



## Orencia

### Prior Authorization Request

Your patient's benefit plan requires prior authorization for certain medications. In order to make appropriate medical necessity determinations, your patient's diagnosis and other clinical information is required. **Please complete the information requested on the form below and fax this form along with supporting clinical documentation to Priority Partners, toll-free at 1-866-212-4756 to initiate the review process.** If you have questions regarding the prior authorization please contact Priority Partners at 888-819-1043 Option 4.

**Patient's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Patient's ID:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Patient's Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Physician's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **NPI#:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Specialty:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Physician Office Fax:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Physician Office Telephone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Referring Provider Info:**  Same as Requesting Provider

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **NPI#:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Fax:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Rendering Provider Info:**  Same as Referring Provider  Same as Requesting Provider

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **NPI#:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Fax:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

*Approvals may be subject to dosing limits in accordance with FDA-approved labeling, accepted compendia, and/or evidence-based practice guidelines.*

**Required Demographic Information:**

*Patient Weight:* \_\_\_\_\_ *kg*

*Patient Height:* \_\_\_\_\_ *cm*

**Drug Information:**

*Strength/Measure* \_\_\_\_\_ *Units*  ml  Gm  mg  ea  Un

*Directions(sig)* \_\_\_\_\_ *Route of administration* \_\_\_\_\_

*Dosing frequency* \_\_\_\_\_

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**Site of Service Questions:**

- A. Indicate the site of service requested:
  - On Campus Outpatient Hospital (22)
  - Home (12), *skip to Criteria Questions*
  - Ambulatory Surgical Center (24), *skip to Criteria Questions*
  - Off Campus Outpatient Hospital (19)
  - Office (11), *skip to Criteria Questions*
- B. Is the patient less than 18 years of age?
  - Yes, *skip to Clinical Criteria Questions*
  - No
- C. Has the patient experienced an adverse event with the requested product that has not responded to conventional interventions (eg acetaminophen, steroids, diphenhydramine, fluids, other pre- medications or slowing of infusion rate) or a severe adverse event (anaphylaxis, anaphylactoid reactions, myocardial infarction, thromboembolism, or seizures) during or immediately after an infusion? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If 'Yes', please attach supporting clinical documentation.***  Yes, *skip to Clinical Criteria Questions*  No
- D. Is the patient medically unstable which may include respiratory, cardiovascular, or renal conditions that may limit the member's ability to tolerate a large volume or load or predispose the member to a severe adverse event that cannot be managed in an alternate setting without appropriate medical personnel and equipment? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If 'Yes', please attach supporting clinical documentation.***
  - Yes, *skip to Clinical Criteria Questions*
  - No
- E. Does the patient have severe venous access issues that require the use of special interventions only available in the outpatient hospital setting? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If 'Yes', please attach supporting clinical documentation.***
  - Yes, *skip to Clinical Criteria Questions*
  - No
- F. Does the patient have significant behavioral issues and/or physical or cognitive impairment that would impact the safety of the infusion therapy AND the patient does not have access to a caregiver? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If 'Yes', please attach supporting clinical documentation.***
  - Yes, *skip to Clinical Criteria Questions*
  - No
- G. Has the patient's home been deemed not eligible or appropriate for home infusion services by a home infusion provider? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If 'Yes', please attach supporting clinical documentation.***
  - Yes, *skip to Clinical Criteria Questions*
  - No
- H. Does the patient have severe venous access issues that require the use of special interventions only available in the outpatient hospital setting? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If 'Yes', please attach supporting clinical documentation.***  Yes  No

**Clinical Criteria Questions:**

- 1. What is the prescribed quantity and frequency?
  - a) **Loading dose:**
    - Orencia IV 250 mg    Quantity and frequency: \_\_\_\_\_
    - Orencia SQ 125 mg    Quantity and frequency: \_\_\_\_\_
    - Orencia SQ 87.5 mg    Quantity and frequency: \_\_\_\_\_
    - Orencia SQ 50 mg    Quantity and frequency: \_\_\_\_\_
    - Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - b) **Maintenance dose:**
    - Orencia IV 250 mg    Quantity and frequency: \_\_\_\_\_
    - Orencia SQ 125 mg    Quantity and frequency: \_\_\_\_\_
    - Orencia SQ 87.5 mg    Quantity and frequency: \_\_\_\_\_
    - Orencia SQ 50 mg    Quantity and frequency: \_\_\_\_\_
    - Other \_\_\_\_\_

