

**OPTIMA HEALTH COMMUNITY CARE
AND
OPTIMA FAMILY CARE
(MEDICAID)**

PHARMACY PRIOR AUTHORIZATION/STEP-EDIT REQUEST*

Directions: The prescribing physician must sign and clearly print name (preprinted stamps not valid) on this request. All other information may be filled in by office staff; fax to **1-800-750-9692**. No additional phone calls will be necessary if all information (including phone and fax #s) on this form is correct. **Incomplete form will delay authorization process.**

Drug Requested: Nexavar® (sorafenib)

DRUG INFORMATION: Complete information below or authorization process will be delayed.

Drug Form/Strength: _____

Dosing Schedule: _____ **Length of Therapy:** _____

Diagnosis: _____ **ICD Code, if applicable:** _____

CLINICAL CRITERIA: Check **ALL** that apply. Boxes must be checked to qualify to ensure authorization will **NOT** be delayed.

- Patient has a diagnosis of advance renal cell carcinoma.

OR

- Patient has a diagnosis of unresectable hepatocellular carcinoma.

OR

- Patient has a diagnosis of differentiated thyroid carcinoma.

AND

- Unresectable tumor
- Not responsive to radioiodine therapy
- Not amenable to external beam RT
- Metastatic disease progression

Medication being provided by a Specialty Pharmacy - PropriumRx

****Use of samples to initiate therapy does not meet step edit/ preauthorization criteria.****

Previous therapies will be verified through pharmacy paid claims or submitted chart notes.

Patient Name: _____

Member Optima #: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Prescriber Name: _____

Prescriber Signature: _____ Date: _____

Office Contact Name: _____

Phone Number: _____ Fax Number: _____

DEA OR NPI #: _____