



Lucentis® (ranibizumab) Injectable Medication Precertification Request

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Aetna Precertification Notification
503 Sunport Lane, Orlando, FL 32809

Phone: 1-866-503-0857

FAX: 1-888-267-3277

For Medicare Advantage Part B:

FAX: 1-844-268-7263

Please indicate: Start of treatment: Start date ____/____/____
 Continuation of therapy: Date of last treatment ____/____/____

Precertification Requested By: _____ Phone: _____ Fax: _____

A. PATIENT INFORMATION

First Name:		Last Name:	
Address:		City:	State: ZIP:
Home Phone:	Work Phone:	Cell Phone:	
DOB:	Allergies:	E-mail:	
Current Weight: _____ lbs or _____ kgs		Height: _____ inches or _____ cms	

B. INSURANCE INFORMATION

Aetna Member ID #: _____	Does patient have other coverage? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Group #: _____	If yes, provide ID#: _____ Carrier Name: _____
Insured: _____	Insured: _____
Medicare: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, provide ID #: _____	Medicaid: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, provide ID #: _____

C. PRESCRIBER INFORMATION

First Name:	Last Name:	(Check One): <input type="checkbox"/> M.D. <input type="checkbox"/> D.O. <input type="checkbox"/> N.P. <input type="checkbox"/> P.A.		
Address:	City:	State:	ZIP:	
Phone:	Fax:	St Lic #:	NPI #:	DEA #:
UPIN:	Office Contact Name:		Phone:	
Provider E-mail:				

Specialty (Check one): Ophthalmologist Other: _____

D. DISPENSING PROVIDER/ADMINISTRATION INFORMATION

Place of Administration: <input type="checkbox"/> Self-administered <input type="checkbox"/> Physician's Office <input type="checkbox"/> Outpatient Infusion Center Phone: _____ Center Name: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Home Infusion Center Phone: _____ Agency Name: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Administration code(s) (CPT): _____ Address: _____	Dispensing Provider/Pharmacy: Patient Selected choice <input type="checkbox"/> Physician's Office <input type="checkbox"/> Retail Pharmacy <input type="checkbox"/> Specialty Pharmacy <input type="checkbox"/> Mail Order <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ Name: _____ Address: _____ Phone: _____ Fax: _____ TIN: _____ PIN: _____
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E. PRODUCT INFORMATION

Request is for Lucentis (ranibizumab): Dose: _____ Frequency: _____

F. DIAGNOSIS INFORMATION – Please indicate primary ICD Code and specify any other where applicable.

Primary ICD Code: _____ Secondary ICD Code: _____ Other ICD Code: _____

G. CLINICAL INFORMATION – Required clinical information must be completed in its entirety for all precertification requests.

For All Requests: (clinical documentation required for all requests)

What is the patient's BCVA (best corrected visual acuity) prior to initiating treatment: ____/____ (e.g., 20/320)

Yes No Is this request for intravitreal injection of the eye?
→ Please indicate which eye: OD (right eye) OS (left eye) OU (both eyes)

Yes No Will Lucentis (ranibizumab) be given in conjunction with another vascular endothelial growth factor inhibitor?
→ Yes No Will the medication be given in the same eye as Lucentis (ranibizumab)?

Yes No Does the patient have any of the following contraindications to Lucentis (ranibizumab)? (check all that apply)
→ Endophthalmitis Ocular infection Periocular infection Hypersensitivity

Please identify which documented diagnosis the patient is being treated for:

Diabetic retinopathy
 Diabetic macular edema
 Macular edema following retinal vein occlusion (RVO)
 Myopic Choroidal Neovascularization (mCNV)
 Neovascular (wet) (age related macular degeneration) AMD
 Neovascular glaucoma
 Polypoidal choroidal vasculopathy
 Pseudoxanthoma elasticum

→ Yes No Is this a request for re-treatment?

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Rare causes of choroidal neovascularization
 → Please identify the cause of choroidal neovascularization:
 Angioid streaks Choroiditis (including choroiditis secondary to ocular histoplasmosis) Idiopathic degenerative myopia
 Retinal dystrophies Rubeosis iridis Trauma Other: Please identify: _____
 Yes No Is this a request for re-treatment?
 → What is the length of treatment being requested? 3 months or less Greater than 3 months

Retinopathy of prematurity
 → Please indicate the stage of disease: Stage 1 Stage 2 Stage 3 Stage 4 Stage 5

For Continuation Requests:

Please indicate length of time on Lucentis (ranibizumab): _____

Please indicate the patient's current BCVA: ____/____ (e.g., 20/320)

Please choose the patient response: BCVA has improved BCVA has remained the same
 Small vision loss (defined as maximum of 3 lines or 15 letters lost on visual acuity exam)
 None of the above

Yes No Has the patient had improvement in field vision?

Yes No Has the patient experienced a hypersensitivity reaction to Lucentis (ranibizumab)?
 → Please indicate which of the following hypersensitivity reactions the patient experienced:
 anaphylactoid reactions pruritus rash severe anaphylactic reactions severe intraocular inflammation
 urticaria Other: Please explain: _____

Yes No Is this continuation request a result of the patient receiving samples of Lucentis (ranibizumab)? (Sampling of Lucentis (ranibizumab) does not guarantee coverage under the provisions of the pharmacy benefit)

H. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Request Completed By (Signature Required): _____ **Date:** ____/____/____

Any person who knowingly files a request for authorization of coverage of a medical procedure or service with the intent to injure, defraud or deceive any insurance company by providing materially false information or conceals material information for the purpose of misleading, commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime and subjects such person to criminal and civil penalties.

The plan may request additional information or clarification, if needed, to evaluate requests.