Click here to access the guidelines/NICE algorithm N&WICS - TA238 - Tocilizumab - Treatment of systemic juvenile idiopathic arthritis in children and young people aged 2 years and older whose disease has responded inadequately to non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs (NSAIDs), systemic corticosteroids and methotrexate 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. **Patient Practice** Trust: NHS No: Name: **Patient** Consultant **Practice** Hospital Making Postcode: No: Request: Patient's **Practice** Initials and Code: DoB: Notification Contact Email name & (@NHS.net account ONLY) Address: number: Provider: Start date ☐ Private ☐ NHS of Sub-Type: Supplier: ☐ Homecare ☐ Hospital requested IN/A 🔽 treatment: (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). For support regarding IFRs, please contact: norfolkicd@nhs.net For support regarding the criteria listed below, please contact: norfolknontariff@nhs.net Please tick Please indicate whether patient meets the following NICE criteria: 1. Tocilizumab is recommended for the treatment of systemic juvenile idiopathic arthritis in children and young people aged 2 years and older whose disease has responded inadequately to non-steroidal anti-☐ Yes ☐ No inflammatory drugs (NSAIDs), systemic corticosteroids and methotrexate if the manufacturer makes tocilizumab available with the discount agreed as part of the patient access scheme. 2. Tocilizumab is not recommended for the treatment of systemic juvenile idiopathic arthritis in children and young people aged 2 years and older whose disease continues to respond to methotrexate or who have not ☐ Yes ☐ No been treated with methotrexate. 3. Children and young people currently receiving tocilizumab for the treatment of systemic juvenile idiopathic arthritis who do not meet the criteria in 1.1 should have the option to continue treatment until it is considered ☐ Yes ☐ No appropriate to stop. This decision should be made jointly by the clinicians, and the child or young person and/or their parents or carers. 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). 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 ☐Yes ☐No use of biosimilar medications if applicable. 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. I confirm that the patient meets the criteria for treatment

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