

## **Priority Health Medicare prior authorization form**

Fax completed form to: 877.974.4411 toll free, or 616.942.8206 **Medicare Part B** Medicare Part D This form applies to: ☐ Standard request This request is: Expedited request Your request will be expedited if you haven't gotten the prescription and Priority Health Medicare determines, or your prescriber tells us, that your life or health may be at risk by waiting. Calquence<sup>®</sup> (acalabrutinib) Member Last Name: First Name: DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: Primary Care Physician: Prov. Phone: Prov. Fax: Requesting Provider: \_\_\_\_ Provider Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Provider NPI: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Name: Provider Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ **Drug Information** ☐ New request ☐ Continuation request Drug product: ☐ Calquence 100mg capsule Start date (or date of next dose): Date of last dose (if applicable): Dosing frequency: \_\_\_\_\_ **Precertification Requirements** 

The following requirements need to be met before this drug is covered by Priority Health Medicare. These requirements have been approved by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), but you may ask us for an exception if you believe one or more of these requirements should be waived.

- Must be used for a medically accepted indication not otherwise excluded from Part D\*
- 2. Must be used as monotherapy
- 3. Must not have been previously treated with a Bruton tyrosine kinase (BTK) inhibitor (e.g., ibrutinib) or BCL-2 inhibitor (e.g., venetoclax)

## Medically accepted indication\*

This drug is only covered under Medicare Part D when it is used for a medically accepted indication. A medically accepted indication for a drug or biologic used in an anti-cancer chemotherapeutic regimen is a use that is *either*:

- approved by the Food and Drug Administration. (That is, the Food and Drug Administration has approved the drug for the diagnosis or condition for which it is being prescribed.)
- supported by one of the following references (known as compendia): National Comprehensive Cancer Network (NCCN) Drugs and Biologics Compendium, Micromedex DrugDex, American Hospital Formulary Service-Drug Information, Clinical Pharmacology, or Lexi-Drugs
- — or supported in peer-reviewed medical literature appearing in regular editions of approved publications



## **Priority Health Precertification Documentation** 1. What condition is this drug being requested for? ☐ Mantle cell lymphoma in a previously-treated patient What previous treatment(s) has the patient used? (e.g. cyclophosphamide, vincristine, doxorubicin, cytarabine, rituximab, etoposide, etoposide, ifosfamide, carboplatin, cladribine) Previous therapy: Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Previous therapy: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Previous therapy: \_\_\_ Date: Other – the patient's condition is: 2. Has the patient been previously treated with a Bruton tyrosine kinase (BTK) inhibitor (e.g., ibrutinib) or BCL-2 inhibitor (e.g., venetoclax)? Yes – Rationale for use ☐ No **Priority Health** Medicare exception request Do you believe one or more of the prior authorization requirements should be waived? If yes, you must provide a statement explaining the medical reason why the exception should be approved. Would Calquence likely be the most effective option for this patient? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, please explain why: \_\_\_\_\_ If the patient is currently using Calquence, would changing the patient's current regimen likely result in adverse effects for the patient? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, please explain: