

Referral Status:	MRN:
<input type="checkbox"/> New referral	<input type="checkbox"/> Order change
<input type="checkbox"/> Order Renewal	
Patient preferred clinic:	

Infliximab Unspecified Plan of Treatment for Rheumatology

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PATIENT DEMOGRAPHICS:

Patient Name:	
Patient's Phone:	Address:
Date of Birth:	City, State, Zip:
Height in inches:	Weight: LB or KG Gender: Allergies: See list NKDA

DIAGNOSIS: (PLEASE COMPLETE 2ND AND 3RD DIGITS TO COMPLETE ICD 10 FOR BILLING)

M05._____ - Rheumatoid Arthritis with Rheumatoid factor	D86._____ - Sarcoidosis
M06._____ - Rheumatoid Arthritis without Rheumatoid factor	L40.5_____ - Psoriatic Arthropathy
M45._____ - Ankylosing Spondylitis	_____ -Other:

REQUESTED DOCUMENTATION:	PREVIOUS ADMINISTRATION: HAS THIS PATIENT TAKEN THIS MEDICATION BEFORE?
1 Insurance information	IF NO: IF YES:
2 Most recent History & Physical	PLEASE STATE LAST INFUSION DATE:
3 Full medication list	REQUIRED WASHOUT FROM PREVIOUS THERAPY: NEXT INFUSION DATE:
4 Tried and failed therapies	IF ORDER CHANGE:
5 REQUIRED: TB screening for new start patients	Continue current order until insurance approved
6 HBV screening/labs as required by payor	

MEDICATION ORDERS:

NOTE: Patient may be ineligible to receive infliximab if receiving antibiotics for active infectious process, antifungal therapy, active fever and/or suspected infection, new or worsening symptoms of CHF, new-onset or deterioration neurological changes, and/or surgery.

PREMEDICATION TO BE ADMINISTERED 30 MINUTES PRIOR TO ADMINISTRATION AS SELECTED

Premedication with antihistamines, acetaminophen, and/or corticosteroids may be considered to prevent infusion-related reactions.

IV	Diphenhydramine	25mg	50mg		
	Methylprednisolone	40mg	125mg	Other:	
	Famotidine	20mg	40 mg		
	Other:				
PO	Acetaminophen	325mg	500mg	650mg	1000mg
	Famotidine	20mg	40mg		
	Diphenhydramine	25mg	50mg		
	Fexofenadine	60mg	180mg		
	Cetirizine	10mg			
Loratadine	10mg				
Other:					

SPECIFIC MEDICATION:

- Remicade
- Avsola
- Inflectra
- Renflexis

Any infliximab biosimilar may be used according to payer guidelines

DOSE:

- 3mg/kg diluted in NS infused IV over 2 hours
- Other: _____
- May utilize expedited infusion per protocol to run over 1 hour as tolerated

Infliximab doses <1000mg in 250ml NS, doses >1000mg in 500ml NS, doses >2000mg in 1000ml NS (max concentration=4mg/ml)

FREQUENCY:

- Induction to be completed at week 0, week 2, and week 6, and then every 8 weeks thereafter
- Maintenance every 8 weeks
- Infuse every _____ weeks

SPECIAL/LAB ORDERS:

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Prescriber confirms that the patient has been evaluated and screened for the presence of hepatitis B virus (HBV) prior to initiating treatment. Prescriber to monitor patient for symptoms of HBV and TB infection and reactivation as clinically appropriate.

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Refills x 12 months unless noted otherwise here:
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LINE USE/CARE ORDERS

ADVERSE REACTION & ANAPHYLAXIS ORDERS:

- Start PIV/Access CVC
- Flush device per facility standard flushing procedure
- Provide nursing care per Palmetto Infusion Nursing Procedures and post procedure observation if indicated

Administer acute infusion and anaphylaxis medications per Palmetto Infusion standing adverse reaction orders, which can be found at our website.

PRESCRIBER INFORMATION:

PROVIDER NAME:	PHONE:
ADDRESS:	FAX:
CITY, STATE, ZIP:	NPI:

PRESCRIBER SIGNATURE: (No stamp signatures)	DATE:
_____	_____
Dispense as written/Brand medically necessary	Substitution permitted



Checklist for referrals to Palmetto Infusion: Fax referral to 1.866.872.8920

- Patient demographics - address, phone number, SS#, etc.**
- Insurance information - copy of the card(s) if possible**
- Plan of Treatment/Orders**
- Most recent physician office notes to include tried and failed therapies - all insurance companies that require a pre-authorization require the note. This includes Medicare/Medicaid HMOs.**
- Any lab results or other diagnostic procedures to support the diagnosis.**

Palmetto Infusion will complete insurance verification and submit all required clinical documentation to the patient's insurance company for eligibility.

Our office will notify you if any further information is required.

We will review financial responsibility with patient and refer them to any available co-pay assistance as required. Palmetto Infusion Call Center 800.809.1265. Thank you for your referral.

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