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N&WICS - TA329 - Infliximab - moderately to severely active ulcerative colitis after the failure of conventional therapy		
<p>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: <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>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. <input type="checkbox"/></p>		
Patient NHS No:	Trust:	Practice Name:
Patient Hospital No: <input type="text"/>	Consultant Making Request: <input type="text"/>	Practice Postcode:
Patient's Initials and DoB:		Practice Code:
Notification Email Address: <input type="text"/> (@NHS.net account ONLY)		Contact name & number: <input type="text"/>
Start date of requested treatment: <input type="text"/>	Provider: <input type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> NHS Supplier: <input type="checkbox"/> Homecare <input type="checkbox"/> Hospital	Sub-Type: <input type="text"/> N/A <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> (if applicable)
<p>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).</p> <p>For support regarding IFRs, please contact: norfolkicd@nhs.net</p> <p>For support regarding the criteria listed below, please contact: norfolknontariff@nhs.net</p>		

Please indicate whether patient meets the following NICE criteria:	Please tick
1. Infliximab, is recommended, within it's marketing authorisations, as an option for treating moderately to severely active ulcerative colitis in adults whose disease has responded inadequately to conventional therapy including corticosteroids and mercaptopurine or azathioprine, or who cannot tolerate, or have medical contraindications for, such therapies.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
2. The choice of treatment should be made on an individual basis after discussion between the responsible clinician and the patient about the advantages and disadvantages of the treatments available. This should take into consideration therapeutic need and whether or not the patient is likely to adhere to treatment. If more than 1 treatment is suitable, the least expensive should be chosen (taking into account administration costs, dosage and price per dose).	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
3. Infliximab should be given as a planned course of treatment until treatment fails (including the need for surgery) or until 12 months after starting treatment, whichever is shorter. Specialists should then discuss the risks and benefits of continued treatment with the patient, and their parent or carer if appropriate: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • They should continue treatment only if there is clear evidence of response as determined by clinical symptoms, biological markers and investigation, including endoscopy if necessary. People who continue treatment should be reassessed at least every 12 months to determine whether ongoing treatment is still clinically appropriate. • They should consider a trial withdrawal from treatment for all patients who are in stable clinical remission. People whose disease relapses after treatment is stopped should have the option to start treatment again. 	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
4. 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>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</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

that the clinical rationale for prescribing has been included in the patients' medical record for the purpose of auditing.		
5. The product is being used as described by local commissioning position.		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
I confirm that the patient meets the criteria for treatment		
Name of person completing: <input type="text"/>		Contact Details: <input type="text"/>
Designation of person completing: <input type="text"/>		Date: <input type="text"/>
Trust Authorising Pharmacist		
Name: <input type="text"/>		
Date: <input type="text"/>		