## **Kentucky Medicaid Pharmacy Prior Authorization Form**

- For Drug Requests (unless noted below) (DO NOT USE for Medical benefit or Buy & Bill) Complete ONLY page 1 of this form.
- For ALL Opioid Requests Complete page 1, 2,3 AND page 4 of this form.
- For Hepatitis C Direct Acting Antiviral (DAA) Therapy Complete page 1 AND page 5 of this form.
- For Synagis® Requests Complete page 1 AND page 6 of this form
- For Buprenorphine Products:
  - For Pain Management Diagnosis Complete page 1 AND page 2 of this form.



Complete e	ach section l	egibly and com	pletely. Incl	lude any suppor	ting dod	cuments as neede	ed (lab resu	ults, chart notes, etc.).	
Plan:			Phone number:		Fa	Fax number:			
All Kentucky MCO Plans (MedImpact)			1 (844) 336-2676		1 (	858) 357-2612			
Patient Information:									
Member Name:					Dat	te of Birth:			
Address:									
City, State, Zip:									
Sex: ☐Male ☐Femal	e		Height:				Weight:		
Member ID:			Medicatio	on Allergies:					
Prescriber Information:									
Prescriber Name:					NP	l:			
Prescriber Address:					·				
City, State, Zip:									
Prescriber Specialty:					DE				
Phone:					Fax	<b>:</b>			
Diagnosis and Medical Info	ormation for	Requested Me	dication:	☐ INITIAL REQ	UEST	☐ REAUTHOR	RIZATION (F	REFILL) Request with current plar	า
Diagnosis:				ICD-10 Cod	de:			Date of Diagnosis:	
Medication Requested (nat		-	m):				·		
Quantity:		ays' Supply:			Expect	ed Duration of Th	nerapy:		
Directions for Use:									
Rationale for Prior Author	zation:								
Brand Medically Necessary	? □Yes	□No <i>If ye</i>	s please ar	nswer the follo	wing q	uestions:			
1) Has the member trie	ed 2 generic		-	=					
2) Please provide medi	ical justifica	tion why the p	oatient can	nnot be approp	riately	treated with th	ne generic	form of the drug (allergy,	
intolerance to inacti									
Request override for Pharm							-		
<ol> <li>Does the physician att</li> <li>□Yes □No</li> </ol>	est medication	on is being self	-administer	ed AND appropr	iate pei	r dosage and adm	ninistration	section of the prescriber inform	nation?
2) Is the medication being	-	•				No			
3) Is the medication being		-	ompliance v	vith USP 795 sta	ndards	for non-sterile co	ompoundin	ig? □Yes □No	
Please indicate previous tr	eatment out	comes below:							
Previous Medication	Strength	Quantity	Directions	(Sig)	Dates (	(from and to)	Reas	on for Discontinuation	
Refer to link for List of I	Preferred Age	ents:					·		
https://kyportal.magell		com/public/clie	nt/static/ke	entucky/docume	nts/Pre	eferredDrugGuide	e_full.pdf		
	☐ Patient recently hospitalized  If requesting antibiotics, anti-infective, antidepressants, anticonvulsants, antipsychotic for discharge to complete the course of prescription, provide								
duration:	original + re)	•	inticonvuisun	its, untipsychotic j	or aiscric	irge to complete th	ie course oj p	orescription, provide	
Additional Clinical Informat	ion or Medic	al Rationale fo	r Request:						
Additional enmediation	ion or wicare	ar nationale 10	r ricquest.						
Requesting Provider:	☐ Prescribe	er 🗆 Pha	rmacy	Da	te of Re	equest:			
*Requestor Name (print):				*R	equesto	r Signature:			
*On behalf of the Prescriber or	Pharmacy Provi	der, I certify that tl	ne information	stated above is true	, made to	allow Kentucky Med	licaid to offer	prescription coverage to this member fo	r
	ested above. I u	nderstand the desi	gnated health	plan will retain this	document	t and any attached m	aterials for th	e purposes of possible future audit(s).	
		CONTINUE	TO PAGE	2 <b>ONLY</b> IF R	EQUE	STING ANY (	OPIOID		

