

Prior Authorization Request Form		Tremfya	
Sendero Fax: 512-901-9724		Phone: 855-297-9191	
URGENCY: <input type="checkbox"/> STANDARD		<input type="checkbox"/> URGENT (In checking this box, I attest to the fact that applying the standard review time frame may seriously jeopardize the customer's life, health or ability to regain maximum function)	
Provider Information		Patient Information	
Referring/Prescribing Physician: <input type="checkbox"/> PCP <input type="checkbox"/> Specialist Name: Please identify SPECIALTY: DEA, NPI or TIN: Contact: Phone: () Fax: ()		Patient's Name: Birth Date: ID Number: Phone Number: Patient Height: Patient Weight:	
Indicate where the drug is being DISPENSED		Indicate where the drug is being ADMINISTERED	
<input type="checkbox"/> Ambulatory Surgery Center <input type="checkbox"/> Home Care Agency <input type="checkbox"/> Inpatient Hospital <input type="checkbox"/> Long Term Care <input type="checkbox"/> Outpatient Hospital <input type="checkbox"/> Patient's Home <input type="checkbox"/> Pharmacy <input type="checkbox"/> Physician's Office <input type="checkbox"/> Other (explain):		<input type="checkbox"/> Ambulatory Surgery Center <input type="checkbox"/> Inpatient Hospital <input type="checkbox"/> Long Term Care <input type="checkbox"/> Outpatient Hospital <input type="checkbox"/> Patient's Home <input type="checkbox"/> Pharmacy <input type="checkbox"/> Physician's Office <input type="checkbox"/> Other (explain): Anticipated Date of Service:	
Approvals may be subject to dosing limits in accordance with FDA-approved labeling, accepted compendia, and/or evidence-based practice guidelines.			
PATIENT CLINICAL INFORMATION			
CRITERIA QUESTIONS:			
1. Has the patient been diagnosed with any of the following? <input type="checkbox"/> Psoriasis <input type="checkbox"/> Psoriatic arthritis (PsA) <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____			
2. What is the HCPCS code? _____ What is the ICD-10 code? _____ What is the NDC#: _____			
3. Will the requested drug be used in combination with any other biologic or targeted synthetic DMARD (e.g., Olumiant, Xeljanz)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
4. Has the patient had a TB screening test (e.g., a tuberculosis skin test [PPD] or an interferon-release assay [IGRA]) within 6 months of initiating therapy? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
5. What were the results of the TB screening test? <input type="checkbox"/> Positive <input type="checkbox"/> Negative			
6. Does the patient have latent or active tuberculosis (TB)? <input type="checkbox"/> Latent <input type="checkbox"/> Active <input type="checkbox"/> No/Neither			
7. If the patient has latent or active tuberculosis, has treatment been initiated or completed? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes - treatment initiated <input type="checkbox"/> Yes - treatment completed <input type="checkbox"/> No			
8. Is this request for continuation of therapy? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
9. For continuation of therapy requests, has the patient achieved or maintained positive clinical response as evidenced by low disease activity or improvement in signs and symptoms since starting treatment with the requested drug? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			

10. Is the patient currently receiving the requested drug through samples or a manufacturer's patient assistance program? Yes No

DIAGNOSIS SECTION *Please only complete sections below that are relevant to the patient's diagnosis.*

Section A: Psoriasis

11. The patient is diagnosed with psoriasis and treatment is prescribed by or in consultation with a dermatologist or rheumatologist Yes No
12. Has the patient previously received Otezla or any other biologic medication indicated for the treatment of moderate to severe plaque psoriasis? Yes No If Yes, please indicate the drug, duration, response, and intolerance/contraindication if applicable:

13. Has the patient had an inadequate response to 1 or more of the following topical therapies?
 Corticosteroids (e.g., betamethasone, clobetasol, desonide) (4-week trial)
 Vitamin D analogs (e.g., calcitriol, calcipotriene)
 Tazarotene
 Calcineurin inhibitors (e.g., tacrolimus, pimecrolimus)
 Anthralin
 Coal tar
14. Has the patient had an inadequate response to a minimum 3 month trial of methotrexate at a minimum dose of 15mg po weekly within the last 6 months? Yes No
15. Does the patient have a contraindication or intolerance to methotrexate? Yes No If Yes, indicate contraindication/intolerance and no further questions. _____
16. Does the patient have severe psoriasis that warrants a biologic DMARD as first-line therapy (i.e. at least 10% of the body surface area (BSA) or crucial body areas (e.g., hands, feet, face, neck, scalp, genitals/groin, intertriginous areas) are affected)? Yes No

* Please note, the preferred biologic class is a TNF inhibitor (specifically Humira), followed by anti-IL-17 (specifically Siliq). The preferred anti-IL-12/23 drug is Skyrizi, followed by Ilumya. Please consider prescribing one of these drugs if clinically appropriate. If Tremfya is preferred, please provide additional clinical reasoning documentation here:

Section B: Psoriatic Arthritis

17. The patient is diagnosed with psoriatic arthritis and treatment is prescribed by or in consultation with a rheumatologist Yes No
18. Has the patient previously received a biologic medication, apremilast (Otezla), or targeted synthetic DMARD (e.g., Xeljanz) indicated for the treatment of psoriatic arthritis? Yes No Yes No If Yes, please indicate the drug, duration, response, and intolerance/contraindication if applicable:

19. Has the patient experienced an inadequate response after at least 3 months of treatment with 1 or more of the following medications at the maximally tolerated dose?
 Methotrexate – minimum dose 15mg po weekly
 Sulfasalazine – minimum dose 2g po weekly
 Cyclosporine
 Leflunomide
 Apremilast (Otezla)

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20. Does the patient have a contraindication or intolerance to at least 2 options listed above? Yes No
 If yes, please document medications and respective contraindications/intolerances:

* Please note, the preferred biologic is a TNF inhibitor (specifically Cimzia), followed by anti-IL-17 (specifically Siliq) or Orencia. Please consider prescribing 1 of these drugs before Tremfya if clinically appropriately. If Tremfya is preferred, please provide additional clinical reasoning documentation here:

I attest that this information is accurate and true, and that documentation supporting this information is available for review if requested by Sendero Health Plans.

Prescriber or Authorized Signature	DATE

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