

**NC Medicaid  
Pharmacy Prior Approval Request  
Immunomodulators: Xeljanz**

**Beneficiary Information**

1. Beneficiary Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ 2. First Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
3. Beneficiary ID #: \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Beneficiary Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Beneficiary Gender: \_\_\_\_\_

**Prescriber Information**

6. Prescribing Provider NPI #: \_\_\_\_\_  
7. Requester Contact Information - Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Ext. \_\_\_\_\_

**Drug Information**

8. Drug Name: \_\_\_\_\_ 9. Strength: \_\_\_\_\_ 10. Quantity Per 30 Days: \_\_\_\_\_  
11. Length of Therapy (in days):  up to 30 Days  60 Days  90 Days  120 Days  180 Days  365 Days   
Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Clinical Information**

**Request for Ankylosing Spondylitis (Xeljanz tablets)**

1. Does the beneficiary have a diagnosis of Ankylosing Spondylitis?  Yes  No
2. Is the beneficiary not on another injectable biologic immunomodulator?  Yes  No
3. Has the beneficiary individual risks and benefits been considered prior to initiating or continuing therapy in those at higher risk for malignancy and/or major adverse cardiovascular events (MACE)?  Yes  No
4. Has the beneficiary been considered **NOT** to be at high risk for thrombosis?  Yes  No
5. Has the beneficiary been considered and screened for the presence of latent tuberculosis infection?  Yes  No
6. Has the beneficiary been tested with Hep B SAG and Core Ab?  Yes  No
7. Will the beneficiary **NOT** receive live vaccines during therapy?  Yes  No
8. Has the beneficiary tried at least one Tumor Necrosis Factor Blocker with inadequate response or is unable to take these therapies due to intolerance or contraindications?  Yes  No
9. Has the beneficiary had a trial and failure of Cosentyx, Enbrel or Humira or a clinical reason beneficiary cannot try Cosentyx, Enbrel or Humira?  Yes  No

**Request for Polyarticular Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis (PJIA) (Xeljanz tablets, Xeljanz oral solution)**

1. Does the beneficiary have a diagnosis of Polyarticular Juvenile Idiopathic Arthritis?  Yes  No
2. Is the beneficiary not on another injectable biologic immunomodulator?  Yes  No
3. Has the beneficiary individual risks and benefits been considered prior to initiating or continuing therapy in those at higher risk for malignancy and/or major adverse cardiovascular events (MACE)?  Yes  No
4. Has the beneficiary been considered **NOT** to be at high risk for thrombosis?  Yes  No
5. Has the beneficiary been considered and screened for the presence of latent tuberculosis infection?  Yes  No
6. Has the beneficiary been tested with Hep B SAG and Core Ab?  Yes  No
7. Will the beneficiary **NOT** receive live vaccines during therapy?  Yes  No
8. Has the beneficiary tried at least one Tumor Necrosis Factor Blocker with inadequate response or is unable to take these therapies due to intolerance or contraindications?  Yes  No

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9. Has the beneficiary had a trial and failure of Enbrel or Humira or a clinical reason beneficiary cannot try Enbrel or Humira?  Yes  No

**Request for Psoriatic Arthritis (Xeljanz tablets)**

1. Does the beneficiary have a documented definitive diagnosis of Psoriatic Arthritis?  Yes  No
2. Is the beneficiary 18 years of age or older?  Yes  No
3. Is the beneficiary not on another injectable biologic immunomodulator?  Yes  No
4. Has the beneficiary individual risks and benefits been considered prior to initiating or continuing therapy in those at higher risk for malignancy and/or major adverse cardiovascular events (MACE)?  Yes  No
5. Has the beneficiary been considered **NOT** to be at high risk for thrombosis?  Yes  No
6. Has the beneficiary been considered and screened for the presence of latent tuberculosis infection?  Yes  No
7. Has the beneficiary been tested with Hep B SAG and Core Ab?  Yes  No
8. Will the beneficiary **NOT** receive live vaccines during therapy?  Yes  No
9. Does the beneficiary have a documented inadequate response, intolerance or contraindication to at least one Tumor Necrosis Factor Blocker?  Yes  No
10. Has the beneficiary had a trial and failure of Cosentyx, Enbrel or Humira or a clinical reason beneficiary cannot try Cosentyx, Enbrel or Humira?  Yes  No

**Request for Rheumatoid Arthritis (Xeljanz tablets)**

1. Does the beneficiary have a diagnosis of Rheumatoid Arthritis?  Yes  No
2. Is the beneficiary not on another injectable biologic immunomodulator?  Yes  No
3. Has the beneficiary individual risks and benefits been considered prior to initiating or continuing therapy in those at higher risk for malignancy and/or major adverse cardiovascular events (MACE)?  Yes  No
4. Has the beneficiary been considered **NOT** to be at high risk for thrombosis?  Yes  No
5. Has the beneficiary been considered and screened for the presence of latent tuberculosis?  Yes  No
6. Has the beneficiary been tested with Hep B SAG and Core Ab?  Yes  No
7. Will the beneficiary **NOT** receive live vaccines during therapy?  Yes  No
8. Has the beneficiary experienced a therapeutic failure/inadequate response with at least one Tumor Necrosis Factor Blocker?  Yes  No
9. Is the beneficiary unable to receive Necrosis Factor Blocker due to contraindications or intolerabilities?  Yes  No
10. Has the beneficiary had a trial and failure of Enbrel or Humira or a clinical reason beneficiary cannot try Enbrel or Humira?  Yes  No

**Request for Ulcerative colitis (Adult) (Xeljanz tablets)**

1. Does the beneficiary have a diagnosis ulcerative colitis?  Yes  No
2. Is the beneficiary not on another injectable biologic immunomodulator?  Yes  No
3. Has the beneficiary individual risks and benefits been considered prior to initiating or continuing therapy in those at higher risk for malignancy and/or major adverse cardiovascular events (MACE)?  Yes  No
4. Has the beneficiary been considered **NOT** to be at high risk for thrombosis?  Yes  No
5. Has the beneficiary been considered and screened for the presence of latent tuberculosis?  Yes  No
6. Has the beneficiary been tested with Hep B SAG and Core Ab?  Yes  No
7. Will the beneficiary **NOT** receive live vaccines during therapy?  Yes  No
8. Has the beneficiary had a trial and failure of Humira or a clinical reason beneficiary cannot try Humira?  Yes  No

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Signature of Prescriber: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**(Prescriber Signature Mandatory)**

I certify that the information provided is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge, and I understand that any falsification, omission, or concealment of material fact may subject me to civil or criminal liability.