

## Pharmacy Prior Authorization Form

Fax completed form to: 877.974.4411 toll free, or 616.942.8206

This form applies to: ☒ **Commercial (Traditional)** ☒ **Commercial (Individual/Optimized)**

☐ **Medicaid**

This request is: ☐ **Urgent** (life threatening) ☐ **Non-Urgent** (standard review)

Urgent means the standard review time may seriously jeopardize the life or health of the patient or the patient's ability to regain maximum function.

# Auryxia<sup>®</sup> (ferric citrate)

### Member

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

ID #: \_\_\_\_\_

DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Care Physician: \_\_\_\_\_

Requesting Provider: \_\_\_\_\_

Prov. Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Prov. Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Provider Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Provider NPI: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Provider Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

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

### Product Information

☐ New request

☐ Continuation request

Drug product:

☐ Auryxia 210 mg tablet

Start date (or date of next dose): \_\_\_\_\_

Date of last dose (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Dosing frequency: \_\_\_\_\_

### Precertification Requirements

Before this drug is covered, the patient must meet all of the following requirements:

1. For a diagnosis of hyperphosphatemia in patients with chronic kidney disease (CKD), must meet all of the following:
  - a) Require dialysis to control disease
  - b) Must have failed on calcium acetate or sevelamer
2. For a diagnosis of iron-deficiency anemia in CKD, must meet all of the following:
  - a) Not be on dialysis
  - b) Have eGFR < 60 ml/min
  - c) Must have had an inadequate response on therapeutic doses of oral iron supplements
  - d) Must have hemoglobin (Hgb) between 9 g/dL and 11.5 g/dL
  - e) Must have serum ferritin ≤ 200 ng/mL and transferrin saturation (TSAT) < 25%

*Initial approval duration for iron-deficiency anemia in CKD is 4 months. Continued approvals are annual.*

For continuation in iron-deficiency anemia after initial 4 month approval, patient must have met the following requirements:

1. Must not require dialysis to control CKD.
2. Must be free of the need for additional therapy with erythropoiesis-stimulating agents (ESA), intravenous iron, or blood transfusions.

**Note:** Authorization for indications, dosing, or a route of administration not approved by the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) or recognized in CMS-accepted compendia (e.g. DrugDex, AHFS, U.S. Pharmacopeia, and also Clinical Pharmacology for oncology indications only) require supporting evidence for coverage. Please provide two published peer-reviewed literature articles supporting the appropriateness of the drug, the dosing of the drug, or the route of administration to be used for the identified indication.

## New request Priority Health Precertification Documentation

### A. What condition is this drug being requested for?

- ☐ Hyperphosphatemia in patients with CKD  
☐ Iron-deficiency anemia in patients with CKD  
☐ Other – the patient's condition is: \_\_\_\_\_

Rationale for use: \_\_\_\_\_

### B. Is the patient receiving dialysis treatment?

- ☐ Yes  
☐ No

### C. Which of the following has the patient tried (please include dose, dates, and outcome)?

- ☐ Calcium acetate  
Dose: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Outcome: \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Sevelamer  
Dose: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Outcome: \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Oral iron supplements  
Dose: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Outcome: \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
Dose: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Outcome: \_\_\_\_\_

D. Please provide baseline hemoglobin: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

E. Please provide hemoglobin level after treatment with oral iron: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### F. Please list patient's current laboratory levels:

eGFR: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Serum ferritin: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
TSAT: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## Request to continue a previously authorized approval Priority Health Precertification Documentation

### A. What condition is this drug being requested for?

- a. ☐ Hyperphosphatemia in patients with CKD  
b. ☐ Iron-deficiency anemia in patients with CKD  
c. ☐ Other – the patient's condition is: \_\_\_\_\_

Rationale for use: \_\_\_\_\_

### B. Is the patient receiving dialysis treatment?

- ☐ Yes  
☐ No

C. What was hemoglobin prior to starting treatment with Auryxia? \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

D. What is patient's current hemoglobin? \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### E. Has the patient required treatment with an ESA (i.e. Epogen, Procrit), IV iron, or blood transfusion since starting Auryxia?

- ☐ Yes  
☐ No

## Additional information

Initial approval for treatment of iron deficiency anemia will be 4 months authorization. If continuation criteria are met a 1 year authorization can be placed.

Initial approval for hyperphosphatemia will be indefinite authorization.