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**N&WICS - TA393 - Alirocumab - Treating primary hypercholesterolaemia and mixed dyslipidaemia**

Before providing patient identifiable data on this form, please confirm that the patient (or in the case of a minor or vulnerable adult with the parent/legal guardian/carer) has given appropriate explicit consent for sensitive personal information on this form to be passed to the CCG and/or CSU for processing this funding request and validating subsequent invoices. Consent given: ☐

If there is more than one NICE-approved treatment available, a discussion between the responsible clinician and the patient has taken place about the advantages and disadvantages of the treatments available. This has taken into consideration therapeutic need and whether or not the patient is likely to adhere to treatment. The most appropriate, least expensive, will be chosen (taking into account administration costs, dosage and price per dose) unless an order of preference is stated in the TAs. ☐

<b>Patient NHS No:</b>	<b>Trust:</b>	<b>Practice Name:</b>
<b>Patient Hospital No:</b> <input type="text"/>	<b>Consultant Making Request:</b> <input type="text"/>	<b>Practice Postcode:</b>
<b>Patient's Initials and DoB:</b>		<b>Practice Code:</b>
<b>Notification Email Address:</b> <input type="text"/> (@NHS.net account ONLY)		<b>Contact name &amp; number:</b> <input type="text"/>
<b>Start date of requested treatment:</b> <input type="text"/>	<b>Provider:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> NHS <b>Supplier:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Homecare <input type="checkbox"/> Hospital	<b>Sub-Type:</b> <input type="text"/> N/A <input type="checkbox"/> (if applicable)

By completing this form, you confirm that you intend to use the requested medicinal product described below as agreed in the local commissioning statement. Any requests which fall outside of this use will require an individual funding request (IFR).

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Please indicate whether patient meets the following NICE criteria:				Please tick															
1. Alirocumab is recommended as an option for treating primary hypercholesterolaemia or mixed dyslipidaemia, only if:				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No															
• Low-density lipoprotein concentrations are persistently* above the thresholds specified in table 1 despite maximal tolerated lipid-lowering therapy. That is, either the maximum dose has been reached or further titration is limited by intolerance (as defined in NICE's guideline on familial hypercholesterolaemia: identification and management).																			
• The company provides alirocumab with the discount agreed in the patient access scheme.																			
• Table 1 Low-density lipoprotein cholesterol concentrations above which alirocumab is recommended																			
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• High risk of cardiovascular disease is defined as a history of any of the following: acute coronary syndrome (such as myocardial infarction or unstable angina requiring hospitalisation), coronary or other arterial revascularisation procedures, coronary heart disease, ischaemic stroke, peripheral arterial disease.																			

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Very high risk of cardiovascular disease is defined as recurrent cardiovascular events or cardiovascular events in more than 1 vascular bed (that is, polyvascular disease).</li> <li>• Abbreviations: CVD, cardiovascular disease; LDL-C, low-density lipoprotein cholesterol.</li> <li><b>* Persistently is defined as at least two consecutive LDL-C readings over a minimum 3 month period (following titration up to maximal tolerated lipid-lowering therapy) which meet the NICE criteria as defined above</b></li> </ul>	
<p>2. As per NICE guidance, treatment should normally be started with the least expensive drug (considering the dose required, price per dose and any additional administration costs).</p> <p>Please confirm that the choice of drug is considered the most cost-effective treatment for this individual patient, noting that alternative treatment options recommended by NICE may be lower in cost, including the use of biosimilar medications if applicable.</p> <p>Where an alternative lower cost treatment is available and has not been tried by the patient, please confirm that the clinical rationale for prescribing has been included in the patients' medical record for the purpose of auditing.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<p>3. The product is being used as described by local commissioning position.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<p><b>I confirm that the patient meets the criteria for treatment</b></p> <p>Name of person completing: <input type="text"/></p> <p>Designation of person completing: <input type="text"/></p>	<p>Contact Details: <input type="text"/></p> <p>Date: <input type="text"/></p>
<p>Trust Authorising Pharmacist</p> <p>Name: <input type="text"/></p> <p>Date: <input type="text"/></p>	