Enquiries to Ministry of Health
0800 855 066

APPLICATION FOR SUBSIDY BY SPECIAL AUTHORITY

Form SA1289
May 2026

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: .....

Capsaicin

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

☐ The patient has osteoarthritis that is not responsive to paracetamol and oral non-steroidal anti-inflammatories are contraindicated

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

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