes	No
5	Does the patient have a positive sputum culture for Mycobacterium avium complex? [If no, no further questions.]	Yes	No
6	Was the sputum culture collected within the past 3 months? [If no, no further questions.]	Yes	No
7	Was the sputum culture collected AFTER the patient has completed 6 or more consecutive months of a background multidrug regimen? [If no, no further questions.]	Yes	No
8	Is the Mycobacterium avium complex isolate susceptible to amikacin with a minimum inhibitor concentration (MIC) of LESS THAN or EQUAL TO 64 micrograms/mL? [If no, no further questions.]	Yes	No
9	Will the requested medication be used in combination with a background multidrug regimen? [NOTE: A multidrug regimen typically includes a macrolide (azithromycin or clarithromycin), ethambutol, and a rifamycin (rifampin or rifabutin).] [If no, no further questions.]	Yes	No
10	Is the requested medication being prescribed by a pulmonologist, infectious diseases physician, or a physician who specializes in the treatment of Mycobacterium avium complex lung infections? [No further questions.]	Yes	No
11	Will the requested medication be used in combination with a background multidrug regimen? [NOTE: A multidrug regimen typically includes a macrolide (azithromycin or clarithromycin), ethambutol, and a rifamycin (rifampin or rifabutin).] [If no, no further questions.]	Yes	No
12	Has the patient achieved negative sputum cultures for Mycobacterium avium complex? [If no, no further questions.]	Yes	No
13	Has the patient achieved negative sputum cultures for Mycobacterium avium complex for LESS THAN 12 months? [REVIEWER NOTE: Approve enough Arikayce to complete 12 months of therapy	Yes	No
	If you have any		

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	following a negative sputum culture for Mycobacterium avium complex.] [No further questions.]		
14	Does the patient have Pseudomonas aeruginosa in culture of the airway (for example, sputum culture, oropharyngeal culture, bronchoalveolar lavage culture)? [If no, no further questions.]	Yes	No
15	Is the requested medication being prescribed by or in consultation with a pulmonologist or a physician who specializes in the treatment of cystic fibrosis?	Yes	No

Please document the diagnoses, symptoms, and/or any other information important to this review:

SECTION B: Physician Signature

PHYSICIAN SIGNATURE

DATE

FAX COMPLETED FORM TO: 1-833-896-0656

Disclaimer: An authorization is not a guarantee of payment. Member must be eligible at the time services are rendered. Services must be a covered Health Plan Benefit and medically necessary with prior authorization as per Plan policy and procedures.

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