Bavencio® (avelumab) Injectable Medication Precertification Request

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Aetna Precertification Notification
Phone: 1-866-752-7021
FAX: 1-888-267-3277

For Medicare Advantage Part B:
Phone: 1-866-503-0857
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:	Email:	

Current Weight: _____ lbs or _____ kgs Height: _____ inches or _____ cms

B. INSURANCE INFORMATION

Aetna Member ID #: _____
Group #: _____
Insured: _____

Does patient have other coverage? ☐ Yes ☐ No
If yes, provide ID#: _____ Carrier Name: _____
Insured: _____

Medicare: ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, provide ID #: _____ **Medicaid**: ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, provide ID #: _____

C. PRESCRIBER INFORMATION

First Name:		Last Name: *(Check One):* ☐ M.D. ☐ D.O. ☐ N.P. ☐ P.A.			
Address:		City:	State:	ZIP:	
Phone:	Fax:	St Lic #:	NPI #:	DEA #:	UPIN:
Provider Email:		Office Contact Name:		Phone:	

Specialty *(Check one):* ☐ **Oncologist** ☐ **Other:** _____

D. DISPENSING PROVIDER/ADMINISTRATION INFORMATION

Place of Administration:
☐ Self-administered ☐ Physician's Office
☐ Outpatient Infusion Center Phone: _____
Center Name: _____
☐ Home Infusion Center Phone: _____
Agency Name: _____
☐ Administration code(s) (CPT): _____
Address: _____

Dispensing Provider/Pharmacy: *Patient Selected choice*
☐ Physician's Office ☐ Retail Pharmacy
☐ Specialty Pharmacy ☐ Other: _____
Name: _____
Address: _____
Phone: _____ Fax: _____
TIN: _____ PIN: _____

E. PRODUCT INFORMATION

Request is for Bavencio (avelumab): 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):

☐ Yes ☐ No Has the patient experienced disease progression while receiving another PD-1 or PD-L1 inhibitor (e.g., Opdivo (nivolumab), Keytruda (pembrolizumab), Tecentriq (atezolizumab), Bavencio (avelumab), and Imfinzi (durvalumab).)?

☐ **Bladder Urothelial Cancer**

☐ Yes ☐ No Will the requested drug be used as a single agent?

Maintenance therapy request only:

☐ Yes ☐ No Will the requested drug be used as maintenance therapy?

☐ Yes ☐ No Did the patient experience disease progression on first-line platinum-containing chemotherapy (e.g., cisplatin, carboplatin)?

Subsequent therapy request only:

☐ Yes ☐ No Will the requested drug be used as subsequent therapy?

Please indicate how the requested drug will be used: ☐ First line therapy ☐ Subsequent therapy

Please select the clinical setting in which the requested drug will be used:

☐ Metastatic disease
☐ Locally advanced disease
☐ Post-cystectomy
→ Please indicate the clinical setting in which the requested drug will be used following cystectomy:
☐ Metastatic disease ☐ Local recurrence ☐ Other
☐ Preserved bladder
→ Please indicate the clinical setting in which the requested drug will be used in a preserved bladder:
☐ Muscle invasive local recurrent ☐ Muscle invasive persistent disease ☐ Other

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☐ Stage II or IIIA disease
→ ☐ Yes ☐ No Is tumor present following primary bladder preserving chemoradiation?
☐ Other, please explain: _____

☐ **Gestational Trophoblastic Neoplasia**
☐ Yes ☐ No Will the requested drug be given as a single agent?
☐ Yes ☐ No Is the disease resistant to multiagent chemotherapy?
Please indicate the type of disease the patient has:
☐ High-risk disease
☐ Intermediate trophoblastic tumor (placental site trophoblastic tumor or epithelioid trophoblastic tumor)
→ Please select the clinical setting in which the requested drug will be used:
☐ Recurrent disease ☐ Progressive disease ☐ Other, Please explain: _____
☐ Yes ☐ No Has the patient previously received treatment with a platinum/etoposide-containing regimen?
☐ Other

☐ **Merkel cell carcinoma**
Please indicate the patient's disease state: ☐ Metastatic disease ☐ Recurrent disseminated disease ☐ Other, Please explain: _____

