



### Anti-Inflammatory Therapy Step Therapy

Cimzia (certolizumab pegol) J0717, Omvoh (mirikizumab-mrkz) J2267, Spevigo (spesolimab-sbzo) J1747, Skyrizi (risankizumab-rzaa) J2327, Ilumya (tildrakizumab) J3245 are non-preferred. The preferred products are Simponi (Golimumab) J1602, Cosentyx IV (secukinumab IV)J3247, Stelara (Ustekinumab; SubQ and IV) J3357/J3358

Prior Authorization Request  
Medicare Part B Form

Instructions: \* Indicates required information – Form may be returned if required information is not provided. Please fax this request to the appropriate fax number listed at the bottom of the page.

<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Standard Request– (72 Hours)</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Urgent Request</b> (standard time frame could place the member's life, health or ability in serious jeopardy)
Date Requested _____			
Requestor _____ Clinic name: _____ Phone _____ / Fax _____			

#### MEMBER INFORMATION

\*Name: \_\_\_\_\_ \*ID#: \_\_\_\_\_ \*DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

#### PRESCRIBER INFORMATION

\*Name: \_\_\_\_\_ MD FNP DO NP PA \*Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Address: \_\_\_\_\_ \*Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

#### DISPENSING PROVIDER / ADMINISTRATION INFORMATION

\*Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

#### PROCEDURE / PRODUCT INFORMATION

HCP Code	Name of Drug	Dose (Wt: _____ kg Ht: _____ )	Frequency	End Date if known

Self-administered       Provider-administered       Home Infusion

Chart notes attached. Other important information: \_\_\_\_\_

**Diagnosis: ICD10:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Description:** \_\_\_\_\_

Provider attests the diagnosis provided is an FDA-Approved indication for this drug

#### CLINICAL INFORMATION

**New Start or Initial Request: (Clinical documentation required for all requests)**

Rheumatoid Arthritis

Preferred:  Simponi

Non-Preferred:  Humira     Cimzia (**Must try/fail Preferred alternative**)

Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis

Preferred:  Simponi

Non-Preferred:  Humira     Cosentyx (**Must try/fail Preferred alternative**)

- Ankylosing Spondylitis  
 Preferred:  Simponi  
 Non-Preferred:  Humira  Cosentyx  Cimzia **(Must try/fail Preferred alternative)**
- Psoriatic Arthritis  
 Preferred:  Simponi  Skyrizi  
 Non-Preferred  Humira  Cimzia  Stelara  Cosentyx  
**(Must try/fail Preferred alternative)**
- Plaque Psoriasis  
 Preferred:  Ilumya  
 Non-Preferred:  Humira  Cimzia  Stelara  Cosentyx  Skyrizi  
**(Must try/fail Preferred alternative)**
- Hidradenitis Suppurativa  
 Preferred:  Humira  
 Non-Preferred:  Cosentyx **(Must try/fail Preferred alternative)**
- Crohn's Disease  
 Preferred:  Stelara IV  Cimzia  
 Non-Preferred:  Humira  Stelara SC  Skyrizi **(Must try/fail Preferred alternative)**
- Ulcerative Colitis  
 Preferred:  Simponi  
 Non-Preferred:  Humira  Stelara  Omvoh  Skyrizi  
**(Must try/fail Preferred alternative)**
- Uveitis  
 Humira
- Non-radiographic axial spondyloarthritis  
 Preferred:  Cimzia  
 Non-Preferred:  Cosentyx **(Must try/fail Preferred alternative)**
- Generalized Pustular Psoriasis  
 Spevigo
- Provider has reviewed the attached "Criteria for Approval" and attests the member meets ALL required PA criteria.**  
 If not, please provide **clinical rationale** for formulary exception: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Continuation Requests: (Clinical documentation required for all requests)

**Provider has reviewed the attached “Criteria for Continuation” and attests the member meets ALL required PA Continuation criteria.**

Patient had an adequate response or significant improvement while on this medication.

If not, please provide clinical rationale for continuing this medication: \_\_\_\_\_

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#### ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

**Request By (Signature Required):** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

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## Prior Authorization Group – Anti-Inflammatory Therapy PA

### Drug Name(s):

CIMZIA	CERTOLIZUMAB PEGOL
SIMPONI	GOLIMUMAB
ILUMYA	TILDRAKIZUMAB-ASMN
STELARA	USTEKINUMAB
SKYRIZI	RISANKIZUMAB-RZAA
SPEVIGO	SPELIMAB-SBZO
COSENTYX IV	SECUKINUMAB IV
OMVOH	MIRIKIZUMAB-MRKZ

### Criteria for approval of Prior Authorization Drug:

1. Prescribed for an approved FDA diagnosis (as listed below):
2. Member has tried and failed at least ONE of the formulary alternatives: **Simponi or Stelara** OR
  - There is clinical documentation stating formulary alternatives are contraindicated.
3. Member does not have any clinically relevant contraindications, or CMS/Plan exclusions, to the requested drug.
  - If the member meets all these criteria, they may be approved by the Plan for the requested drug.
  - Quantity limits and Tiering will be determined by the Plan.

### Exclusion Criteria:

N/A

### Prescriber Restrictions:

N/A

### Coverage Duration:

Approval will be for 12 months

### FDA Indications:

#### Cimzia

- Ankylosing spondylitis, Active
- Crohn's disease, Active, moderate to severe
- Non-radiographic axial spondyloarthritis
- Plaque psoriasis, Moderate to severe
- Psoriatic arthritis, Active
- Rheumatoid arthritis, Active, moderate to severe

#### Cosentyx

- Ankylosing spondylitis, Active
- Hidradenitis suppurativa (Moderate to Severe)
- Juvenile idiopathic arthritis, Active, enthesitis-related
- Non-radiographic axial spondyloarthritis, Active; with objective signs of inflammation
- Plaque psoriasis (Moderate to Severe), In patients who are candidates for systemic therapy or phototherapy
- Psoriatic arthritis, Active

#### Ilumya

- Plaque psoriasis (Moderate to Severe), In candidates for systemic therapy or phototherapy

### **Simponi**

- Ankylosing spondylitis, Active
- Polyarticular juvenile idiopathic arthritis, Active
- Psoriatic arthritis, Active
- Rheumatoid arthritis (Moderate to Severe), Active, in combination with methotrexate
- Ulcerative colitis (Moderate to Severe), Active
- Rheumatoid arthritis

### **Spevigo**

- Crohn's disease, Moderately to Severely Active
- Plaque psoriasis (Moderate to Severe), Eligible for systemic therapy or phototherapy
- Psoriatic arthritis, Active

### **Stelara**

- Crohn's disease (Moderate to Severe), Failed or intolerant to a tumor necrosis factor antagonist
- Crohn's disease (Moderate to Severe), Failed or intolerant to immunomodulators or corticosteroids
- Plaque psoriasis (Moderate to Severe)
- Psoriatic arthritis, Active, alone or in combination with methotrexate
- Ulcerative colitis (Moderate to Severe), Active

### **Spevigo**

- Generalized pustular psoriasis, Flares

### **Omvoh**

- Ulcerative colitis (Moderate to Severe)

### **Off-Label Uses:**

#### **Stelara**

- Rheumatoid arthritis

### **Age Restrictions:**

N/A

### **Other Clinical Considerations:**

N/A

### **Resources:**

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