APPLICATION FOR WAIVER OF RULE BY SPECIAL AUTHORITY

APPLICANT (stamp or sticker acceptable)	PATIENT NHI:	REFERRER Reg No:
Reg No:	First Names:	First Names:
Name:	Surname:	Surname:
Address:	DOB:	Address:
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Fax Number:		Fax Number:

Azithromycin

Initial application — bronchiolitis obliterans syndrome, cystic fibrosis and atypical Mycobacterium infections Applications only from a relevant specialist. Approvals valid without further renewal unless notified. Prerequisites(tick boxes where appropriate)
Patient has received a lung transplant, stem cell transplant, or bone marrow transplant and requires treatment for bronchiolitis obliterans syndrome*
Patient has received a lung transplant and requires prophylaxis for bronchiolitis obliterans syndrome*
Patient has cystic fibrosis and has chronic infection with Pseudomonas aeruginosa or Pseudomonas-related gram negative organisms* or
Patient has an atypical Mycobacterium infection
Note: Indications marked with * are unapproved indications.
Initial application — non-cystic fibrosis bronchiectasis* Applications only from a respiratory specialist or paediatrician. Approvals valid for 12 months. Prerequisites(tick boxes where appropriate)
For prophylaxis of exacerbations of non-cystic fibrosis bronchiectasis*
Patient is aged 18 and under and
Patient has had 3 or more exacerbations of their bronchiectasis, within a 12 month period or
Patient has had 3 acute admissions to hospital for treatment of infective respiratory exacerbations within a 12 month period
Note: Indications marked with * are unapproved indications.
Renewal — non-cystic fibrosis bronchiectasis*
Current approval Number (if known):
Applications only from a respiratory specialist or paediatrician. Approvals valid for 12 months. The patient must not have had more than 1 prior approval.
Prerequisites(tick boxes where appropriate)
The patient has completed 12 months of azithromycin treatment for non-cystic fibrosis bronchiectasis and
Following initial 12 months of treatment, the patient has not received any further azithromycin treatment for non-cystic fibrosis bronchiectasis for a further 12 months, unless considered clinically inappropriate to stop treatment
The patient will not receive more than a total of 24 months' azithromycin cumulative treatment (see note)
Note: No further renewals will be subsidised. A maximum of 24 months of azithromycin treatment for non-cystic fibrosis bronchiectasis will be subsidised. Indications marked with * are unapproved indications

I confirm the above details are correct and that in signing this form I understand I may be audited.