

# 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:** Rezdiffra<sup>™</sup> (resmetirom)

**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: \_\_\_\_\_

NPI #: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

Weight (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_ Date weight obtained: \_\_\_\_\_

**Recommended Dosing:** <100 kg: 80 mg once daily. ≥100 kg: 100 mg once daily. Coadministration with moderate CYP2C8 inhibitors: Reduce dose to 80 mg daily for patients weighing ≥100 kg, or reduce dose to 60 mg daily for patients weighing <100 kg

**Quantity Limits:** One tablet daily (all strengths – 60, 80 & 100 mg)

**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: 12 months**

- ☐ Member is 18 years of age or older
- ☐ Medication is prescribed by or in consultation with a hepatologist or gastroenterologist

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- ☐ Member has a diagnosis of nonalcoholic steatohepatitis or metabolic dysfunction–associated steatohepatitis (NASH/MASH)
  - ☐ The member has stage F2 or F3 Fibrosis **AND ONE** of the following:
    - ☐ The member is  $\leq 65$  years of age and has a Fibrosis Index Based on 4 Factors (FIB-4) score  $> 1.3$ ; **OR**
    - ☐ The member is  $> 65$  years of age and has a FIB-4 score  $> 2$ ; **AND**
  - ☐ The member has **ONE** of the following:
    - ☐ A liver biopsy showing fibrosis stage F2 or F3; **OR**
    - ☐ At least **ONE** of the following:
      - ☐ Vibration-controlled transient elastography (VCTE, e.g. Fibroscan) score of  $> 8.1$
      - ☐ Enhanced liver fibrosis (ELF) score  $> 7.7$
      - ☐ Magnetic resonance elastography (MRE) score  $> 2.6$
- ☐ Member has adopted liver-protective lifestyle interventions such as optimizing weight loss, dietary changes, and exercise
- ☐ Member does **NOT** have significant alcohol consumption (alcohol consumption of more than 20 g per day for women and more than 30 g per day for men) for a period of 3 consecutive months within 1 year prior to screening.
- ☐ Member does **NOT** have evidence of decompensated cirrhosis or moderate to severe hepatic impairment (Child-Pugh Class B or C) (**must submit documentation**)

**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.

- ☐ Member continues to meet **ALL** initial authorization criteria
- ☐ Member continues to experience clinical benefit from the therapy.

**Medication being provided by 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.\****