

TRICARE Prior Authorization Request Form for
**Ophthalmic Immunomodulatory Agents Subclass: Cyclosporine 0.05%
 Ophthalmic Emulsion (Restasis)**



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USFHP Pharmacy Prior Authorization Form

| To be completed by Requesting provider | |
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| Drug Name: | Strength: |
| Dosage/Frequency (SIG): | Duration of Therapy: |

**FAX Completed Form and
 Applicable Progress Notes to:
 (410) 424-4037**

Questions? Contact the Pharmacy Dept at: (888) 819-1043, option 4

Clinical Documentation must accompany form in order for a determination to be made.

Step 1 Please complete patient and physician information (please print):

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| Patient Name: _____ | Physician Name: _____ |
| Address: _____ | Address: _____ |
| Sponsor ID # _____ | Phone #: _____ |
| Date of Birth: _____ | Secure Fax #: _____ |

Step 2 Please complete the clinical assessment:

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| <p>1. Is this drug being prescribed by an ophthalmologist or optometrist?</p> | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Proceed to question 2 | <input type="checkbox"/> No STOP Coverage not approved |
| <p>2. Has the patient received this medication under the TRICARE benefit in the last 6 months? <i>Please choose "No" if the patient did not previously have a TRICARE approved PA for Restasis</i></p> | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (subject to verification) Proceed to question 12 | <input type="checkbox"/> No Proceed to question 3 |
| <p>3. Is the patient greater than or equal to 18 years of age?</p> | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Proceed to question 4 | <input type="checkbox"/> No STOP Coverage not approved |
| <p>4. Will the requested medication be used in combination with Xiidra or Cequa?</p> | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes STOP Coverage not approved | <input type="checkbox"/> No Proceed to question 5 |
| <p>5. Is the requested medication being prescribed for LASIK associated dry eyes?</p> | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Proceed to question 6 | <input type="checkbox"/> No Proceed to question 7 |
| <p>6. Did the LASIK surgery occur within the last THREE Months? <i>Note that therapy is limited to a maximum of THREE months of therapy after the procedure.</i></p> | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Sign and date below | <input type="checkbox"/> No STOP Coverage not approved |
| <p>7. For what indication is the requested medication being prescribed?</p> | <input type="checkbox"/> Moderate to Severe Dry Eye Disease – Proceed to question 8 <input type="checkbox"/> Ocular graft vs. host disease - Sign and date below <input type="checkbox"/> Corneal transplant - Sign and date below <input type="checkbox"/> Atopic keratoconjunctivitis (AKC) - Sign and date below <input type="checkbox"/> Vernal keratoconjunctivitis (VKC) - Sign and date below <input type="checkbox"/> Other – STOP Coverage not approved | |
| <p>8. Has the patient had positive symptomology screening for moderate to severe dry eye disease from an appropriate measure?</p> | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Proceed to question 9 | <input type="checkbox"/> No STOP Coverage not approved |

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| 9. Has the patient had at least one positive diagnostic test (e.g. Tear Film Breakup Time, Osmolarity, Ocular Surface Staining, Schirmer Tear Test)? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Proceed to question 10 | <input type="checkbox"/> No STOP Coverage not approved |
| 10. Has the patient tried and failed at least 1 month of one ocular lubricant used at optimal dosing and frequency (e.g. carboxymethylcellulose [Refresh, Celluvisc, Thera Tears, Genteal, etc], polyvinyl alcohol [Liquitears, Refresh Classic, etc], or wetting agents [Systame, Lacrilube)? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Proceed to question 11 | <input type="checkbox"/> No STOP Coverage not approved |
| 11. Has the patient tried and failed at least 1 month of a different ocular lubricant that is non-preserved at optimal dosing and frequency (e.g. carboxymethylcellulose, polyvinyl alcohol, etc.)? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Sign and date below | <input type="checkbox"/> No STOP Coverage not approved |
| 12. Does the patient have a documented improvement in ocular discomfort? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Proceed to question 13 | <input type="checkbox"/> No STOP Coverage not approved |
| 13. Does the patient have documented improvement in signs of dry eye disease? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Sign and date below | <input type="checkbox"/> No STOP Coverage not approved |

Coverage is not approved for off label uses such as, but not limited to: Pterygia, blepharitis, ocular rosacea, and contact lens intolerance.

**Step
3**

I certify the above is true to the best of my knowledge. Please sign and date:

 Prescriber Signature

 Date

[31 August 2022]

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Approved: | Duration of Approval: ____month(s) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Denied: | Authorized By: |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Incomplete/Other: | PA#: |