CONTINUE TO PAGE 5 ONLY IF REQUESTING HEPATITIS C DAA THERAPY OR CONTINUE TO PAGE 6 IF REQUESTING SYNAGIS®

\*\*For members receiving hospice/palliative/end-of-life care or having a diagnosis of active cancer, this page does not need to be completed.\*\* PLEASE NOTE: ALL OPIOID PA REQUESTS MUST BE COMPLETED BY THE PRESCRIBER ONLY INITIAL TREATMENT REQUESTS ONLY (if request is for continuation therapy skip to question 35) Additional Diagnosis (if not stated above): ICD-10 Code: 1. Prescriber has obtained and reviewed the KASPER report for the past 12 months? □Yes □No 2. Urine drug screen (UDS) has been completed within the past 30 days? Documentation (e.g., lab result or progress note) required ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not Applicable (member is in a long-term care (LTC) facility or will not exceed 45 days of opioid therapy) Please indicate if the patient has tried or is using any of the following non-opioid therapies: ☐ Exercise therapy ☐ Cognitive behavioral therapy ☐ Nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drugs (NSAIDs) or Acetaminophen (APAP) Please indicate if the patient has any of the following baseline risk factors: Respiratory depression (clinically significant) ☐ Acute or severe bronchial asthma ☐ Hypercarbia (clinically significant) ☐ Known or suspected GI obstruction If any of the above are true, does the prescriber attest that benefits of opioid use outweigh the risks?  $\Box$  Yes  $\Box$  No **EXAMPLE: ASSESSING PAIN & FUNCTION USING PEG SCALE PEG score** = average 3 individual question scores **Q1:** What number from 0-10 best describes your **pain** in the past week? 10 0 = "no pain", 10 = "worst you can imagine" 0 1 2 3 Q2: What number from 0 – 10 describes how, during the past week, pain has interfered with your enjoyment of life? 0 = "not at all", 10 = "complete interference" 3 5 10 0 1 2 6 Q3: What number from 0-10 describes how, during the past week, pain has interfered with your general activity? 0 = "not at all", 10 = "complete interference" 2 10 Does the patient meet ONE of the following criteria? 6. The patient is receiving hospice, palliative, or end-of-life care □Yes □No The patient has a diagnosis of active cancer □Yes ΠNo The patient has a diagnosis of sickle cell anemia □Yes □No Does the patient have a diagnosis of severe pain requiring daily, around-the-clock, long-term pain management? ☐Yes ☐No If 'Yes', proceed to 7a, if 'No' proceed to 8 The patient's pain lasts: > 3 consecutive months  $\Box$ Yes  $\Box$ No, or > 6 consecutive months  $\Box$ Yes  $\Box$ No The patient had a trial and failure within the past 90 days of 1 non-opioid analgesic (i.e., NSAIDs, APAP) at maximum tolerated doses without pain relief and/or functional improvement ☐Yes ☐No The patient had a trial and failure within the past 90 days of at least 1 short acting opioid analgesic at maximum tolerated doses without adequate relief of pain □Yes □No 8. Does the patient have a diagnosis of diabetic peripheral neuropathy? 

