



**Targretin, bexarotene capsule**

**Express Scripts  
Prior Authorization  
Phone 1-844-424-8886  
Fax 1-877-251-5896**

To start your Part D Coverage Determination request, you (or your representative or your doctor or other prescriber) should contact Express Scripts, Inc (ESI):

- You may Call ESI at 1-844-424-8886, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, TTY users: 1-800-716-3231
- You may Fax your request to: 1-877-251-5896 (Attention: Medicare Reviews)
- You may also send your request via email to: [medicarepartdparequests@express-scripts.com](mailto:medicarepartdparequests@express-scripts.com)

Member's Last Name:	Member's First Name:
SCAN ID number:	Date of Birth:
Prescriber's Name:	Contact Person:
Office phone:	Office Fax:

Medication:	Diagnosis:
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**SECTION A** Please answer the following questions

1.  Yes  No Is the member currently taking the requested medication?
2. Is the request for:
  - oral Targretin
  - topical Targretin
3.  Yes  No Is the diagnosis or indication for the treatment of cutaneous T-cell lymphoma?
4.  Yes  No Is the diagnosis or indication for cutaneous lesions in patients with Stage IA or IB T-cell lymphoma (CTCL)?
5.  Yes  No Are the following laboratory tests performed prior to initiation of oral Targretin: Liver function tests: ALT/AST, Fasting lipid panel, WBC, thyroid function tests?
6.  Yes  No Was the prescription written or recommended by an oncologist or dermatologist?
7.  Yes  No Was the patient prescribed at least one systemic therapy (e.g., cyclophosphamide, methotrexate, an oral retinoid, etc.) or one topical therapy (e.g, a corticosteroid, mechlorethamine, etc.) for the current condition prior to initiation of Targretin or bexarotene?

**Please document the symptoms and/or any other information important to this review:**

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**SECTION B**    Physician Signature

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PHYSICIAN SIGNATURE

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DATE

**FAX COMPLETED FORM TO: 1-877-251-5896**

Our response time for prescription drug coverage standard requests is 72 hours. If you or your prescriber believe that waiting 72 hours for a standard decision could seriously harm your life, health, or ability to regain maximum function, you can ask for an expedited (fast) decision. If your prescriber indicates that waiting 72 hours could seriously harm your health, we will automatically give you a decision within 24 hours. If you do not obtain your prescriber's support for an expedited request, we will decide if your case requires a fast decision. You cannot request an expedited coverage determination if you are asking us to pay you back for a drug you already received. View our formulary and Prior Authorization criteria online at <http://www.villagehealthca.com>