

**Pharmacy Request for Prior Approval - Growth Hormone – Children Less than 21 Years of Age**

**Recipient Information**

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

**Payer Information**

6. Is this a Medicaid or Health Choice Request? Medicaid:  Health Choice:

**Prescriber Information**

7. Prescribing Provider #: \_\_\_\_\_ NPI:  or Atypical:   
 8. Prescriber DEA #: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Requester Contact Information  
 Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Ext: \_\_\_\_\_

**Drug Information**

9a. Drug Name: \_\_\_\_\_ 9b. Is this request for a Non-Preferred Drug?  Yes  No  
 10. Strength: \_\_\_\_\_ 11. Quantity Per 30 Days: \_\_\_\_\_  
 12. Length of Therapy (in days):  up to 30  60  90  120  180  365  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Clinical Information**

1. Diagnosis: \_\_\_\_\_  
 FOR NON-PREFERRED DRUGS COMPLETE THIS SECTION AS WELL AS BELOW.  
 Failed two preferred drug(s). List preferred drugs failed: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Or list reason why patient cannot try two preferred drugs: \_\_\_\_\_  
 2. History of: a.  Turners Syndrome b.  Prader Willi Syndrome c.  Craniopharyngioma in the last 2 years  
 d.  Panhypopituitarism in the last 2 years e.  Cranial Irradiation in the last 2 years  
 f.  MRI Evidence of Hypopituitarism List: \_\_\_\_\_ g.  Hypopituitarism  
 h.  Chronic Renal Insufficiency in the last 2 years i.  SGA with IUGR j.  Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
 3. Please check all that apply:  
 a.  Patient has a height velocity < 25<sup>th</sup> Percentile for Bone Age. Height Velocity: \_\_\_\_\_  
 b.  Patient has low serum levels of IGF-1 and IGFBP-3 IGF-1 Level: \_\_\_\_\_ IGFBP-3 Level: \_\_\_\_\_  
 c.  Patient has other signs of hypopituitarism List: \_\_\_\_\_  
 d.  Patient is an adequately nourished child with hypoglycemia and a low GH response to hypoglycemia  
 e.  Patient's height is < 3<sup>rd</sup> percentile for chronological age Height: \_\_\_\_\_ Percentile: \_\_\_\_\_  
 f.  Birth weight and/or length more than 2 standard deviations below mean for gestational age with no catch up by age 2.  
 g.  History of GHD in the last 2 years. Is there a genetic cause? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Stim testing? Agent 1: \_\_\_\_ Agent 2: \_\_\_\_ Peak: \_\_\_\_ Ng/ml: \_\_\_\_  
 3. Is the epiphysis open (if patient > 9 years old)?  Yes  No  
 4. Is the patient diagnosed with unexplained short stature with height > 2.25 standard deviations below mean for age, and bone age > 2 standard deviations below mean, and low serum levels of IGF-1 and IGFBP-3?  Yes  No IGF-1 Level: \_\_\_\_ IGFBP-3 Level: \_\_\_\_  
 5. Is the patient currently being treated?  Yes  No  
 6a. Growth rate over previous year: \_\_\_\_\_ b. Has the patient entered puberty?  Yes  No  
 7. Are IGF-1 and IGF-BP3 within age appropriate range?  Yes  No Results: \_\_\_\_\_  
**Zorbitive only:** 8. Is there a history of short bowel syndrome in the last 2 years?  Yes  No  
**Increlex only:** Check all that apply  
 9a.  History of GH product in last year b.  GH resistance is caused by mutation in GH receptor of post GH receptor signaling pathway  
 c.  Patient has IGF-1 gene defects d.  GH gene deletions and patient has developed neutralizing antibodies to GH  
 e.  Patient ht < 3 SD < mean and IGF-1 level < 3 SD < Mean and normal or elevated GH levels.

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

**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.**

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