Yes 

No If 'Yes' proceed to 8a, if 'No' proceed to 9 The patient had a trial and failure of ONE serotonin-norepinephrine reuptake inhibitor (SNRI; such as duloxetine) □No The patient had a trial and failure of ONE tricyclic antidepressant (TCA; such as amitriptyline) ☐Yes ☐No Does the patient have a diagnosis of neonatal abstinence syndrome (NAS) and meet the following criteria? The patient is being discharged from the hospital on a methadone taper □Yes □No 10. The prescriber has proof of consultation with a pain management specialist  $\square$ Yes  $\square$ No OR specialist in an appropriate discipline (e.g., orthopedist, neurologist, spine specialist, etc.) for evaluation of the source of pain and/or treatment of any underlying conditions  $\Box$ Yes 11. The patient does NOT have a history of drug or alcohol abuse/dependence or addiction (drug and alcohol toxicology screen results dated within the past month must be submitted with the PA request) 12. The patient is NOT using more than 1 long-acting opioid and 1 short-acting opioid at a time ☐ Yes ☐ No 13. The patient has ONE of the following headache disorders: Muscular headache, Tension-type headache, or Migraine  $\Box$ Yes 14. For a high strength (e.g., hydromorphone 8mg) or concentrated dosage form (e.g., morphine sulfate 20 mg/mL, oxycodone 20 mg/mL), please submit a rationale as to why lower strength or less-concentrated products cannot be used 15. Is the patient opioid naive (defined as  $\leq$  14 days of opioid use in the past 90 days)? □Yes □No If 'Yes', proceed to 15a, if 'No' proceed to 16 a. The patient is using only 1 short-acting opioid at a time ☐Yes □No Prescribed by a treating physician within 14 days of ONE of the following: major surgery, any operative or invasive procedure or a delivery, significant trauma, being any acute blunt, blast, or penetrating bodily injury that has a risk of death, physical disability, or impairment If treatment with opioids should extend beyond 14 days please provide clinical justification 16. Is Long-term (> 3 months) pain management expected or indicated □Yes □No 17. For non-preferred long acting opioids: Does the patient have a > 1 month trial and therapeutic failure, allergy, contraindication (including potential drug-drug interactions with other medications) or intolerance to TWO preferred agents \quad Yes \quad \quad No, if 'Yes' please see guestion 22.

When requesting ANY OPIOID, provide the following additional information and most recent chart/progress/clinic note:

