# Tezspire® (tezepelumab-ekko) Medication Precertification Request



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**Aetna Precertification Notification**
**Phone:** 1-866-752-7021 **(TTY:** 711**)**
**FAX:** 1-888-267-3277

**For Medicare Advantage Part B:**
Please Use Medicare Request Form

**Please indicate:** ☐ Start of treatment: Start date ____/____/____
☐ Continuation of therapy, Date of last treatment ____/____/____

**Precertification Requested By:** _____ Phone: _____ Fax: _____

## A. PATIENT INFORMATION

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| First Name: | Last Name: | | DOB: | |
| Address: | | City: | State: | ZIP: |
| Home Phone: | Work Phone: | Cell Phone: | Email: | |
| Patient Current Weight: ____ lbs or ____ kgs Patient Height: ____ inches or ____ cms | | | Allergies: | |

## B. INSURANCE INFORMATION

**Aetna Member ID #**: _____
**Group #**: _____
**Insured**:

Does patient have other coverage? ☐ Yes ☐ No
If yes, provide ID#: _____ Carrier Name: _____
Insured:

**Medicare:** ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, provide ID #: **Medicaid:** ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, provide ID #:

## C. PRESCRIBER INFORMATION

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| First Name: | Last Name: | | | *(Check One):* ☐ M.D. ☐ D.O. ☐ N.P. ☐ P.A. | |
| Address: | | City: | | State: | ZIP: |
| Phone: | Fax: | St Lic #: | NPI #: | DEA #: | UPIN: |
| Provider Email: | | Office Contact Name: | | Phone: | |

**Specialty** *(Check one):* ☐ **Pulmonologist** ☐ **Other**: _____

## D. DISPENSING PROVIDER/ADMINISTRATION INFORMATION

**Place of Administration:**
☐ Self-administered ☐ Physician's Office
☐ Outpatient Infusion Center Phone: _____
Center Name: _____
☐ Home Infusion Center Phone: _____
Agency Name: _____
☐ Administration code(s) (CPT): _____
Address: _____

**Dispensing Provider/Pharmacy:** *Patient Selected choice*
☐ Physician's Office ☐ Retail Pharmacy
☐ Specialty Pharmacy ☐ Other
Name: _____
Address: _____
Phone: _____ Fax: _____
**TIN:** _____ PIN: _____

## E. PRODUCT INFORMATION

**Request is for: Tezspire (tezepelumab-ekko) Dose:** _____ **Frequency:** _____

## F. DIAGNOSIS INFORMATION - Please indicate primary ICD code and specify any other where applicable.

**Primary ICD Code:** _____ **Secondary ICD Code:** _____ **Other ICD Code:** _____

## G. CLINICAL INFORMATION - Required clinical information must be completed in its entirety for all precertification requests.

**For All Requests (clinical documentation required):**

☐ Yes ☐ No Is this infusion request in an outpatient hospital setting?
→ ☐ Yes ☐ No Has the patient experienced an adverse event with the requested product that has not responded to conventional interventions (e.g., acetaminophen, steroids, diphenhydramine, fluids, or other pre-medications) or a severe adverse event (anaphylaxis, anaphylactoid reactions, myocardial infarction, thromboembolism, or seizures) during or immediately after administration?
☐ Yes ☐ No Does the patient have significant behavioral issues and/or physical or cognitive impairment that would impact the safety of the infusion therapy AND the patient does not have access to a caregiver?
→ Please provide a description of the behavioral issue or impairment: _____
☐ Yes ☐ No Is the patient medically unstable which may include respiratory, cardiovascular, or renal conditions that may limit the patient's ability to tolerate a large volume or load or predispose the patient to a severe adverse event that cannot be managed in an alternate setting without appropriate medical personnel and equipment?
→ Please provide a description of the condition: ☐ Cardiovascular: _____
☐ Respiratory: _____
☐ Renal: _____
☐ Other: _____

☐ Yes ☐ No Does the patient have a diagnosis of asthma?
☐ Yes ☐ No Will the requested drug be used concomitantly with any other biologic (e.g., Adbry, Humira, Dupixent), or targeted synthetic drug (e.g., Rinvoq, Olumiant, Otezla, Xeljanz) for the same indication?

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**G. CLINICAL INFORMATION *(continued)*** – Required clinical information must be completed in its entirety for all precertification requests.

☐ Yes ☐ No Is the requested medication prescribed by or in consultation with an allergist/immunologist or pulmonologist?

**For Initiation Requests (clinical documentation required):**

☐ Yes ☐ No Has the patient previously received another biologic drug (e.g., Dupixent, Nucala) indicated for asthma?

→ ☐ Yes ☐ No Does the patient have uncontrolled asthma as demonstrated by experiencing two or more asthma exacerbations requiring oral or injectable corticosteroid treatment within the past year?

→ ☐ Yes ☐ No Does the patient have uncontrolled asthma as demonstrated by experiencing one or more asthma exacerbation resulting in hospitalization or emergency medical care visit within the past year?

→ ☐ Yes ☐ No Does the patient have uncontrolled asthma as demonstrated by experiencing poor symptom control (frequent symptoms or reliever use, activity limited by asthma, night waking due to asthma) within the past year?

☐ Yes ☐ No Prior to requesting the requested medication, did the patient have inadequate asthma control despite current treatment with both of the following medications at optimized doses: a high dose inhaled corticosteroid and additional controller (i.e., long-acting beta2-agonist, long-acting muscarinic antagonist, leukotriene modifier, or sustained-release theophylline)?

☐ Yes ☐ No Will the patient continue to use maintenance asthma treatments (e.g., inhaled corticosteroid, additional controller) in combination with the requested medication?

**For Continuation Requests (clinical documentation required):**

☐ Yes ☐ No Has asthma control improved on the requested medication treatment as demonstrated by a reduction in the frequency and/or severity of symptoms and exacerbations?

→ ☐ Yes ☐ No Has asthma control improved on the requested medication treatment as demonstrated by a reduction in the daily maintenance oral corticosteroid dose?

☐ Yes ☐ No Will the patient continue to use maintenance asthma treatments (e.g., inhaled corticosteroid, additional controller) in combination with the requested medication?

**H. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

**Request Completed By *(Signature Required):*** _____ **Date:** ____/____/____

Any person who knowingly files a request for authorization of coverage of a medical procedure or service with the intent to injure, defraud or deceive any insurance company by providing materially false information or conceals material information for the purpose of misleading, commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime and subjects such person to criminal and civil penalties.

The plan may request additional information or clarification, if needed, to evaluate requests.