



Chemotherapy: Prostate Cancer Drugs
Degarelix (degarelix acetate) J9155, Jevtana
(Cabazitaxel) J9043, Provenge (sipuleucel-T) Q2043
Prior Authorization Request
Medicare Part B Form

*Instructions: * Indicates required information – Form may be returned if required information is not provided. Please fax this request to the appropriate fax number listed at the bottom of the page.*

<input type="checkbox"/>	Standard Request– (72 Hours)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Urgent Request (standard time frame could place the member's life, health or ability in serious jeopardy)
Date Requested _____			
Requestor _____ Clinic name: _____ Phone _____ / Fax _____			

MEMBER INFORMATION

*Name: _____ *ID#: _____ *DOB: _____

PRESCRIBER INFORMATION

*Name: _____ MD FNP DO NP PA *Phone: _____

*Address: _____ *Fax: _____

DISPENSING PROVIDER / ADMINISTRATION INFORMATION

*Name: _____ Phone: _____

*Address: _____ Fax: _____

PROCEDURE / PRODUCT INFORMATION

HCPC Code	Name of Drug	Dose (Wt: _____ kg Ht: _____)	Frequency	End Date if known

Self-administered Provider-administered Home Infusion

Chart notes attached. **Other important information:** _____

Diagnosis: ICD10: _____ **Description:** _____

Provider attests the diagnosis provided is an FDA-Approved indication for this drug

CLINICAL INFORMATION

New Start or Initial Request: (Clinical documentation required for all requests)
 Provider has reviewed the attached “Criteria for Approval” and attests the member meets ALL required PA criteria.
 If not, please provide **clinical rationale** for formulary exception: _____

Continuation Requests: (Clinical documentation required for all requests)
 Provider has reviewed the attached “Criteria for Continuation” and attests the member meets ALL required PA Continuation criteria.
 Patient had an adequate response or significant improvement while on this medication.
 If not, please provide clinical rationale for continuing this medication: _____

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

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

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Prior Authorization Group – Oncology: Prostate Cancer Meds PA

Drug Name(s):

DEGARELIX
JEVTANA
PROVENGE

Criteria for approval of Prior Authorization Drug:

1. Prescribed for an approved FDA diagnosis (as listed below):
2. Prescribed by, or in consultation with an oncologist or other cancer specialist related to the diagnosis.
3. Drug is being used appropriately per CMS recognized compendia, authoritative medical literature, evidence-based guidelines and/or accepted standards of medical practice.
4. Member does not have any clinically relevant contraindications, or CMS/Plan exclusions, to the requested drug.
 - If the member meets all these criteria, they may be approved by the Plan for the requested drug.
 - Quantity limits and Tiering will be determined by the Plan.

Exclusion Criteria:

Cannot be prescribed for experimental or investigational use.

Prescriber Restrictions:

Oncologist or other cancer specialist

Coverage Duration:

New Start: Approval will be for 6 months

Continuation: Approval will be for 12 months

FDA Indications:

Degarelix

- Advanced prostate cancer

Jevtana

- Prostate cancer, castration-resistant, metastatic disease; in combination with predniSONE, after failure of a prior docetaxel-containing regimen

Provenge

- Metastatic, hormone refractory prostate cancer

Off-Label Uses:

Jevtana

- Carcinoma of prostate, Castration-resistant, metastatic disease; in combination with predniSONE, after failure of a prior docetaxel-containing regimen

Provenge

- Carcinoma of prostate, Biochemically-relapsed, androgen-dependent

Age Restrictions:

Safety and effectiveness not established in pediatric patients



Other Clinical Considerations:

Cancer diagnoses: Criteria as per NCCN or other FDA-approved cancer related guidelines.

Resources:

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