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18.	For non-preferred short acting opioids: The patient had at least a 1-week trial and therapeutic failure, allergy, contraindication (including potential					
	drug-drug interactions with other medications) or intolerance to TWO preferred agents					
19.	Does the patient have a diagnosis of cancer pain and meet the following criteria? The patient has been receiving opioid doses greater than or equal to					
	60 morphine milligram equivalents (MME) per day (e.g., morphine sulfate 60 mg, fentanyl patch 50 mcg/hr, 16 mg hydromorphone, etc.) for at least					
	one week prior to the PA request $\square$ Yes $\square$ No					
	If opioid MME exceeding 90 MME per day please provide clinical justification					
21.	For opioid MME exceeding 200 MME per day please submit documentation (e.g., progress notes) showing attempts and/or plans to taper below 200					
	MME/day as well as other non-opioid components (e.g., NSAIDs, physical therapy, etc.) of the treatment plan					
22.	For tried and failed medications please provide the following information:					
	Medication name, strength, dosage					
	Specific start date					
	Specific end date					
Fem	nale Patients of Child-bearing Age Only:					
23.	Has the patient been counseled on the risk of becoming pregnant while on this medication and the risk of neonatal abstinence syndrome?					
	□Yes □No					
Nal	loxone Attestation:					
	Are any of the following true?					
	a. Patient UDS is positive for illicit or unexpected substances					
	b. Morphine milligram equivalent (MME) is over 90 MME per day					
	c. Opioid(s) is/are prescribed concurrently with benzodiazepines					
ı <i>f</i> v	es, prescriber attests that a naloxone prescription and associated counseling on its use, was or will be <b>given</b> to the patient: \( \subseteq \text{Yes} \subseteq \text{No} \)					
	Are any of the following true?					
25.						
	c. Opioid(s) is/are concurrently prescribed with gabapentin or pregabalin  Yes  No					
	d. Patient has a history of opioid or other controlled substance overdose					
	e. Patient has a history of substance use disorder (SUD)					
	es, prescriber attests that a naloxone prescription and associated counseling on its use was, or will be, <b>offered</b> to the patient: $\Box$ Yes $\Box$ No					
26.	For non-preferred agents: Please provide clinical rationale to constitute the use of the requested formulation					
Red	quests over 90 or 200 MME per day:					
	For requests over 90 MME: Prescriber is, or has proof of consultation with, a Pain Management Specialist OR a specialist in an appropriate discipline					
	(e.g., orthopedist, neurologist, spine specialist, etc.) for evaluation of the source of pain and/or treatment of any underlying conditions.					
	□Yes □No					
28.	For requests over 200 MME: The prescriber is, or has proof of consultation with, a Pain Management Specialist $\Box$ Yes $\Box$ No					
	Clinical justification for exceeding 90 or 200 MME per day					
	Prescriber attests that a naloxone prescription and associated counseling on its use was or will be offered to the member					
	For requests over 200 MME: prescriber submitted documentation (e.g., progress notes) showing attempts and/or plans to taper below 200 MME/day					
	as well as other non-opioid components (e.g., NSAIDs, physical therapy, etc.) of the treatment plan					
	as not as other non opions components (e.g., not u.g., p.1, stor, or the treatment plan					
Cor	ncomitant use of Opioids and Benzodiazepines:					
	Has the member and/or caregiver(s) been counseled about the increased risks of slowed or difficult breathing and/or excessive sedation, and the					
	associated signs and symptoms?   Yes   No					
33	The prescriber attests that a naloxone prescription and associated counseling on its use was or will be given to the member $\Box$ Yes $\Box$ No					
	Clinical justification for the concurrent use of benzodiazepine(s) and opioid(s)					
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35.	Does the patient meet ONE of the following criteria?  a. The patient is receiving hospice, palliative, or end-of-life care  b. The patient has a diagnosis of active cancer  c. The patient has a diagnosis of sickle cell anemia					
36.	Prescriber has obtained and reviewed the KASPER report within the past 3 months?					
37.	Urine drug screen (UDS) results: □Positive □Negative Date:					
	Prescriber has assessed risk (check box) and documents (e.g., lab result, progress note) a urine drug screen (UDS) within the listed timeframe:  \[ \sum_{\text{Low Risk}} \text{(12 months)}  \text{Moderate Risk (6 Months)}  \text{High Risk (3 Months)}  \text{Not Applicable (member is in a long-term care facility)} \]					
39.	9. If patient UDS is positive for illicit or unexpected substances:					
	<ul><li>a. Please provide explanation</li><li>b. Will naloxone prescription and counseling be provided □Yes □No</li></ul>					
40	Prescriber has reassessed pain and function. Provide PEG scoreor clinical documentation (e.g., progress note):					
	The patient has demonstrated a 30% improvement from baseline to continue current dose  \[ \subseteq \text{Yes} \] \[ \subseteq \text{No} \]					
71.	OR includes the rationale for continued opioid therapy at the current dose					
42.	Has the patient required use of opioid rescue medication (e.g., naloxone), been hospitalized, or otherwise treated for opioid or other controlled substance overdose in the past 6 months?					
For	nale Patients of Child-bearing Age Only:					
	Does the PRESCRIBER attest that the patient has been counseled on the risk of becoming pregnant while on this medication and the risk of neonatal					
73.	abstinence syndrome?   Yes   No					
	uests over 90 or 200 MME per day:					
44.	For requests over 90 MME: Prescriber is, or has proof of consultation with, a Pain Management Specialist OR a specialist in an appropriate discipline (e.g., orthopedist, neurologist, spine specialist, etc.) for evaluation of the source of pain and/or treatment of any underlying conditions.  □Yes □No					
	i. For requests over 200 MME: The prescriber is, or has proof of consultation with, a Pain Management Specialist □Yes □No					
	5. Clinical justification for exceeding 90 or 200 MME per day					
	Prescriber attests that a naloxone prescription and associated counseling on its use was or will be offered to the member   Yes  No For requests over 200 MME: prescriber submitted documentation (e.g., progress notes) showing attempts and/or plans to taper below 200 MME/day as well as other non-opioid components (e.g., NSAIDs, physical therapy, etc.) of the treatment plan					
Cor	ncomitant use of Opioids and Benzodiazepines:					
	Does the PRESCRIBER attest that the member and/or caregiver(s) been counseled about the increased risks of slowed or difficult breathing and/or					
13.	excessive sedation, and the associated signs and symptoms?					
EΩ	The prescriber attests that a naloxone prescription and associated counseling on its use was or will be given to the member					
	Clinical justification for the concurrent use of benzodiazepine(s) and opioid(s)					
Add	ditional Clinical Information or Medical Rationale for Request (please attach additional pages/documentation as needed):					
	NATINUE TO PAGE 5 ONLY IF REQUESTING HEPATITIS C DAA THERAPY OR CONTINUE TO PAGE 6 IF REQUESTING NAGIS®					

