

#### MEDICATION PRIOR AUTHORIZATION REQUEST FORM

FAX this completed form to 1-833-546-1507

OR Mail request to: Pharmacy Services Prior Authorization Dept. 5 River Park Place East, Suite 210 | Fresno, CA 93720

Call 1-866-399-0928 to request a 72-hour supply of medication.

Pharmacy Services will respond via fax or phone within 24 hours of receipt of all necessary information, expect during weekends and holidays. For immediate response on weekends and holidays, NurseWise will answer your call.

## NITISINONE (Orfadin<sup>®</sup>, Nityr<sup>®</sup>) (Maximum Length of Therapy is 12 Months)

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3.	Is this patient currently placed on a liver transplantation waiting list?																												
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4.		In your opinion, will this patient likely become a candidate for liver transplantation within the next year?																											
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#### **Review Criteria**

- 1. If the patient can be maintained on dietary restrictions alone, Orfadin® or Nityr® is not approved. (If the answer to question two is **YES**, do not approve.)
- 2. If the patient is on a liver transplantation list, approval period is only for six months.
- 3. If in the physician's opinion, the patient will become a liver transplant candidate within the next year, the approval period is only six months.
- 4. All other approvals are for a one-year period.
- 5. Limit the dose to 2 mg/kg for Orfadin® and Nityr®.
- 6. Orfadin® is packaged in a high density (HD) polyethylene container of **60 capsules and cannot be repackaged and dispensed in a different container** or a 90mL suspension is available of 4 mg/mL.
- 7. Nityr® is available in tablet formulation.