

Medical 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.

Zemaira[®] (alpha₁-proteinase inhibitor)

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 and Billing Information

New Request Continuation Request

Drug product: Zemaira 1,000 mg vial **Start date** (or date of next dose): _____
Date of last dose (if applicable): _____
Dosing frequency: _____

Place of administration: Physician's office
 Outpatient infusion
 Facility: _____ NPI: _____ Fax: _____
 Home infusion
 Facility: _____ NPI: _____ Fax: _____

Billing: Physician to buy and bill
 Facility to buy and bill
 Specialty Pharmacy
 Pharmacy: _____ NPI: _____ Fax: _____

ICD-10 Diagnosis code(s): _____

Precertification Requirements

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

1. Diagnosis of congenital alpha₁-antitrypsin deficiency
2. Clinically evident emphysema
3. A predicted FEV₁ value between 30% and 65%
4. A serum alpha₁-antitrypsin (AAT) level less than 11 mmol/L
 - 11 mmol/L is equal to 80 mg/dL if measured by radial immunodiffusion

- 11 mmol/L is equal to 50 mg/dL if measured by nephelometry
5. Must be a non-smoker

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?

- congenital alpha₁-antitrypsin deficiency
- Other – the patient’s condition is: _____
Rationale for use: _____

B. Does the patient have clinically evident emphysema?

- Yes
- No – rationale for use: _____

C. What is the patient’s predicted FEV₁?

Date: _____ Value: _____ %

D. What is the patient’s serum AAT level?

Date: _____ Provide *one* of the following values: _____ mmol/L
 _____ mg/dL (by radial immunodiffusion)
 _____ mg/dL (by nephelometry)

E. Does the patient currently smoke?

- No
- Yes – rationale for use: _____