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| <b>APPLICANT</b> (stamp or sticker acceptable) | <b>PATIENT</b> NHI: ..... | <b>REFERRER</b> Reg No: ..... |
| Reg No: .....                                  | First Names: .....        | First Names: .....            |
| Name: .....                                    | Surname: .....            | Surname: .....                |
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## Betaine

### Initial application

Applications only from a metabolic physician. Approvals valid for 12 months.

**Prerequisites**(tick boxes where appropriate)

- ☐ The patient has a confirmed diagnosis of homocystinuria
- and
- ☐ A cystathionine beta-synthase (CBS) deficiency

or

☐ A 5,10-methylene-tetrahydrofolate reductase (MTHFR) deficiency

or

☐ A disorder of intracellular cobalamin metabolism
- and
- ☐ An appropriate homocysteine level has not been achieved despite a sufficient trial of appropriate vitamin supplementation

### Renewal

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

Applications only from a metabolic physician. Approvals valid for 12 months.

**Prerequisites**(tick box where appropriate)

- ☐ The treatment remains appropriate and the patient is benefiting from treatment

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](mailto:customerservice@health.govt.nz)