

# PRESCRIPTION DRUG MEDICATION REQUEST FORM FAX TO 1-866-240-8123



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**Fax each form separately. Please use a separate form for each drug.**

Print, type or write legibly in blue or black ink. *See reverse side for additional details*

PATIENT INFORMATION					
Subscriber ID Number		Highmark Coverage <input type="checkbox"/> MA-PD <input type="checkbox"/> PDP		Group Number	
Patient Name			Patient Telephone Number		Date of Birth
Patient Address			City		State      Zip Code
CLINICAL / MEDICATION INFORMATION					
Drug Name			Strength or Dose		Requested Quantity per Month
Diagnosis				Name of the Carrier who paid for Most Recent Transplant	
Type of Transplant <input type="checkbox"/> Lung <input type="checkbox"/> Heart <input type="checkbox"/> Kidney <input type="checkbox"/> GVH <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____			Date of Most Recent Transplant		Most Recent Transplant Payer (check one) <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial <input type="checkbox"/> Medicare Advantage <input type="checkbox"/> Medicare FFS
Alternatives Tried / Used By Patient (if applicable)					
Drug Name		Strength	Documentation of Failure of Therapy		
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Medical Rationale / Reason for Drug Therapy / Treatment Plan					
PHYSICIAN INFORMATION (needed for mailing notification - please print legibly)					
Physician Name		NPI or Tax ID # (Required)		Phone      Fax	
Physician Address			City		State      Zip Code
Suite / Building		Physician Signature			Date
MEDICARE		COMMERCIAL		REQUEST TYPE	
<input type="checkbox"/> Tiering Exception <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Formulary <input type="checkbox"/> Prior Authorization		<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Formulary <input type="checkbox"/> Prior Authorization		<input type="checkbox"/> Standard Request <input type="checkbox"/> Expedited Request <input type="checkbox"/> Peer to Peer <input type="checkbox"/> Expedited Appeal <input type="checkbox"/> Standard Appeal	

Once a clinical decision has been made, a decision letter will be mailed to the patient and physician.

For other helpful information, please visit the Highmark Web site at:

**[www.highmark.com](http://www.highmark.com)**

# INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE FORM

1. Submit a separate form for each medication.
2. Complete **ALL** information on the form.  
**NOTE:** *The prescribing physician (PCP or Specialist) should, in most cases, complete the form.*
3. Please provide the physician address as it is required for physician notification.
4. Fax the **completed** form to **1-866-240-8123**  
Or mail the form to: **Medical Management & Policy**  
**120 Fifth Avenue, MC P4207, Pittsburgh, PA 15222**

## CLINICAL MANAGEMENT PROCEDURES

In general, when requesting coverage for a medication, the following information in the bullet points below is required:

### NON-FORMULARY

- Most products: documentation of a trial of at least two formulary products

### PRIOR AUTHORIZATION

Below is a list of common drugs and/or therapeutic categories that require prior authorization:

- Agents used for fibromyalgia (e.g. Cymbalta, Lyrica, Savella)
- Testosterone therapies
- Miscellaneous Items: contraceptives, Provigil, immediate release fentanyl products
- Specialty drugs (e.g. Enbrel, Sutent, Tracleer, etc.)

### MANAGED PRESCRIPTION DRUG COVERAGE (MRXC)

The MRXC program includes coverage for specific drug therapy categories with set thresholds or limits. The MRXC program uses specific criteria as set forth by Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee to assess the information provided to support requests for additional quantities.

Below is a list of common drugs and/or therapeutic categories that are managed under our MRXC program:

- Medications used to treat Migraines (e.g. Amerge, Imitrex, Maxalt, etc.)
- Medications used to treat Onychomycosis (Lamisil and Sporanox)
- Leukotriene Modifiers (Singulair, Accolate, and Zflo)
- Pain Management (OxyContin, Opana ER, etc.)

Please note that the drugs and therapeutic categories managed under our Prior Authorization and MRXC programs are subject to change based on the FDA approval of new drugs.

### HIGHMARK MEDICARE-APPROVED FORMULARIES

Additional drugs and/or therapeutic categories that require prior authorization and the required information are listed below.

- Immunosuppressants: diagnosis and/or documentation of Medicare-approved organ transplant
- Methotrexate (oral): diagnosis
- Intravenous immune globulins: diagnosis and place of service

Categories of Drug Management is subject to change. For a comprehensive view of the Medicare Approved Formulary, please visit <http://highmark.medicare-approvedformularies.com>

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