



Prescription Drug Coverage Determination Form

Acne
Differin® (adapalene)

Please fax the completed form to Mercy Health Plans' Pharmacy Department
at 314-214-8201 or 1-800-466-9854.

Patient Information

Patient Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____
Subscriber ID#: _____
Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Physician Information

Name: _____ Specialty: _____ Tax ID#: _____
Office Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
Telephone: _____ Fax: _____ Contact Person _____

Physician Signature (REQUIRED): _____ Date _____

Medication Information (requests for non-formulary agents will be considered for
members having a documented failure or contraindication to preferred agents.)

Medication name: _____ J-code: _____
Dose: _____ Directions: _____
Expected Duration of Therapy: _____

Prior Authorization Criteria:	
1. Is the patient 12 years of age or older?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
2. Is the medication being requested to treat an FDA- approved indication not otherwise excluded from Part D? Diagnosis: _____ ICD-9 code: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
3. Is therapy being used for cosmetic purposes?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Please provide any additional history or medical information that may support coverage
(attach office notes as necessary): _____

Note: If approved coverage will be as specified in above criteria or through the end of the
year (December 31, 20xx). Some medications may be subject to quantity limitations or
restricted to certain pharmacies.