



**ABATACEPT/ ADALIMUMAB/ ANAKINRA/ BARICITINIB/ CERTOLIZUMAB/
 ETANERCEPT/ GOLIMUMAB/ INFLIXIMAB/ SARILUMAB/ TOCILIZUMAB/
 TOFACITINIB/ UPADACITINIB for Rheumatoid Arthritis
 SPECIAL AUTHORIZATION REQUEST FORM**

Please complete all required sections to allow your request to be processed.

Patients may or may not meet eligibility requirements as established by Alberta government-sponsored drug programs.

PATIENT INFORMATION				COVERAGE TYPE	
PATIENT LAST NAME		FIRST NAME		INITIAL	<input type="checkbox"/> Alberta Blue Cross <input type="checkbox"/> Alberta Human Services <input type="checkbox"/> Other
BIRTH DATE (YYYY-MM-DD)		ALBERTA PERSONAL HEALTH NUMBER			
STREET ADDRESS		CITY	PROV	POSTAL CODE	ID/CLIENT/COVERAGE NUMBER

PRESCRIBER INFORMATION					
PRESCRIBER LAST NAME		FIRST NAME		INITIAL	
STREET ADDRESS			PRESCRIBER PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION REGISTRATION		
			REGISTRATION NUMBER		
CITY, PROVINCE			PHONE		FAX
POSTAL CODE			FAX NUMBER MUST BE PROVIDED WITH EACH REQUEST SUBMITTED		

Please provide the following information for ALL requests					
Diagnosis <input type="checkbox"/> Rheumatoid Arthritis <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Indicate requested drug¹ <input type="checkbox"/> Abrilada <input type="checkbox"/> Brenzys <input type="checkbox"/> Hulio <input type="checkbox"/> Kevzara <input type="checkbox"/> Renflexis <input type="checkbox"/> Xeljanz <input type="checkbox"/> Actemra <input type="checkbox"/> Cimzia <input type="checkbox"/> Hyrimoz <input type="checkbox"/> Kineret <input type="checkbox"/> Rinvoq <input type="checkbox"/> Xeljanz XR <input type="checkbox"/> Amgevita <input type="checkbox"/> Erelzi <input type="checkbox"/> Idacio <input type="checkbox"/> Olumiant <input type="checkbox"/> Simlandi <input type="checkbox"/> Yuflyma <input type="checkbox"/> Avsola <input type="checkbox"/> Hadlima <input type="checkbox"/> Inflectra <input type="checkbox"/> Orencia <input type="checkbox"/> Simponi			Current weight (kg)	Dosage and frequency Date of last dose
	<small>1. For Biosimilar Initiative Exception Requests, please complete the Biosimilar Initiative / Tiering Exception Special Authorization Request Form.</small>				

For patients new to coverage but currently maintained on the requested drug, provide the treatment start date (YYYY-MM-DD)

*Pre-treatment scores	Current scores
DAS28 Score ____ Date _____	DAS28 Score ____ OR <input type="checkbox"/> ACR20 (renewals only) Date _____
HAQ Score ____ Date _____	HAQ Score ____ Date _____

*Requests for patients new to the requested drug and requests for patients new to coverage but currently maintained on the requested drug require pre-treatment scores. All scores must be provided to the correct number of decimal places. DAS28 should be reported to one decimal place and HAQ should be reported to two decimal places.

Please provide reason if a switch to a different drug is requested

For all drugs EXCEPT Abatacept Will the patient be maintained on methotrexate in combination with the requested drug? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	For Abatacept ONLY Will the patient be maintained on methotrexate or another DMARD in combination with Abatacept? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO
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If NO to any of the above, please specify reason

Please provide the following information for all NEW requests

Previous medications utilized: Dose, duration and response are required for ALL FOUR of the following or contraindications, if applicable

Methotrexate PO _____

Methotrexate SC or IM _____

Methotrexate with another DMARD other than leflunomide (specify agent) _____

Leflunomide _____

For Kineret requests, please indicate if the following drugs were tried and the response to therapy, or contraindications, if applicable

<input type="checkbox"/> Abatacept _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Etanercept _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Rituximab _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Adalimumab _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Golimumab _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Sarilumab _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Certolizumab _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Infliximab _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Tocilizumab _____

Additional information relating to request

PRESCRIBER'S SIGNATURE	DATE (YYYY-MM-DD)	Please forward this request to ▪ Alberta Blue Cross, Clinical Drug Services 10009 108 Street NW, Edmonton, Alberta T5J 3C5 ▪ FAX: 780-498-8384 in Edmonton • 1-877-828-4106 toll free all other areas
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ONCE YOUR REQUEST HAS SUCCESSFULLY TRANSMITTED, PLEASE DO NOT MAIL OR RE-FAX YOUR REQUEST