

**Blue Cross Blue Shield/Blue Care Network of Michigan  
Medication Authorization Request Form**



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This form is to be used by participating physicians to obtain coverage for **drugs covered under the medical benefit**. For commercial members only, please complete this form and submit via fax to 1-877-325-5979. If you have any questions regarding this process, please contact BCBSM Provider Relations and Servicing or the Medical Drug Helpdesk at 1-800-437-3803 for assistance.

PATIENT INFORMATION	PHYSICIAN INFORMATION
<b>Name</b>	<b>Name</b>
<b>ID Number</b>	<b>Specialty</b>
<b>D.O.B.</b> ____/____/____ MM/DD/YYYY <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	<b>Address</b>
<b>Diagnosis</b>	<b>City /State/Zip</b>
<b>Drug Name</b> <b>Yescarta</b>	<b>Phone:</b>
<b>Dose and Quantity</b>	<b>Fax:</b>
<b>Directions</b>	<b>NPI</b>
<b>Date of Service(s)</b>	<b>Contact Person</b>
	<b>Contact Person Phone / Ext.</b>

**STEP 1: DISEASE STATE INFORMATION**

**Required Demographic Information:**

*Patient Weight:* \_\_\_\_\_ *kg*

*Patient Height:* \_\_\_\_\_ *ft* \_\_\_\_\_ *inches*

Will the provider be administering the medication to the FEP member within the health plan’s geographic service area?

Yes  No *If No, a prior authorization is not required through this process.*

**Prior authorizations are required for FEP members that will be serviced by a provider within the health plan’s geographic service area. If you are not a provider in the geographic service area, please contact the health plan for questions regarding the FEP member’s benefit requirements.**

Is this member’s FEP coverage primary or secondary coverage?

If primary, continue with question set.

If secondary, **an authorization is not needed through this process. Please contact the member’s primary coverage for determination of benefit and additional information.**

**Criteria Questions:**

1. What is the patient’s diagnosis?

Diffuse Large B-Cell Lymphoma (DLBCL)

a. Has the patient received two or more lines of systemic therapy that include anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody for CD20-positive tumor and anthracycline-containing chemotherapy regimen?  Yes  No

b. Is the patient refractory to first-line chemoimmunotherapy OR has the patient relapsed within 12 months of first-line chemoimmunotherapy?  Yes  No

Diffuse Large B-Cell Lymphoma (DLBCL) arising from follicular lymphoma

a. Has the patient had prior chemotherapy for follicular lymphoma and subsequently has chemo refractory disease after transformation to diffuse large B-cell lymphoma?  Yes  No

b. Has the patient had anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody for CD20-positive tumor therapy?  Yes  No

c. Has the patient had an anthracycline-containing chemotherapy regimen?  Yes  No

d. Is the patient refractory to first-line chemoimmunotherapy OR has the patient relapsed within 12 months of first-line chemoimmunotherapy?  Yes  No

Follicular lymphoma

a. Has the patient received two or more lines of systemic therapy?  Yes  No

- High grade B-cell lymphoma
  - a. Has the patient received two or more lines of systemic therapy that include anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody for CD20-positive tumor and anthracycline-containing chemotherapy regimen?  Yes  No
  - b. Is the patient refractory to first-line chemoimmunotherapy OR has the patient relapsed within 12 months of first-line chemoimmunotherapy?  Yes  No
- Large B-cell lymphoma
  - a. Has the patient received two or more lines of systemic therapy that include anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody for CD20-positive tumor and anthracycline-containing chemotherapy regimen?  Yes  No
  - b. Is the patient refractory to first-line chemoimmunotherapy OR has the patient relapsed within 12 months of first-line chemoimmunotherapy?  Yes  No
- Primary mediastinal large B-cell lymphoma
  - a. Has the patient received two or more lines of systemic therapy that include anti-CD20 monoclonal antibody for CD20-positive tumor and anthracycline-containing chemotherapy regimen?  Yes  No
  - b. Is the patient refractory to first-line chemoimmunotherapy OR has the patient relapsed within 12 months of first-line chemoimmunotherapy?  Yes  No

Other diagnosis (*please specify*): \_\_\_\_\_

2. Does the patient have a diagnosis of primary central nervous system lymphoma?  Yes  No
3. Does the patient have adequate organ and bone marrow function as determined by the prescriber?  Yes  No
4. Does the patient have any active infections including tuberculosis (TB), Hepatitis B Virus (HBV), Hepatitis C Virus (HCV), or human immunodeficiency virus (HIV)?  Yes  No
5. Is the patient at risk for Hepatitis B Virus (HBV) infection?  Yes\*  No  
 \*If YES, has HBV infection been ruled out or has the patient already started treatment for HBV infection?  Yes  No
6. Does the prescriber agree to monitor the patient for signs and symptoms of cytokine release syndrome (CRS) and administer tocilizumab (Actemra) if needed?  Yes  No
7. Does the prescriber agree to monitor the patient for signs and symptoms of neurological toxicities?  Yes  No
8. Will Yescarta be administered in a healthcare facility enrolled in the Yescarta REMS program?  Yes  No
9. Has the patient previously received any other gene therapy treatment such as Abecma, Breyanzi, Carvykti, Kymriah, or Tecartus?  
 Yes\*  No  
 \*If YES, please specify the medication: \_\_\_\_\_
10. Will Yescarta be used in combination with any other gene therapy treatment such as Abecma, Breyanzi, Carvykti, Kymriah, or Tecartus?  Yes\*  No  
 \*If YES, please specify the medication: \_\_\_\_\_

*Chart notes are required for the processing of all requests. Please add any other supporting medical information necessary for our review (required)*

**Coverage will not be provided if the prescribing physician's signature and date are not reflected on this document.**

Request for expedited review: I certify that applying the standard review time frame may seriously jeopardize the life or health of the member or the member's ability to regain maximum function

Physician's Name	Physician Signature	Date
<b>Step 2:</b> Checklist	<input type="checkbox"/> Form Completely Filled Out <input type="checkbox"/> Provide chart notes	<input type="checkbox"/> Attach test results
<b>Step 3:</b> Submit	<b>By Fax: BCBSM Specialty Pharmacy Mailbox 1-877-325-5979</b>	<b>By Mail: BCBSM Specialty Pharmacy Program P.O. Box 312320, Detroit, MI 48231-2320</b>