☐ **Primary urothelial carcinoma of the urethra**
☐ Yes ☐ No Will the requested drug be given as a single agent?
Maintenance therapy request only:
☐ Yes ☐ No Will the requested drug be used as maintenance therapy?
☐ Yes ☐ No Did the patient experience disease progression on first-line platinum-containing chemotherapy (e.g., cisplatin, carboplatin)?
Subsequent therapy request only:
☐ Yes ☐ No Will the requested drug be used as subsequent therapy?
Please indicate how the requested drug will be used: ☐ First line therapy ☐ Subsequent therapy
Please select the clinical setting in which the requested drug will be used:
☐ Recurrent disease ☐ Locally advanced disease ☐ Metastatic disease ☐ Other - Please explain: _____

☐ **Renal Cell Carcinoma**
Please indicate the clinical setting in which the requested drug will be used:
☐ Advanced disease ☐ Relapsed disease ☐ Stage IV disease ☐ Other - Please explain: _____
Please indicate how the requested drug will be used: ☐ First line therapy ☐ Subsequent therapy
☐ Yes ☐ No Will the requested drug be used in combination with axitinib (Inlyta)?

☐ **Upper genitourinary tract urothelial carcinomas**
☐ Yes ☐ No Will the requested drug be given as a single agent?
Maintenance therapy request only:
☐ Yes ☐ No Will the requested drug be used as maintenance therapy?
☐ Yes ☐ No Did the patient experience disease progression on first-line platinum-containing chemotherapy (e.g., cisplatin, carboplatin)?
Subsequent therapy request only:
☐ Yes ☐ No Will the requested drug be used as subsequent therapy?
Please indicate how the requested drug will be used: ☐ First line therapy ☐ Subsequent therapy
Please select the clinical setting in which the requested drug will be used:
☐ Locally advanced disease ☐ Metastatic disease ☐ Other - Please explain: _____

☐ **Urothelial carcinoma of the prostate**
☐ Yes ☐ No Will the requested drug be given as a single agent?
Maintenance therapy request only:
☐ Yes ☐ No Will the requested drug be used as maintenance therapy?
☐ Yes ☐ No Did the patient experience disease progression on first-line platinum-containing chemotherapy (e.g., cisplatin, carboplatin)?
Subsequent therapy request only:
☐ Yes ☐ No Will the requested drug be used as subsequent therapy?
Please indicate how the requested drug will be used: ☐ First line therapy ☐ Subsequent therapy
Please select the clinical setting in which the requested drug will be used:
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For Continuation Requests (Clinical documentation required for all requests):

☐ Yes ☐ No Has the patient experienced disease progression or an unacceptable toxicity while on the current regimen?

☐ Yes ☐ No Is this infusion request in an outpatient hospital setting?

→ ☐ Yes ☐ No Is the patient continuing on a maintenance regimen that includes provider administered combination chemotherapy?

→ Please provide the regimen: _____

☐ Yes ☐ No Is the patient experiencing severe toxicity requiring continuous monitoring (e.g. Grade 2-4 bullous dermatitis, transaminitis, pneumonitis, Stevens-Johnson syndrome, acute pancreatitis, primary adrenal insufficiency aseptic meningitis, encephalitis, transverse myelitis, myocarditis, pericarditis, arrhythmias, impaired ventricular function, conduction abnormalities)?

→ Please explain: _____

☐ Yes ☐ No Has the patient experienced an adverse event with the requested product that has not responded to conventional interventions (e.g., acetaminophen, steroids, diphenhydramine, fluids, other pre-medications or slowing of infusion rate) or a severe adverse event (anaphylaxis, anaphylactoid reactions, myocardial infarction, thromboembolism, or seizures) during or immediately after an infusion?

Please explain: _____

☐ Yes ☐ No Does the patient have severe venous access issues that require the use of special interventions only available in the outpatient hospital setting?

→ Please explain: _____

☐ Yes ☐ No Does the patient have significant behavioral issues and/or physical or cognitive impairment that would impact the safety of the infusion therapy AND the patient does not have access to a caregiver?

→ Please explain: _____

☐ Yes ☐ No Is the patient medically unstable which may include respiratory, cardiovascular, or renal conditions that may limit the member's ability to tolerate a large volume or load or predispose the member to a severe adverse event that cannot be managed in an alternate setting without appropriate medical personnel and equipment?

→ Please provide a description of the condition:

☐ Cardiopulmonary: _____

☐ Respiratory: _____

☐ Renal: _____

☐ Other: _____

☐ Yes ☐ No Is the patient within the initial 6 months of starting therapy?

→ Please indicate how many continuous months of treatment the patient has received with the requested drug: _____

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.