



Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
**MassHealth Drug Utilization Review Program**  
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## Multiple Sclerosis Agents Prior Authorization Request

MassHealth reviews requests for prior authorization (PA) on the basis of medical necessity only. If MassHealth approves the request, payment is still subject to all general conditions of MassHealth, including current member eligibility, other insurance, and program restrictions. MassHealth will notify the requesting provider and member of its decision. Keep a copy of this form for your records. If faxing this form, please use black ink.

Additional information about these agents, including PA requirements and preferred products, can be found within the MassHealth Drug List at [www.mass.gov/druglist](http://www.mass.gov/druglist).

### Member information

Last name \_\_\_\_\_ First name \_\_\_\_\_ MI \_\_\_\_\_  
 MassHealth member ID # \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_  
 Gender (Check one.)  F  M      Member's place of residence  home  nursing facility

### Medication information

#### Medication requested

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|---|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aubagio (teriflunomide)      | <input type="checkbox"/> Gilenya (fingolimod)     | <input type="checkbox"/> Ocrevus (ocrelizumab)            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> dalfampridine                | <input type="checkbox"/> Lemtrada (alemtuzumab) ^ | <input type="checkbox"/> Plegridy (peginterferon beta-1a) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Extavia (interferon beta-1b) | <input type="checkbox"/> Mayzent (siponimod)      | <input type="checkbox"/> Tecfidera (dimethyl fumarate)    |

^ This drug is available through the health care professional who administers the drug. MassHealth does not pay for this drug to be dispensed through a retail pharmacy.

Dose and frequency of medication requested \_\_\_\_\_

#### Indication (Check all that apply.)

- Clinically Isolated Syndrome
- Multiple Sclerosis
- Subtype  relapsing-remitting  primary progressive  non-active secondary progressive
- active secondary progressive (member has had a relapse in the past two years)
- Other (Please indicate.) \_\_\_\_\_

Is the prescriber a neurologist?

- Yes
- No. Please attach consultation notes from a neurologist addressing the use of the requested agent.

Please indicate billing preference.  Pharmacy  Prescriber in-office  Hospital outpatient

For hospital outpatient billing, provide department-specific facility NPI. \_\_\_\_\_

Drug NDC (if known) or service code \_\_\_\_\_

### Section I. Please complete for requests for Lemtrada.

Has the member had trials with two of the following agents: Aubagio, Gilenya, glatiramer, interferon formulations, Ocrevus, Tecfidera, or Tysabri?

- Yes. Please list the drug names, dates/duration of use, and outcomes below.\*
- Drug name \_\_\_\_\_ Dates/duration of use \_\_\_\_\_
- Did the member experience any of the following?  Adverse reaction  Inadequate response

Briefly describe details of adverse reaction or inadequate response.

Drug name \_\_\_\_\_ Dates/duration of use \_\_\_\_\_

Did the member experience any of the following?  Adverse reaction  Inadequate response

Briefly describe details of adverse reaction or inadequate response.

No. Please describe why the member is not a candidate for these agents.

*\* Please attach a letter documenting additional trials as necessary.*

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## Section II. Please complete for requests for dalfampridine.

Is the medication requested to improve walking distance in a member with multiple sclerosis?

Yes

No. Please describe the clinical rationale for using the requested medication below.

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## Section III. Please complete for requests for Mayzent.

1. Has the member had trials with two of the following agents: Aubagio, Gilenya, glatiramer, interferon formulations, Ocrevus, or Tecfidera?

Yes. Please list the drug names, dates/duration of use, and outcomes below.\*

Drug name \_\_\_\_\_ Dates/duration of use \_\_\_\_\_

Did the member experience any of the following?  Adverse reaction  Inadequate response

Briefly describe details of adverse reaction or inadequate response.

Drug name \_\_\_\_\_ Dates/duration of use \_\_\_\_\_

Did the member experience any of the following?  Adverse reaction  Inadequate response

Briefly describe details of adverse reaction or inadequate response.

No. Please describe why the member is not a candidate for these agents.

2. Please indicate CYP2C9 genotype  \*1/\*1  \*1/\*2  \*1/\*3  \*2/\*2  \*2/\*3  \*3/\*3  Other \_\_\_\_\_

*\* Please attach a letter documenting additional trials as necessary.*

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## Section IV. Please complete for requests for Extavia.

Please provide medical necessity for use instead of Betaseron (interferon beta-1b).

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## Section V. Please complete for requests for Plegridy.

1. Please provide medical necessity for use instead of interferon beta-1a (Avonex, Rebif).

2. Has the member had a trial with one of the following agents: Aubagio, Gilenya, glatiramer, Lemtrada, Ocrevus, Tecfidera, or Tysabri?

Yes. Please list the drug name, dates/duration of use, and outcomes below.\*

Drug name \_\_\_\_\_ Dates/duration of use \_\_\_\_\_

Did the member experience any of the following?  Adverse reaction  Inadequate response

Briefly describe details of adverse reaction or inadequate response.

No. Please describe why the member is not a candidate for these agents.

*\* Please attach a letter documenting additional trials as necessary.*

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**Section VI. Please complete for requests for Gilenya.**

Please indicate: Member's current weight \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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**Section VII. Please complete for all requests for non-preferred drug products if one or more preferred drug products have been designated for this class of drugs.**

If one or more preferred drug products have been designated for this class of drugs, and if you are requesting PA for a non-preferred drug product, please provide medical necessity for prescribing the non-preferred drug product rather than the preferred drug product.

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**Prescriber information**

Last name\* \_\_\_\_\_ First name\* \_\_\_\_\_ MI \_\_\_\_\_  
NPI\* \_\_\_\_\_ Individual MH Provider ID \_\_\_\_\_  
DEA No. \_\_\_\_\_ Office Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone No.\* \_\_\_\_\_ Fax No.\* \_\_\_\_\_

*\* Required*

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**Prescribing provider's attestation, signature, and date**

I certify under the pains and penalties of perjury that I am the prescribing provider identified in the Prescriber information section of this form. Any attached statement on my letterhead has been reviewed and signed by me. I certify that the medical necessity information (per 130 CMR 450.204) on this form is true, accurate, and complete, to the best of my knowledge. I understand that I may be subject to civil penalties or criminal prosecution for any falsification, omission, or concealment of any material fact contained herein.

Prescribing provider's signature (Signature and date stamps, or the signature of anyone other than the provider, are not acceptable.)

**Signature required** \_\_\_\_\_

Printed name of prescribing provider \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_