

# OPTIMA HEALTH PLAN

## 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:**     **Kalydeco®** (ivacaftor)

**DRUG INFORMATION:** Complete below. If incomplete, authorization process will be delayed.

**Drug Form/Strength/Quantity:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Dosing Schedule:** \_\_\_\_\_                      **Length of Therapy:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Diagnosis:** \_\_\_\_\_                      **ICD Code, if applicable:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Kalydeco® will NOT be covered for patients with FEV<sub>1</sub> ≥ 90 % initiation.**

**CLINICAL CRITERIA:** Complete below. **ALL lines must be completed to qualify. Include all labs. If incomplete, authorization will be delayed. Lab notes MUST be attached to this request.**

- Patient is 2 years of age or older with a diagnosis of Cystic Fibrosis
- Patient is confirmed to have at least one of the following mutations in the Cystic Fibrosis Transmembrane Regulator (CFTR) gene: **G551D, G1224E, G1349D, G178R, G551S, S1251N, S1255P, S549N, S549R, R117H ... plus 28 more genes. (Laboratory documentation required.)**
  - Patient confirmed to have an R117H mutation in the CFTR gene. **(Laboratory documentation required.)**
  - Member is currently on at least two (2) of the following:
    - Dornase alfa     Hypertonic saline     Inhaled or oral antibiotics within the last 3 months continuous

**Initial Authorization Limit to 6 months. For Re-authorization member must show improvement from baseline of at least FEV1 7% and Sweat Chloride <60mmol/liter**

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| <b>Baseline Date:</b> _____ <i>(within 3months prior to Kalydeco)</i> | <b>Re-Authorization Date:</b> _____ |
| <b>FEV1:</b> _____  | <b>FEV1:</b> _____                  |
| <b>Baseline Weight:</b> _____   |                                     |
| <b>Sweat Chloride:</b> _____  | <b>Sweat Chloride:</b> _____        |

**Medication being provided by:**                       Briova SpecialtyRx

**\*\*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 #:** \_\_\_\_\_

\*Approved by Pharmacy and Therapeutics Committee: 5/17/2012  
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