



**New Hampshire AIDS Drug Assistance Program  
Prior Authorization/Non-Preferred Drug Approval Form**

Bowel Disorder Medications

DATE OF MEDICATION REQUEST:    /    /

**SECTION I: PATIENT INFORMATION AND MEDICATION REQUESTED**

LAST NAME:

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FIRST NAME:

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MEDICAID ID NUMBER:

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DATE OF BIRTH:

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GENDER:     Male     Female

Drug Name:

Strength:

Dosing Directions:

Length of Therapy:

**SECTION II: PRESCRIBER INFORMATION**

LAST NAME:

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FIRST NAME:

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SPECIALTY:

NPI NUMBER:

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PHONE NUMBER:

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FAX NUMBER:

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**SECTION III: CLINICAL HISTORY**

- Is the medication being prescribed for the treatment of chronic constipation?  Yes  No  
If **yes**, answer questions 5–8.
- Is the medication being prescribed for the treatment of irritable bowel syndrome?  Yes  No  
If **yes**, go to question 8.
- Is the medication being prescribed for opioid-induced constipation? If **yes**, go to question 8.  Yes  No  
If **no**, list patient diagnosis for use of this medication: \_\_\_\_\_
- Is the patient averaging less than three spontaneous bowel movements per week?  Yes  No
- Has the patient been experiencing constipation symptoms for at least three months?  Yes  No
- Has the patient failed a trial or past therapy with at least 60 mL/day of lactulose?  Yes  No  
(Describe in question 10 field).
- Has the patient failed a trial or past therapy with polyethylene glycol (MiraLAX®)?  Yes  No  
(Describe in question 10 field).
- Does the patient have a history of mechanical gastrointestinal obstruction?  Yes  No
- Is the patient pregnant?  Yes  No



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**PATIENT LAST NAME:**

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**SECTION III: CLINICAL HISTORY (Continued)**

10. Please describe treatment failure(s) and provide dates:

11. Provide any additional information that would help in the decision-making process.  
*If additional space is needed, please use a separate sheet.*

**SECTION IV: NON-PREFERRED DRUG APPROVAL CRITERIA**

*Chapter 188 of the Laws of 2004 requires that Medicaid only cover non-preferred drugs upon a finding of medical necessity by the prescribing physician. Chapter 188 requires that you base your determination of medical necessity on the following criteria.*

- Allergic reaction. **Describe reaction:**  
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- Drug-to-drug interaction. **Describe reaction:**  
\_\_\_\_\_
- Previous episode of an unacceptable side effect or therapeutic failure. **Provide clinical information:**  
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- Clinical contraindication, co-morbidity, or unique patient circumstance as a contraindication to a preferred drug. **Provide clinical information:**  
\_\_\_\_\_
- Age-specific indications. **Provide patient age and explain:**  
\_\_\_\_\_
- Unique clinical indication supported by FDA approval or peer-reviewed literature. **Explain and provide a reference:**  
\_\_\_\_\_
- Unacceptable clinical risk associated with therapeutic change. **Please explain:**  
\_\_\_\_\_

**I certify that the information provided is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and I understand that any falsification, omission, or concealment of material fact may subject me to civil or criminal liability.**

**PRESCRIBER'S SIGNATURE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_