

APPLICATION FOR SUBSIDY BY SPECIAL AUTHORITY

APPLICANT (stamp or sticker acceptable) **PATIENT** NHI: **REFERRER** Reg No:

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Insulin Pump Consumables

INITIAL APPLICATION - permanent neonatal diabetes

Applications only from a relevant specialist or nurse practitioner. Approvals valid for 9 months.

Prerequisites (tick boxes where appropriate)

- Patient has permanent neonatal diabetes
- and
- A MDI regimen trial is inappropriate
- and
- Has been evaluated by the multidisciplinary team for their suitability for insulin pump therapy
- and
- Patient/Parent/Guardian has undertaken carbohydrate counting education (either a carbohydrate counting course or direct education from an appropriate health professional)
- and
- Applicant is part of a multidisciplinary team experienced in the management of type 1 diabetes care
- and
- Applicant is a relevant specialist
- or
- Applicant is a nurse practitioner working within their vocational scope

RENEWAL - permanent neonatal diabetes

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

Applications only from a relevant specialist or nurse practitioner. Approvals valid for 2 years.

Prerequisites (tick boxes where appropriate)

- Patient is continuing to derive benefit according to the treatment plan agreed at induction
- and
- Patient remains fully compliant and transition to MDI is considered inappropriate by the treating physician
- and
- Applicant is a relevant specialist
- or
- Applicant is a nurse practitioner working within their vocational scope

See also: **INITIAL APPLICATION** - severe unexplained hypoglycaemia p2 , **RENEWAL** - severe unexplained hypoglycaemia p2 , **INITIAL APPLICATION** - HbA1c p3 , **RENEWAL** - HbA1c p3 , **INITIAL APPLICATION** - Previous use before 1 September 2012 p4 and **RENEWAL** - Previous use before 1 September 2012 p4

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Insulin Pump Consumables - continued

INITIAL APPLICATION - severe unexplained hypoglycaemia

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Prerequisites (tick boxes where appropriate)

- Patient has type 1 diabetes or has undergone a pancreatectomy or has cystic fibrosis-related diabetes
and
 Has undertaken carbohydrate counting education (either a carbohydrate counting course or direct education from an appropriate health professional)
and
 Applicant is part of a multidisciplinary team experienced in the management of type 1 diabetes care
and
 Has adhered to an intensive MDI regimen using analogue insulins for at least six months
and
 Has had four severe unexplained hypoglycaemic episodes over a six month period (severe as defined as requiring the assistance of another person)
and
 Has an average HbA1c between the following range: equal to or greater than 53 mmol/mol and equal to or less than 90 mmol/mol
and
 Has been evaluated by the multidisciplinary team for their suitability for insulin pump therapy
and
 Applicant is a relevant specialist
or
 Applicant is a nurse practitioner working within their vocational scope

RENEWAL - severe unexplained hypoglycaemia

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

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Prerequisites (tick boxes where appropriate)

- Patient is continuing to derive benefit according to the treatment plan agreed at induction of at least a 50% reduction from baseline in hypoglycaemic events
and
 HbA1c has not increased by more than 5 mmol/mol from baseline
and
 Applicant is a relevant specialist
or
 Applicant is a nurse practitioner working within their vocational scope

See also: **INITIAL APPLICATION** - HbA1c p3, **RENEWAL** - HbA1c p3, **INITIAL APPLICATION** - Previous use before 1 September 2012 p4 and **RENEWAL** - Previous use before 1 September 2012 p4

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INITIAL APPLICATION - HbA1c

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Prerequisites (tick boxes where appropriate)

- Patient has type 1 diabetes or has undergone a pancreatectomy or has cystic fibrosis-related diabetes
- and
- Has undertaken carbohydrate counting education (either a carbohydrate counting course or direct education from an appropriate health professional)
- and
- Applicant is part of a multidisciplinary team experienced in the management of type 1 diabetes care
- and
- Has adhered to an intensive MDI regimen using analogue insulins for at least six months
- and
- Has unpredictable and significant variability in blood glucose including significant hypoglycaemia affecting the ability to reduce HbA1
- and
- In the opinion of the treating clinician, HbA1c could be reduced by at least 10 mmol/mol using insulin pump treatment
- and
- Has typical HbA1c results between the following range: equal to or greater than 65 mmol/mol and equal to or less than 90 mmol/mol
- and
- Has been evaluated by the multidisciplinary team for their suitability for insulin pump therapy
- and
- Applicant is a relevant specialist
- or
- Applicant is a nurse practitioner working within their vocational scope

RENEWAL - HbA1c

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

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Prerequisites (tick boxes where appropriate)

- Patient is continuing to derive benefit according to the treatment plan agreed at induction of achieving and maintaining a reduction in HbA1c from baseline of 10 mmol/mol
- and
- The number of severe unexplained recurrent hypoglycaemic episodes has not increased from baseline
- and
- Applicant is a relevant specialist
- or
- Applicant is a nurse practitioner working within their vocational scope

See also: **INITIAL APPLICATION** - Previous use before 1 September 2012 *p4* and **RENEWAL** - Previous use before 1 September 2012 *p4*

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INITIAL APPLICATION - Previous use before 1 September 2012

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Prerequisites (tick boxes where appropriate)

- Patient has type 1 diabetes or has undergone a pancreatectomy or has cystic fibrosis-related diabetes
- and
- Was already on pump treatment prior to 1 September 2012 and had been evaluated by the multidisciplinary team for their suitability for insulin pump therapy at the time of initiating that pump treatment and continues to benefit from pump treatment
- and
- The patient has adhered to an intensive MDI regimen using analogue insulins for at least six months prior to initiating pump therapy
- and
- The patient is continuing to derive benefit from pump therapy
- and
- The patient had achieved and is maintaining a HbA1c of equal to or less than 80 mmol/mol on pump therapy
- and
- The patient has had no increase in severe unexplained hypoglycaemic episodes from baseline
- and
- The patient's HbA1c has not deteriorated more than 5 mmol/mol from baseline
- and
- Applicant is a relevant specialist
- or
- Applicant is a nurse practitioner working within their vocational scope

RENEWAL - Previous use before 1 September 2012

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Prerequisites (tick boxes where appropriate)

- The patient is continuing to derive benefit according to the treatment plan and has maintained a HbA1c of equal to or less than 80 mmol/mol
- and
- The patient's HbA1c has not deteriorated more than 5 mmol/mol from initial application
- and
- The patient has not had an increase in severe unexplained hypoglycaemic episodes from baseline
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