

# 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.

## Sporanox<sup>®</sup> (itraconazole oral suspension)

### 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:  Sporanox 10mg/mL oral suspension

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

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

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

### Drug cost information

The wholesale acquisition cost for Sporanox oral suspension is \$322 per 150mL bottle. The total cost of therapy with this drug is approximately \$2,577 per month.

### Precertification Requirements

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

1. Patient has one of the following conditions:
  - Invasive Aspergillosis
  - Blastomycosis
  - Histoplasmosis
  - Oropharyngeal and esophageal candidiasis
2. Inadequate response, intolerable side effect, or contraindication to clotrimazole troches, nystatin suspension, fluconazole and itraconazole oral capsules (oropharyngeal/esophageal candidiasis); or itraconazole oral capsules (all other approved indications).
3. Prescribed or recommended by an infectious disease specialist.

**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 condition is this drug being requested for?**

- Invasive Aspergillosis
- Blastomycosis
- Histoplasmosis
- Oropharyngeal and esophageal candidiasis
- Other – the patient’s condition is: \_\_\_\_\_

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

**B. Was a culture completed?**

- Yes
- No

**C. Was antifungal susceptibility determined?**

- Yes (fax results with this request)
- No – rationale for use: \_\_\_\_\_

**D. What antifungals were previously used that were not successful in treating the patient’s current infection?**

- Antifungals used include:

Drug: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Outcome: \_\_\_\_\_

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- No other antifungals have been used for the patient’s current infection.

**Note:** If adequate blood levels while on itraconazole oral capsules could not be achieved, please provide laboratory value(s) with this request.

**E. Does the patient have an allergy or contraindication to alternative antifungal therapies?**

- No
- Yes

Drug: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Reaction: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Additional information**

**Notes:**

If approved, initial authorization is for a maximum of 3 months (Invasive Aspergillosis, Blastomycosis, Histoplasmosis); oropharyngeal candidiasis (4 weeks); esophageal candidiasis (6 weeks).

Review of precertification requests for indications and/or duration of therapy in the above criteria will be reviewed by a clinical pharmacist and/or medical director.