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2. Has the patient been diagnosed with any of the following?
  - Moderately to severely active rheumatoid arthritis (RA)
  - Moderately to severely active **polyarticular** juvenile idiopathic arthritis (pJIA)
  - Moderately to severely active **oligoarticular** juvenile idiopathic arthritis
  - Active psoriatic arthritis (PsA)
  - Chronic graft versus host disease
  - Immune checkpoint inhibitor-related toxicity
  - Systemic juvenile idiopathic arthritis (sJIA)
  - Other \_\_\_\_\_
3. What is the ICD-10 code? \_\_\_\_\_
4. What is the patient's weight? \_\_\_\_\_ Kg

**Section A: All Requests**

5. Will the requested drug be used in combination with any other biologic (e.g. Humira) or targeted synthetic disease-modifying antirheumatic drug (DMARD) (e.g., Olumiant, Otezla, Xeljanz)?  Yes  No
6. Has the patient ever received (including current utilizers) a biologic (e.g., Humira) or targeted synthetic DMARD (e.g., Olumiant, Xeljanz) associated with an increased risk of tuberculosis? *If Yes, skip to #8*  Yes  No
7. Has the patient had a tuberculosis (TB) test (e.g., tuberculosis skin test [PPD], interferon-release assay [IGRA], chest x-ray) within 6 months of initiating therapy? *If Yes, skip to #10*  Yes  No
8. Does the patient have risk factors for tuberculosis (TB) (e.g., persons with close contact to people with infectious TB disease; persons who have recently immigrated from areas of the world with high rates of TB [e.g., Africa, Asia, Eastern Europe, Latin America, Russia]; children less than 5 years of age who have a positive TB test; groups with high rates of TB transmission [e.g., homeless persons, injection drug users, persons with HIV infection], or persons who work or reside with people who are at an increased risk for active TB [e.g., hospitals, long-term care facilities, correctional facilities, homeless shelters])?  Yes  No *If No, skip to #13*
9. Has the patient been tested for tuberculosis (TB) within the previous 12 months?  Yes  No
10. What were the results of the tuberculosis (TB) test?
  - Positive for TB
  - Negative for TB, *skip to #13*
  - Unknown
11. Does the patient have latent or active tuberculosis (TB)?  Latent  Active  Unknown
12. Has treatment for latent tuberculosis (TB) infection been initiated or completed?
  - Yes - treatment initiated
  - Yes - treatment completed
  - No
13. Is the patient currently receiving Orencia?  Yes  No  
*If diagnosis is chronic graft versus host disease, skip to Section F*
14. Is this request for continuation of therapy with the requested drug?
  - Yes
  - No *If No, skip to diagnosis section.*
15. Is the patient currently receiving the requested drug through samples or a manufacturer's patient assistance program? *If Yes or Unknown, skip to diagnosis section.*  Yes  No  Unknown
16. Has the patient achieved or maintained positive clinical response as evidenced by low disease activity or improvement in signs and symptoms since starting treatment with the requested drug?
  - Yes
  - No

**Complete the following section based on the patient's diagnosis, if applicable.**

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Section B: Rheumatoid Arthritis

*Continuation*

17. What is the percent of disease activity improvement from baseline in tender joint count, swollen joint count, pain, or disability? ***ACTION REQUIRED: Please attach chart notes or medical record documentation supporting positive clinical response.*** \_\_\_\_\_% *No further questions*

