

# Adempas

### **Prior Authorization Request**

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Patient's Name: {{MEMFIRST}} {{MEMLAST}} Date: {{TODAY}} Patient's Date of Birth: {{MEMBERDOB}} **Patient's ID** {{MEMBERID}} Physician's Name: {{PHYFIRST}} {{PHYLAST}} , NPI#: Specialty: Physician Office Telephone: {{PHYSICIANPHONE}} Physician Office Fax: {{PHYSICIANFAX}} **Request Initiated For:** {{DRUGNAME}}

- 1. What is the diagnosis?
  - Chronic thromboembolic pulmonary hypertension (CTEPH)
  - □ Pulmonary arterial hypertension (PAH)
  - Other
- 2. What is the ICD-10 code?
- Is the request for continuation of therapy with the requested medication?  $\Box$  Yes  $\Box$  No If No, skip to #6 3.
- Is the patient currently receiving the requested medication through a paid pharmacy or medical benefit? 4. □ Yes □ No □ Unknown If No or Unknown, skip to diagnosis section
- Is the patient experiencing a benefit from therapy with the requested medication as evidenced by disease stability 5. or disease improvement? Yes No *No further questions*
- What is the World Health Organization (WHO) classification of pulmonary hypertension? 6.
  - **WHO Group 1** (Pulmonary arterial hypertension)
  - **WHO Group 2** (Pulmonary hypertension owing to left heart disease)
  - **WHO Group 3** (Pulmonary hypertension owing to lung disease and/or hypoxia)
  - **WHO Group 4** (Chronic thromboembolic pulmonary hypertension)
  - **WHO Group 5** (Pulmonary hypertension with unclear multifactorial mechanisms)
- 7. Has PAH been confirmed by right heart catheterization?  $\Box$  Yes  $\Box$  No
- 8. What is the pretreatment mean pulmonary arterial pressure at rest? mmHg
- 9. What is the pretreatment pulmonary capillary wedge pressure? mmHg
- 10. What is the pretreatment pulmonary vascular resistance? Wood units

## Complete the following section if the patient's diagnosis is chronic thromboembolic pulmonary hypertension

11. Does the patient have recurrent or persistent CTEPH after pulmonary endarterectomy? If Yes, no further questions  $\Box$  Yes  $\Box$  No

#### Send completed form to: Case Review Unit CVS Caremark Prior Authorization Fax: 1-866-249-6155

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Member Name: {{MEMFIRST}} {{MEMLAST}} DOB: {{MEMBERDOB}} PA Number: {{PANUMBER}}

- 12. Does the patient have inoperable CTEPH?  $\Box$  Yes  $\Box$  No
- 13. Has CTEPH been confirmed by pulmonary angiography, computed tomography (CT) angiography, or magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) angiography? □ Yes □ No

I attest that this information is accurate and true, and that documentation supporting this information is available for review if requested by CVS Caremark or the benefit plan sponsor.

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**Prescriber or Authorized Signature** 

Date (mm/dd/yy)

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