



**HEALTH PARTNERS PLANS**  
**PRIOR AUTHORIZATION REQUEST FORM**

**Antibiotics - GI and Related Agents**

**Phone: 215-991-4300**      **Fax back to: 866-240-3712**

Health Partners Plans manages the pharmacy drug benefit for your patient. Certain requests for coverage require review with the prescribing physician. Please answer the following questions and fax this form to the number listed above.

**PLEASE NOTE: Any information (patient, prescriber, drug, labs) left blank, illegible, or not attached WILL DELAY the review process.**

Member Name:	Prescriber Name:	
HPP Member Number:	Fax:	Phone:
Date of Birth:	Office Contact:	
Member Primary Phone:	NPI:	PA PROMISE ID:
Address:	Address:	
City, State ZIP:	City, State ZIP:	
Line of Business: <input type="checkbox"/> Medicaid <input type="checkbox"/> CHIP	Specialty Pharmacy (if applicable):	
<b>Drug Name:</b>	<b>Strength:</b>	
<b>Quantity:</b>	<b>Refills:</b>	
<b>Directions:</b>		
<b>Diagnosis Code:</b>	<b>Diagnosis:</b>	
<i>HPP's maximum approval time is 12 months but may be less depending on the drug.</i>		

**Please attach any pertinent medical history including labs and information for this member that may support approval.**

**Please answer the following questions and sign.**

Q1. The member is prescribed the Antibiotics, GI and Related Agent for the treatment of a diagnosis that is indicated in the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA)-approved package labeling or a medically accepted indication.

Yes       No

Q2. The member is age-appropriate according to FDA-approved package labeling, nationally recognized compendia, or peer-reviewed medical literature.

Yes       No

Q3. The member is prescribed a dose and duration of therapy that are consistent with FDA-approved package labeling, nationally recognized compendia, or peer-reviewed medical literature.

Yes       No

Q4. The request is for Dificid (fidaxomicin) for the treatment of Clostridoides difficile infection (CDI). If YES, go to 5. If NO, go to 8.

Yes       No



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<p>Q5. The member has at least one of the following factors associated with a high risk for recurrence of CDI:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> a. Age 65 years,</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> b. Clinically severe CDI (as defined by a Zar score 2),</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> c. Is immunocompromised,</li> </ul>	
<p>Q6. The member has a recurrent episode of CDI.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes      <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>	
<p>Q7. The member is prescribed Dificid (fidaxomicin) as a continuation of therapy upon inpatient discharge.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes      <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>	
<p>Q8. For the treatment of travelers' diarrhea, the member has a history of therapeutic failure of or a contraindication or an intolerance to azithromycin.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes      <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>	
<p>Q9. The request is for a preferred Antibiotics, GI and Related Agents.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes      <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>	
<p>Q10. For all other non-preferred Antibiotics, GI and Related Agents and for all other indications, the member has a history of therapeutic failure of or a contraindication or an intolerance to the preferred Antibiotics, GI and Related Agents approved or medically accepted for the beneficiary's diagnosis.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Yes      <input type="checkbox"/> No</p>	
<p>Q11. Additional Information:</p>	

Prescriber Signature

Date

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