

SENTARA HEALTH PLANS

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.**

Infertility Drugs – Applicable for FEHB group members only

Drug Requested: select ALL drug(s) from below that are applicable to member's infertility drug regimen

<input type="checkbox"/> cetrotide	<input type="checkbox"/> clomiphene citrate	<input type="checkbox"/> chorionic gonadotropin
<input type="checkbox"/> Crinone [®] gel	<input type="checkbox"/> Endometrin [®]	<input type="checkbox"/> First [®] -progesterone vaginal suppository
<input type="checkbox"/> Follistim [®] AQ	<input type="checkbox"/> Fyremadel	<input type="checkbox"/> ganirelix acetate
<input type="checkbox"/> Gonal-F [®]	<input type="checkbox"/> Gonal-F [®] RFF	<input type="checkbox"/> Menopur [®]
<input type="checkbox"/> Novarel [®]	<input type="checkbox"/> Ovidrel [®]	<input type="checkbox"/> Pregnyl [®]

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: _____

Provider please note: Members are limited to 3 complete treatment regimen cycles per year when prescribed for the treatment of infertility

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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.

- Provider must submit member's complete infertility drug protocol (including drug name, strength, dose & duration for prescribed therapies):

Drug Name & Strength: _____ Dose: _____ Duration: _____

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- Member is 18 years of age or older
- Member is using requested medication for infertility as defined by **ONE** of the following:
 - Member is unable to conceive or produce conception after one year of unprotected intercourse or therapeutic donor insemination
 - Member is older than 35 years of age and is unable to conceive or produce conception after six months of unprotected intercourse or therapeutic donor insemination
 - Member is unable to carry the fetus to term (e.g., three or more consecutive spontaneous miscarriages prior to 20 weeks gestational age)
- Member has **NOT** received more than 3 complete treatment cycles consisting of any drug regimen within the previous 365 days (**verified by chart notes and/or pharmacy paid claims**)

Medication being provided by Specialty Pharmacy – Proprium Rx

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.