

NEUPOGEN Prior Authorization Form

<input type="checkbox"/> Standard Request <input type="checkbox"/> Expedited Request	If you or your prescriber believe that waiting for a standard decision could seriously harm your life, health, or ability to regain maximum function, you can request an expedited decision. For state exchanges only: The above disclaimer applies for exigent circumstances. Expedited review may also be requested when you are undergoing a current course of treatment using a non-formulary drug.
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Demographics

Patient Information		Prescriber Information	
Patient Name:		Prescriber Name:	
DOB:	Age:	NPI#:	Specialty:
Health Plan ID#:		Phone:	Fax:
Pharmacy Name:	Pharmacy Phone:	Office Contact:	Direct Phone # or Ext:

Medication Information

Drug Requested:	Strength:	Directions:
Quantity Dispensed:	Day Supply:	<input type="checkbox"/> Generic <input type="checkbox"/> Brand Necessary
<i>Generic equivalent drugs will be substituted for Brand name drugs unless you specifically indicate otherwise.</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/> New medication <input type="checkbox"/> Continuation of therapy	Start Date:	If this is continuation of therapy, please provide CHART DOCUMENTATION indicating the member showed improvement while on therapy.

Billing Information

<input type="checkbox"/> Billed by PHARMACY delivered to the member or provider for administration. Specialty Pharmacy: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Billed under MEDICAL benefit by provider (buy and bill). **NO Review Required**	Place of Administration: <input type="checkbox"/> Physician's Office <input type="checkbox"/> Hospital/Clinic <input type="checkbox"/> Patient Home
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Clinical Information

Please indicate the diagnosis on the left and complete the corresponding questions.							
<input type="checkbox"/> Primary prophylaxis of febrile neutropenia	<p>Please indicate if any of the following complications or poor prognostic factors apply:</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Age greater than 65 years</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Poor nutritional status</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Presence of open wounds or active infections</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Cytopenias due to bone marrow involvement by tumor</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Administration of combined chemo radiotherapy</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Extensive prior treatment including large radiation ports</td> </tr> </table> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Poor performance status Please indicate ECOG performance status: _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Previous episode of febrile neutropenia Date of previous neutropenic episode: _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Advanced cancer Please indicate Stage: _____</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> Age greater than 65 years	<input type="checkbox"/> Poor nutritional status	<input type="checkbox"/> Presence of open wounds or active infections	<input type="checkbox"/> Cytopenias due to bone marrow involvement by tumor	<input type="checkbox"/> Administration of combined chemo radiotherapy	<input type="checkbox"/> Extensive prior treatment including large radiation ports
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Member Name:	DOB:	Health Plan ID:
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<input type="checkbox"/> Primary prophylaxis of febrile neutropenia	<input type="checkbox"/> Poor renal function Please indicate BUN/Creatinine: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Liver dysfunction, most notably elevated bilirubin Please indicate liver function tests: _____ Is the member receiving a dose-dense chemotherapy regimen for the treatment of node-positive breast cancer, small-cell lung cancer, or diffuse aggressive non-Hodgkin's Lymphoma? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Other serious comorbidities, Please list: _____						
<input type="checkbox"/> Secondary prophylaxis of febrile neutropenia	Did the member have a neutropenic complication from a prior cycle of chemotherapy? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <i>If yes, include chart documentation or an additional statement.</i> Did the member receive primary prophylaxis during prior cycle of chemotherapy? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes						
<input type="checkbox"/> Treatment of febrile patients with neutropenia	Please indicate if any of the following complications or poor prognostic factors apply: <table style="width:100%; border:none;"> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Being hospitalized at time of fever</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Age greater than 65 years</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Uncontrolled primary disease</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Pneumonia</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Hypotension and multi-organ dysfunction (sepsis syndrome)</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Invasive fungal infection</td> </tr> </table> <input type="checkbox"/> Expected prolonged (> 10 days) and profound (<0.1 x 10 ⁹ /L) neutropenia Did the member receive pegfilgrastim (Neulasta [®]) during current chemotherapy cycle? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Being hospitalized at time of fever	<input type="checkbox"/> Age greater than 65 years	<input type="checkbox"/> Uncontrolled primary disease	<input type="checkbox"/> Pneumonia	<input type="checkbox"/> Hypotension and multi-organ dysfunction (sepsis syndrome)	<input type="checkbox"/> Invasive fungal infection
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<input type="checkbox"/> Bone marrow transplant	Does the member require <i>autologous</i> (not allogeneic) peripheral blood progenitor cell (PBPC) transplant? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Does the member require mobilization of progenitor cells into peripheral blood (often in conjunction with chemotherapy) for collection by leukaphoresis? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No						
<input type="checkbox"/> Acute Myeloid Leukemia (AML)	Is the member receiving induction or consolidation therapy? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No						
<input type="checkbox"/> Acute Lymphocytic Leukemia (ALL)	Did the member complete the initial induction or first post-remission course of chemotherapy? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No						
<input type="checkbox"/> Myelodysplastic Syndromes (MDS)	Does the member have severe neutropenia? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Does the member have recurrent infection? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No						

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<input type="checkbox"/> Radiation Therapy	Is the member receiving chemotherapy? <input type="checkbox"/>Yes <input type="checkbox"/>No Are prolonged delays secondary to neutropenia expected? <input type="checkbox"/>Yes <input type="checkbox"/>No
<input type="checkbox"/> Lymphoma	Does the member have a diagnosis of acute aggressive lymphoma? <input type="checkbox"/>Yes <input type="checkbox"/>No Is the member being treated with curative chemotherapy (CHOP or more aggressive regimens)? <input type="checkbox"/>Yes <input type="checkbox"/>No
<input type="checkbox"/> Neutropenia	Please indicate type of neutropenia: <input type="checkbox"/> Cyclic <input type="checkbox"/> Congenital <input type="checkbox"/> Idiopathic Is the member is symptomatic? <input type="checkbox"/>Yes <input type="checkbox"/>No If yes, Please specify symptoms: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Drug-induced agranulocytosis	Does the member have severe neutropenia? <input type="checkbox"/>Yes <input type="checkbox"/>No Does the member have fever or evidence of serious infection? <input type="checkbox"/>Yes <input type="checkbox"/>No Please indicate medication name: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Other	Specify Diagnosis: _____ Date of Diagnosis: _____

Please provide current Absolute Neutrophil Count (ANC): _____	Date of Test: _____
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Please provide chemotherapy regimen		
Medication Name	Dose/Strength	Frequency

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