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APPLICATION FOR SUBSIDY BY SPECIAL AUTHORITY

Form SA2268
November 2025

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: .....

Stiripentol

Initial application
Applications only from a paediatric neurologist or Practitioner on the recommendation of a paediatric neurologist. Approvals valid for 6 months.
Prerequisites(tick boxes where appropriate)

☐ Patient has confirmed diagnosis of Dravet syndrome

and

☐ Seizures have been inadequately controlled by appropriate courses of sodium valproate, clobazam and at least two of the following: topiramate, levetiracetam, ketogenic diet

Note: Those of childbearing potential are not required to trial sodium valproate or topiramate. Those who can father children are not required to trial sodium valproate.

Renewal

Current approval Number (if known):.....

Applications from any relevant practitioner. Approvals valid without further renewal unless notified.
Prerequisites(tick box where appropriate)

☐ The patient continues to benefit from treatment as measured by reduced seizure frequency from baseline

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

Signed: ..... Date: .....
Post application to Ministry of Health, Private Bag 3015, Wanganui – email: customerservice@health.govt.nz