

# APPLICATION FOR SUBSIDY BY SPECIAL AUTHORITY

**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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## Modafinil

### INITIAL APPLICATION

Applications only from a neurologist or respiratory specialist. Approvals valid for 24 months.

#### Prerequisites (tick boxes where appropriate)

The patient has a diagnosis of narcolepsy and has excessive daytime sleepiness associated with narcolepsy occurring almost daily for three months or more

and

The patient has a multiple sleep latency test with a mean sleep latency of less than or equal to 10 minutes and 2 or more sleep onset rapid eye movement periods

or

The patient has at least one of: cataplexy, sleep paralysis or hypnagogic hallucinations

and

An effective dose of a subsidised formulation of methylphenidate or dexamfetamine has been trialled and discontinued because of intolerable side effects

or

Methylphenidate and dexamfetamine are contraindicated

### RENEWAL

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

Applications only from a neurologist or respiratory specialist. Approvals valid for 24 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 Ministry of Health, Private Bag 3015, Wanganui – Fax: 0800 100 131