

Medical prior authorization form

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This form applies to:

This request is:

Cor	nm	ercial	(Traditional)	\boxtimes

Commercial (Individual/Optimized)

Medicaid

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.

Provenge[®] (sipuleucel-T)

Member				
Last Name:		First Name:		
		DOB: Phys. Phone:	Gender:	
Requesting Physician:				
Physician Address:				
Physician NPI:				
Provider Signature:				
Product and Billing	g Information			
Drug product:	Provenge 250 mL IV suspension	Start date (or date of next dose): Date of last dose (if applicable): Dosing frequency: ICD-10 Diagnosis code(s):		
Place of administration:	 Physician's office Outpatient infusion Facility:	NPI:	Fax:	
Billing:	 Physician to buy and bill Facility to buy and bill Specialty Pharmacy Pharmacy:	NPI:	Fax:	

Precertification Requirements

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

- 1. Diagnosis of asymptomatic or minimally symptomatic metastatic castrate-resistant (hormone refractory) prostate cancer
- 2. Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group (ECOG) performance status of 0 or 1
- 3. Life expectancy greater than 6 months
- 4. Serum prostate-specific antigen (PSA) of 5 ng/mL or higher
- 5. Two sequential rising PSA levels obtained 2 3 weeks apart or other evidence of disease progression
- 6. Serum testosterone less than 50 ng/dL



- 7. Provenge will not be authorized for patients with any of the following:
 - Requirement for systemic corticosteroid use
 - Use of opioid analgesics for cancer-related pain
 - Visceral metastases
 - ECOG performance status of ≥ 2
 - Pathologic long-bone fractures
 - Spinal cord compression

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.

Priority Health Precertification Documentation

A. What is the patient's diagnosis?

Metastatic castrate-resistant (hormone refractory) prostate cancer

- Asymptomatic
- Minimally symptomatic
- Symptomatic

Other – the patient's condition is:

B. What is the patient's ECOG performance status?

Eastern Cooperative Oncology Group (ECOG) performance status descriptions:

0- Fully active, able to carry on all pre-disease performance without restriction

1- Restricted in physically strenuous activity, but ambulatory and able to carry out work of a light or sedentary nature (e.g.light house work, office work)

2- Ambulatory and capable of all self-care, but unable to carry out any work activities; up and about more than 50% of waking hours

- 3- Capable of only limited self-care; confined to bed or chair more than 50% of waking hours
- 4- Completely disabled; cannot carry on any self-care; totally confined to bed or chair

C. Does the patient have a life expectancy more than 6 months?

- Yes
- No rationale for use:

D. Provide serum PSA laboratory results:

Date:	PSA level:	ng/mL
Date:	PSA level:	ng/mL

E. Provide serum testosterone laboratory results:

Date: _____ testosterone level: ____ ng/mL

F. Provenge will not be authorized for patients with any of the following. Check which, if any, apply:

Requirement for systemic corticosteroid use

- Use of opioid analgesics for cancer-related pain
- Visceral metastases

Pathologic long-bone fractures

Spinal cord compression