

# SENTARA COMMUNITY PLAN (MEDICAID)

## PHARMACY PRIOR AUTHORIZATION/STEP-EDIT REQUEST\*

**Directions:** The prescribing physician must sign and clearly print name (preprinted stamps not valid) on this request. All other information may be filled in by office staff; fax to 1-800-750-9692. No additional phone calls will be necessary if all information (including phone and fax #s) on this form is correct. If the information provided is not complete, correct, or legible, the authorization process can be delayed.

**Drug Requested:** Libtayo<sup>®</sup> (cemiplimab-rwlc)

**MEMBER & PRESCRIBER INFORMATION:** Authorization may be delayed if incomplete.

Member Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Member Sentara #: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Prescriber Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Prescriber Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Office Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax Number: \_\_\_\_\_

DEA OR NPI #: \_\_\_\_\_

**DRUG INFORMATION:** Authorization may be delayed if incomplete.

Drug Form/Strength: \_\_\_\_\_

Dosing Schedule: \_\_\_\_\_ Length of Therapy: \_\_\_\_\_

Diagnosis: \_\_\_\_\_ ICD Code, if applicable: \_\_\_\_\_

Weight: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**CLINICAL CRITERIA:** Check below all that apply. All criteria must be met for approval. To support each line checked, all documentation, including lab results, diagnostics, and/or chart notes, must be provided or request may be denied.

**Initial Authorization: 6 months**

1. Is the prescriber an oncologist? **AND**  Yes  No
2. Is the member 18 years of age or older? **AND**  Yes  No
3. Does the member have a diagnosis of:
  - a. Locally advanced cutaneous squamous cell carcinoma and is not a candidate for curativesurgery or radiation therapy? **OR**  Yes  No
  - b. Cutaneous squamous cell carcinoma with nodal or distant metastatic disease? **AND**  Yes  No

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4. Has the member received previous therapy with the following?
- a. A programmed death (PD-1/PD-L1)-directed therapy (e.g., avelumab, pembrolizumab, atezolizumab, durvalumab, nivolumab, etc.) unless otherwise specified? **OR**  
 Yes  No
  - b. A cytotoxic T-lymphocyte antigen 4 (CTLA-4) targeting agent (e.g., ipilimumab, etc.) within the previous 4 weeks prior to therapy?  
 Yes  No
  - c. A BRAF-inhibitor (e.g., vemurafenib, dabrafenib, encorafenib, etc.)?  
 Yes  No
  - d. A small-molecule inhibitor (phosphatidylinositol-3 kinase inhibitor [PI3-K]) therapy (e.g., idelalisib, duvelisib, etc.)?  
 Yes  No

**Reauthorization Approval – 6 months.** Check below all that apply. All criteria must be met for approval. To support each line checked, all documentation, including lab results, diagnostics, and/or chart notes, must be provided or request may be denied.

5. Does the member continue to meet the above criteria? **AND**  Yes  No
6. Does the member have absence of unacceptable toxicity from the drug? Examples of unacceptable toxicity include the following: severe infusion reactions, severe immune-mediated adverse reactions such as pneumonitis, colitis, hepatitis, endocrinopathies, nephritis/renal dysfunction, rash, encephalitis, etc.; **AND**  Yes  No
7. Does the member have tumor response with stabilization of disease or decrease in size of tumor or tumor spread?  Yes  No

**Medication being provided by a Specialty Pharmacy - PropriumRx**

**\*\*Use of samples to initiate therapy does not meet step edit/ preauthorization criteria.\*\***

**\*Previous therapies will be verified through pharmacy paid claims or submitted chart notes.\***