*Initiation*

18. Has the patient ever received (including current utilizers) a biologic (e.g., Humira) or targeted synthetic DMARD (e.g., Rinvoq, Xeljanz) that is indicated for moderately to severely active rheumatoid arthritis? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach chart notes, medical record documentation, or claims history supporting previous medications tried and no further questions.***  Yes  No
19. Does the patient meet BOTH of the following: a) the patient was tested for the rheumatoid factor (RF) biomarker AND b) the RF biomarker test was positive? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach laboratory results, chart notes, or medical record documentation of biomarker testing and skip to #26.***  Yes  No
20. Does the patient meet BOTH of the following: a) the patient was tested for the anti-cyclic citrullinated peptide (anti-CCP) biomarker AND b) the anti-CCP biomarker test was positive? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach laboratory results, chart notes, or medical record documentation of biomarker testing and skip to #26.***  Yes  No
21. Has the patient been tested for the rheumatoid factor (RF) biomarker? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach laboratory results, chart notes, or medical record documentation of biomarker testing.***  
 Yes  No
22. Has the patient been tested for the anti-cyclic citrullinated peptide (anti-CCP) biomarker? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach laboratory results, chart notes, or medical record documentation of biomarker testing.***  Yes  No
23. Has the patient been tested for the C-reactive protein (CRP) and/or erythrocyte sedimentation rate (ESR) biomarker(s)? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach laboratory results, chart notes, or medical record documentation of biomarker testing.***  Yes  No
24. Please indicate if the patient tested positive or negative for the C-reactive protein (CRP) biomarker, or if the test was not completed.  Positive for CRP  Negative for CRP  Test for CRP was not completed
25. Please indicate if the patient tested positive or negative for the erythrocyte sedimentation rate (ESR) biomarker, or if the test was not completed.  Positive for ESR  Negative for ESR  Test for ESR was not completed
26. Has the patient experienced an inadequate response after at least 3 months of treatment with methotrexate at a dose greater than or equal to 20 mg per week? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach chart notes, medical record documentation, or claims history supporting previous medications tried, including response to therapy and no further questions.***  Yes  No
27. Has the patient experienced an intolerance to methotrexate? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach chart notes, medical record documentation, or claims history supporting previous medications tried, including response to therapy and no further questions.***  Yes  No
28. Does the patient have a contraindication to methotrexate? ***ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach documentation of clinical reason to avoid therapy and indicate the contraindication.***  
 Yes  No ***If Yes, please indicate the contraindication:*** \_\_\_\_\_

Section C: Articular Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis

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*Continuation*

29. Which of the following has the patient experienced an improvement in from baseline?

**ACTION REQUIRED: Please attach chart notes or medical record documentation supporting positive clinical response. Indicate ALL that apply and no further questions.**

- Number of joints with active arthritis (e.g., swelling, pain, limitation of motion)
- Functional ability
- Number of joints with limitation of movement
- None of the above

*Initiation*

30. Has the patient ever received (including current utilizers) a biologic (e.g., Humira) or targeted synthetic disease-modifying antirheumatic drug (DMARD) indicated for moderately to severely active articular juvenile idiopathic arthritis? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach chart notes, medical record documentation, or claims history supporting previous medications tried and no further questions.**  Yes  No

31. Has the patient had an inadequate response to methotrexate or another non-biologic DMARD administered at an adequate dose and duration? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach chart notes, medical record documentation, or claims history supporting previous medications tried, including response to therapy and no further questions.**  Yes  No

32. Does the patient have any of the following risk factors?

- Positive rheumatoid factor  Pre-existing joint damage
- Positive anti-cyclic citrullinated peptide antibodies  None of the above

33. Does the patient meet any of the following?

- High-risk joints are involved (e.g., cervical spine, wrist, or hip)  High disease activity
- High risk for disabling joint disease  None of the above

Section D: Psoriatic Arthritis

*Continuation*

34. Which of the following has the patient experienced an improvement in from baseline?

**ACTION REQUIRED: Please attach chart notes or medical record documentation supporting positive clinical response. Indicate ALL that apply and no further questions.**

- Number of swollen joints  Enthesitis  Number of tender joints
- Skin and/or nail involvement  Dactylitis  None of the above

Section E: Chronic Graft Versus Host Disease

35. Has the patient experienced an inadequate response to systemic corticosteroids? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach chart notes, medical record documentation, or claims history supporting previous medications tried, including response to therapy and no further questions.**  Yes  No

36. Does the patient have an intolerance or contraindication to corticosteroids? **ACTION REQUIRED: If Yes, please attach documentation of clinical reason to avoid therapy.**  Yes  No

Section F: Immune Checkpoint Inhibitor-Related Toxicity

37. Does the patient have cardiac toxicity?  Yes  No

**I attest that this information is accurate and true, and that documentation supporting this information is available for review if requested by Priority Partners.**

X \_\_\_\_\_

**Prescriber or Authorized Signature**

**Date (mm/dd/yy)**

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