



**Texas Standard Prior Authorization Form Addendum**

**Molina Healthcare of Texas  
Thiazolidinediones- Pioglitazone (Medicaid)**

This fax machine is located in a secure location as required by HIPAA Regulations. Complete / Review information, sign, and date. Fax signed forms to Molina Pharmacy Prior Authorization Department at **1-888-487-9251**. Please contact Molina Pharmacy Prior Authorization Department at **1-855-322-4080** with questions regarding the prior authorization process. When conditions are met, we will authorize the coverage of Thiazolidinediones- Pioglitazone (Medicaid).

Drug Name (select from list of drugs shown / provide drug information)		
ACTOPLUS MET	ACTOPLUS MET XR	PIOGLITAZONE-METFORMIN
ACTOS TABLET	DUETACT TABLET	PIOGLITAZONE TABLET
PIOGLITAZONE-GLIMEPIRIDE		

Patient Information	
Patient Name:	
Patient ID:	
Patient DOB:	

Prescribing Physician	
Physician Name:	
Physician Phone:	
Physician Fax:	
Physician Address:	
City, State, Zip:	

Diagnosis:	ICD Code:
Directions for administration:	

**\*\*\*Please include all relevant clinical notes, lab work, medication history and any other applicable documentation.**

Please circle the appropriate answer for each question.

- Is the requested drug required per court order? (court order required) Y    N  
*If the answer to this question is yes, approved for 365 days.  
 If the answer to this question is no, go to question 2.*
- Does the patient have a diagnosis of heart failure in the last 365 days? Y    N  
*If the answer to this question is yes, go to question 3.  
 If the answer to this question is no, go to question 4.*
- Does the patient have a history of 2 heart failure drugs for 30 days in the last 90 days? Y    N  
*If the answer to this question is yes, denied.  
 If the answer to this question is no, go to question 4.*
- Does the patient have a diagnosis of type II diabetes in the last 730 days? Y    N  
*If the answer to this question is yes, go to question 5.*

*If the answer to this question is no, denied.*

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| 5. Does the patient have a history of a metformin-containing agent for 30 days in the last 730 days?<br><i>If the answer to this question is yes, go to question 8.<br/>If the answer to this question is no, go to question 6.</i>               | Y | N |
| 6. Is the request for Actoplus Met, Actoplus Met XR, or Pioglitazone-Metformin?<br><i>If the answer to this question is yes, denied.<br/>If the answer to this question is no, go to question 7.</i>  | Y | N |
| 7. Does the patient have a diagnosis of renal failure in the last 730 days?<br><i>If the answer to this question is yes, go to question 8.<br/>If the answer to this question is no, denied.</i>  | Y | N |
| 8. Is this request for a non-preferred drug?<br><i>If the answer to this question is yes, go to question 9.<br/>If the answer to this question is no, approved for 365 days.</i>  | Y | N |
| 9. Has the patient failed a 30-day treatment trial with at least 1 preferred agent within the last 180 days?<br><i>If the answer to this question is yes, approved for 365 days.<br/>If the answer to this question is no, go to question 10.</i> | Y | N |
| 10. Is there a documented allergy or contraindication to preferred agents in this class?<br><i>If the answer to this question is yes, approved for 365 days.<br/>If the answer to this question is no, go to question 11.</i>                     | Y | N |
| 11. Is the drug necessary for treatment of stage-4 advanced metastatic cancer and associated conditions?<br><i>If the answer to this question is yes, approved for 365 days.<br/>If the answer to this question is no, denied.</i>                | Y | N |

Comments:

*I affirm that the information given on this form is true and accurate as of this date.*

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Prescriber (or Authorized) Signature

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Date