

Prior Authorization Request Form for Lotronex (alosetron)

Member Information

Patient Name _____
 Cardholder ID _____
 Date of Birth _____
 Address _____
 City, State Zip _____
 Phone Number _____

Provider Information

Provider Name _____
 DEA Number _____
 Address _____
 City, State and Zip _____
 Phone Number _____
 FAX Number _____

Pharmacy Information

Pharmacy Name _____ Address _____ Phone _____

FDA Approved Indications:

- The treatment of Irritable Bowel Syndrome (IBS) in women with severe diarrhea – predominant symptoms who have failed to respond to conventional therapy, whose symptoms are chronic (generally lasting longer than six months), and who have had other gastrointestinal medical conditions ruled out.
- The safety and effectiveness of Lotronex in men has not been established.

Criteria for Approval:

1. Is the patient 18 years of age or older? Yes No
2. Is the patient female? Yes No
3. Does the patient have a diagnosis of diarrhea-predominant chronic irritable bowel syndrome (IBS)? Yes No
4. Has the physician excluded anatomical or biochemical abnormalities of the gastrointestinal tract (i.e., thyroid dysfunction, stool culture, colonoscopy, barium enema)? Yes No
5. Has the patient had continuous or recurrent symptoms of irritable bowel syndrome (IBS) for at least 6 months? Yes No
6. Has the patient experienced therapeutic failure with any of the following? *Check all that apply:*
 Dicyclomine Hyoscyamine Loperamide Diphenoxylate/atropine
 Fiber supplement Other: _____
7. Does the patient have any of the following? *Check all that apply:*
 Diarrhea-prominent disease
 Frequent and severe abdominal pain and discomfort
 Frequent bowel urgency and/or fecal incontinence
 Disability or restriction of daily activities due to irritable bowel syndrome (IBS)
8. Does the patient have a history of any of the following? *Check all that apply:*
 Severe constipation or sequelae from constipation
 Intestinal obstruction, stricture, toxic megacolon, gastrointestinal perforation, and/or adhesions
 Ischemic colitis, impaired intestinal circulation, thrombophlebitis, or hypercoagulable state
 Crohn's disease or ulcerative colitis
 Diverticulitis
9. Does the patient have any known hypersensitivity to any component of Lotronex? Yes No
10. Has the physician counseled the patient about known risks versus benefits of using Lotronex to treat irritable bowel syndrome (IBS)? Yes No
11. Will the patient be monitored for adverse events associated with using Lotronex (i.e., constipation or ischemic colitis)? Yes No
12. Is the physician enrolled in the Lotronex Prescribing Program? Yes No
13. Has the patient received and completed the Lotronex Medication Guide? Yes No
14. Have both the patient and physician signed the Patient-Physician Agreement? Yes No
15. If the patient has received previous Lotronex therapy, has there been improvement of irritable bowel symptoms? Yes No
16. Is this request for an increase in the dose of Lotronex? Yes No
17. Does the patient require more than 2 tablets (2 mg) per day? Yes No

Provider Signature _____ Date _____

Fax completed forms to (866) 284-4509.

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Date/Time Received _____

Reference Number _____

Approved / Denied (Circle One) by _____ Date _____

Date/Time Returned to Provider _____

If you have any questions regarding this form, contact the Prior Authorization Department Toll Free at (866) 284-4492 or FAX Toll Free at (866) 284-4509.

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