

Member Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Member ID: \_\_\_\_\_ Member DOB: \_\_\_\_\_  
Drug Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Strength: \_\_\_\_\_ Directions: \_\_\_\_\_  
Physician Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Physician Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Specialty: \_\_\_\_\_  
Physician Fax #: \_\_\_\_\_ Pharmacy Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Pharmacy Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Horizon NJ Health**  
**Urea Cycle Disorder Products (Buphenyl, Ravicti, Carbaglu) – Medical Necessity Request**  
**\*\*Complete page 1 for Initial Requests Only\*\***

**General Questions:**

1. What is the member's current weight? \_\_\_\_ lbs or \_\_\_\_ kg
2. What is the member's current height? \_\_\_\_ cm or \_\_\_\_ in
3. Is the medication being prescribed by or in consultation with a geneticist or a physician experienced in treating metabolic disorders? **Yes or No**

**Diagnosis Information** (please indicate the diagnosis and answer the related questions):

1. What is the diagnosis?
  - a.  Urea Cycle Disorder
    - i. Is the medication being used for the treatment of acute hyperammonemia? **Yes or No**
    - ii. Will the medication be used in conjunction with dietary protein restriction? **Yes or No**
  - b.  Treatment of **chronic** hyperammonemia due to N-acetylglutamate synthase (NAGS) deficiency
  - c.  Treatment of **acute** hyperammonemia due to N-acetylglutamate synthase (NAGS) deficiency, propionic academia (PA) or methylmalonic acidemia (MMA)
  - d.  Other: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Was the diagnosis confirmed by enzymatic, biochemical, or genetic testing? **Yes or No**

**For Ravicti requests only:**

1. Has the member tried sodium phenylbutyrate for this diagnosis? **Yes or No**
  - a. If **Yes**, why was it discontinued?  
\_\_\_\_\_
  - b. If **No**, why not? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Is the medication being used for treatment of N-acetylglutamate synthase (NAGS) deficiency? **Yes or No**

**For Carbaglu requests only:**

1. Is the medication being used for the treatment of **acute** hyperammonemia? **Yes or No**
  - a. If **Yes**, will the medication be used in conjunction with other ammonia lowering therapies (e.g., alternative pathway drugs, hemodialysis, and dietary protein)? **Yes or No**

Physician office's signature\* \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name \_\_\_\_\_

\*Form must be completed and signed by physician or licensed representative from the physician's office

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**\*\*Complete page 2 only for Subsequent/Renewal requests\*\***

**General Questions:**

1. What is the member's current weight? \_\_\_\_ lbs or \_\_\_\_ kg
2. What is the member's current height? \_\_\_\_ cm or \_\_\_\_ in
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4. **Please submit lab results within the past 6 months indicating a normal or improved ammonia level**

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