OPTIMA HEALTH PLAN

PHARMACY PRIOR AUTHORIZATION/STEP-EDIT REQUEST*

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

Drug Requested: Diacomit® (stiripentol)

AND

MEMBER & PRESCRIBER INFORMATION: Authorization may be delayed if incomplete.	
Member Name:	
Member Optima #:	Date of Birth:
Prescriber Name:	
Prescriber Signature:	Date:
Office Contact Name:	
Phone Number:	Fax Number:
DEA OR NPI #:	
DRUG INFORMATION: Authoriza	ation may be delayed if incomplete.
Drug Form/Strength:	
Dosing Schedule:	
Diagnosis:	ICD Code:
Weight:	Date:
Recommended dosage: 50 mg/kg/day, limit is 3000 mg/day.	administered by mouth in 2 or 3 divided doses: Maximum quantity
	that apply. All criteria must be met for approval. To support each lab results, diagnostics, and/or chart notes, must be provided or
Initial Authorization: 6 months	
 Medication must be prescribed by or 	in consultation with a neurologist
AND	
☐ Member must be 6 months of age or	older
AND	
 Member must have a diagnosis of seizures associated with Dravet Syndrome (must submit chart notes with confirmed diagnosis) 	

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☐ Member must be refractory to an anti-epileptic regimen that includes valproate and clobazam (AEDs) that are appropriate for Dravet Syndrome (subject to verification through pharmacy paid claims)

AND

Diacomit[®] must be used as adjunctive therapy with clobazam (must have pharmacy paid claims). There is no clinical data to support the use of Diacomit[®] as monotherapy in Dravet syndrome

AND

Provider attests to reviewing a complete blood count (CBC) prior to initiating treatment with Diacomit® and will monitor periodically throughout therapy

Reauthorization: 12 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.

☐ Member must continue to meet initial approval criteria

AND

☐ Member has a documented positive clinical response to treatment (defined as: decrease from baseline and stabilization of seizure frequency/severity)

AND

☐ Member must be absent of unacceptable toxicity from therapy (i.e., significant weight loss, neutropenia, thrombocytopenia)

Medication being provided by Specialty Pharmacy - PropriumRx

Not all drugs may be covered under every Plan.

If a drug is non-formulary on a Plan, documentation of medical necessity will be required.

**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. *