



**VANCOUVER CLINIC**

**ADULT AMBULATORY NON-CHEMO  
INFUSION REFERRAL and ORDER**

Attn: Infusion Department

**Tocilizumab (ACTEMRA®)**

**NAME:**  
**DOB:**  
**INSURANCE:**  
**PROVIDER NAME:**  
**CLINIC NAME and Phone number:**

Weight: \_\_\_\_\_ lb/kg    Height: \_\_\_\_\_ inch/cm

Diagnostic Code ICD-10: \_\_\_\_\_    Diagnosis: \_\_\_\_\_

Initial Consult     Annual Renewal

Treatment Start Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*These orders will expire after 365 days; new orders are needed after the expiration date\*\***

This form serves as a referral to infusion services and for medication ordering.  
Patients will be seen by our internal infusion clinician for purposes of providing care.

**GUIDELINES FOR ORDERING:**

- Send FACE SHEET and H&P, relevant labs and/or most recent chart note
- Vancouver Clinic infusion service will initiate Adverse Reaction Algorithm per our service protocol.
- Pre-medication(s) based on protocol (if needed)
- If pre-screening test and labs are not accessible through Epic, please fax a copy of request lab as well (see below). Otherwise, authorized Vancouver Clinic infusion clinician to order the lab.
- Patient must be able to ambulate independently (if patient needs assistance with restrooming, a personal caregiver or capable family member must accompany and remain with patient for the duration of the appointment).

**PRE-SCREENING/LAB:**

- CBC with differential
- AST/ALT
- Lipid panel
- Hepatitis B surface antigen and core antibody total
- Tuberculin test (PPD or QuantiFERON Gold blood test). If result is indeterminate, a follow up chest X-ray must be performed to rule out TB.

**MEDICATIONS:**

**Tocilizumab (ACTEMRA®)** \_\_\_\_\_ mg/kg = \_\_\_\_\_ mg in sodium chloride 0.9% 100 mL intravenous, over 60 minutes. Doses will be rounded to nearest vial size. The recommended starting dose is 4 mg/kg every 4 weeks followed by an increase to 8 mg/kg every 4 weeks based on clinical response. Max dose: 800mg

Interval: (must check one)

- Every \_\_\_\_\_ weeks
- Once

*Please fax the completed form and pertinent information to Fax: 360-604-1776*

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