

## SA2448 - Ursodeoxycholic Acid

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#### Initial application — Alagille syndrome or progressive familial intrahepatic cholestasis

Applications from any relevant practitioner. Approvals valid without further renewal unless notified.

**Prerequisites**(tick boxes where appropriate)

- ☐ Patient has been diagnosed with Alagille syndrome
- or
- ☐ Patient has progressive familial intrahepatic cholestasis

#### Initial application — Chronic severe drug induced cholestatic liver injury

Applications from any relevant practitioner. Approvals valid for 3 months.

**Prerequisites**(tick boxes where appropriate)

- ☐ Patient has chronic severe drug induced cholestatic liver injury
- and
- ☐ Cholestatic liver injury not due to Total Parenteral Nutrition (TPN) use in adults
- and
- ☐ Treatment with ursodeoxycholic acid may prevent hospital admission or reduce duration of stay

#### Initial application — Primary biliary cholangitis

Applications from any relevant practitioner. Approvals valid for 6 months.

**Prerequisites**(tick boxes where appropriate)

- ☐ Primary biliary cholangitis confirmed by antimitochondrial antibody titre (AMA) > 1:80, and raised cholestatic liver enzymes with or without raised serum IgM or, if AMA is negative, by liver biopsy
- and
- ☐ Patient not requiring a liver transplant (bilirubin > 100 umol/l; decompensated cirrhosis)

#### Initial application — Pregnancy

Applications from any relevant practitioner. Approvals valid for 6 months.

**Prerequisites**(tick box where appropriate)

- ☐ The patient diagnosed with cholestasis of pregnancy

#### Initial application — Haematological Transplant

Applications from any relevant practitioner. Approvals valid for 6 months.

**Prerequisites**(tick boxes where appropriate)

- ☐ Patient at risk of veno-occlusive disease or has hepatic impairment and is undergoing conditioning treatment prior to allogenic stem cell or bone marrow transplantation
- and
- ☐ Treatment for up to 13 weeks

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**Initial application — Total parenteral nutrition induced cholestasis**

Applications from any relevant practitioner. Approvals valid for 6 months.

**Prerequisites**(tick boxes where appropriate)

- ☐ Paediatric patient has developed abnormal liver function as indicated on testing which is likely to be induced by Total Parenteral Nutrition (TPN)
- and
- ☐ Liver function has not improved with modifying the TPN composition

**Renewal — Chronic severe drug induced cholestatic liver injury**

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

Applications from any relevant practitioner. Approvals valid for 6 months.

**Prerequisites**(tick box where appropriate)

- ☐ The patient continues to benefit from treatment

**Renewal — Pregnancy/Primary biliary cholangitis**

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

Applications from any relevant practitioner. Approvals valid for 2 years.

**Prerequisites**(tick box where appropriate)

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

**Renewal — Total parenteral nutrition induced cholestasis**

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

Applications from any relevant practitioner. Approvals valid for 6 months.

**Prerequisites**(tick box where appropriate)

- ☐ The paediatric patient continues to require TPN and who is benefiting from treatment, defined as a sustained improvement in bilirubin levels

**Initial application — prevention of sinusoidal obstruction syndrome**

Applications from any relevant practitioner. Approvals valid without further renewal unless notified.

**Prerequisites**(tick box where appropriate)

- ☐ The individual has leukaemia/lymphoma and requires prophylaxis for medications/therapies with a high risk of sinusoidal obstruction syndrome

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