When requesting Hepa	titis C Direct-Acting Antiviral (DAA) Therapy, provide the	following additional information:
	Date of Hepatitis C diagnosis (or earliest record):	Female Patients of Child-bearing Age Only:  Is the patient pregnant or nursing? □Yes □No  If yes, Prescriber attests that the benefits of HCV treatment outweigh potential risks □Yes □No
Diagnosis Criteria and Simplified Treatment Eligibility	If 'Yes', is it □compensated (Child Pugh A c. Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) positive?     d. Hepatitis B surface antigen (HBsAg) positive?     e. History of liver transplant?     f. Known or suspected hepatocellular carcinoma (HBsAg) and the above, the patient is eligible for simplified.  If 'No' to all of the above, the patient is NOT eligible a. HCV genotype: subtype b. Prior HCV treatment experience (medication/data).  Prescriber qualification/specialty: □HCV academic/mentor □Gastroenterology □Hepatology □Infectious Disease.  Is the prescribed treatment regimen included in the reques guidelines for the patient's age/weight □Yes □No	details below.
Repeat DAA Therapy Questions (complete only if requesting repeated DAA therapy)	services, or seeing an addiction specialist as part b. Patient has been evaluated for alcohol and subst	□Yes □No (if no justification must be provided: □No (proceed to 5) □No (proceed

Not Syn	en requesting Synagis®, provide the following additional information:  2: Therapy may begin November 1 with last date of therapy no later than March 31 (end of RSV season).  2: Therapy may begin November 1 with last date of therapy no later than March 31 (end of RSV season).  2: Therapy may begin November 1 with last date of therapy no later than March 31 (end of RSV season).  3: Therapy may begin not 100mg vials. Always coordinate dosing appropriately to reduce waste.  3: Therapy may be accepted beginning October 1 (for a November 1 effective date).
1. 2.	Patient's gestational age at birth:weeksdays  Does the patient have Chronic Lung Disease of Prematurity (formerly called bronchopulmonary dysplasia)?  \[ \begin{align*} \text{Yes (proceed to 2a)} & \text{DNo (proceed to 3)} \\ \text{a.} & \text{Did the patient receive oxygen immediately following birth?} & \text{Yes (proceed to 2b)} & \text{DNo (proceed to 3)} \\ \text{b.} & \text{Please indicate the % oxygen received: Duration of treatment: \\ \text{c.} & \text{Does the patient require medical support (chronic systemic steroids, diuretic therapy, or supplemental oxygen) within 6 months before the start of the second RSV season? \text{Yes} & \text{No} \\ \end{align*}
3.	Does the patient have a diagnosis of Cystic Fibrosis?
4.	Please indicate if the patient has any of the following:  Anatomic Pulmonary Abnormality  Neuromuscular Disorder  Congenital anomaly that impairs the ability to clear secretions  Specify:  Specify:  Specify:
5.	Please indicate if the patient has any of the following:  HIV  Cancer, receiving chemotherapy  Organ transplant receiving immunosuppressant therapy or hematopoietic stem cell transplant  Other medical condition that is severely immunocompromising. Specify:
6.	Has this patient received a heart transplant? ☐Yes (Date:) ☐No
7.	Does patient have hemodynamically significant congenital heart disease?
8.	□Other:
9.	Please list any pharmaceutical therapies for cardiovascular disease and the most recent date administered:  Cardiovascular medication(s):
10.	If this is a request for a sixth dose of Synagis® during the RSV season, has the patient had an ECMO or cardiac bypass during the RSV season?  □Yes (Date:) □No