

# 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.

**Iressa**<sup>®</sup> (gefitinib)

## 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:  Iressa 250 mg tablet

Start date (or date of next dose): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of last dose (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Dosing frequency: \_\_\_\_\_

## Oral oncology partial fill program

Each fill of Iressa is limited to a 14 day supply. Patients are responsible for applicable deductible and copayments.

## Drug cost information

The wholesale acquisition cost for each tablet is \$253.26. The annual cost of treatment with this drug is \$90,000.

## Precertification Requirements

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

1. Must be using for diagnosis of metastatic non-small cell lung cancer (NSCLC) and have documented expression of the epidermal growth factor receptor (EGFR) exon 19 deletions or exon 21 (L858R) substitution mutations as detected by a FDA-approved test.

**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.

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**Priority Health Precertification Documentation**

**1. What conditions is this drug being requested for?**

- Metastatic NSCLC
- Other, rationale: \_\_\_\_\_

**2. Does patient have documented expression of EGFR exon 19 deletions or exon 21 (L858R) substitution?**

- Yes (Please fax documentation, as this is required for approval)
- No, rationale: \_\_\_\_\_