

**IVIG TRANSPLANT REFERRAL FORM (PAGE 1 OF 2)****NPI #: 1871219683****vitalcare**  
of SOUTH DALLAS☐ Home Infusion ☐ Alternate Site of Care**TEL: 945-212-3707 FAX: 866-790-3580**

Patient Name \_\_\_\_\_ SS# \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Male ☐ Female  
Street Address \_\_\_\_\_ Apt# \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Daytime Tel \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_ Height \_\_\_\_\_ Weight \_\_\_\_\_ IBW \_\_\_\_\_ AjBW \_\_\_\_\_  
Allergies \_\_\_\_\_ Comorbidities \_\_\_\_\_  
Current Medications (if necessary, please fax a complete list) \_\_\_\_\_

Practice Name \_\_\_\_\_ Primary Contact \_\_\_\_\_ Tel \_\_\_\_\_  
Prescriber \_\_\_\_\_ NPI # \_\_\_\_\_ License # \_\_\_\_\_  
Practice Address \_\_\_\_\_ Suite# \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\* Please fax a copy of front and back of insurance card \*\***

Insured's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relation to Patient \_\_\_\_\_  
Eligible for Medicare ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes, Medicare# \_\_\_\_\_ Prescription Card ☐ Yes ☐ No If Yes, Carrier \_\_\_\_\_  
Tel \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_ Policy/Group# \_\_\_\_\_ ID# \_\_\_\_\_  
Bin# \_\_\_\_\_ Pcn# \_\_\_\_\_ RXID# \_\_\_\_\_ RX Group# \_\_\_\_\_

**ICD-10:** ☐ **N18.6** End Stage Renal Disease ☐ **T86.13** Kidney Transplant Infection ☐ **T86.810** Lung Transplant Rejection  
☐ **T86.10** Unspecified Complication of Kidney Transplant ☐ **T86.19** Other Complication of Kidney Transplant ☐ **T86.811** Lung Transplant Failure  
☐ **T86.11** Kidney Transplant Rejection ☐ **T86.819** Unspecified Complications of Lung Transplant ☐ **T86.812** Lung Transplant Infection  
☐ **T86.12** Kidney Transplant Failure ☐ **T86.81** Other Complications of Lung Transplant ☐ **Z94.2** Lung Transplant Status  
☐ **Other ICD-10** \_\_\_\_\_

BSA/M<sup>2</sup>: \_\_\_\_\_ Blood Type: \_\_\_\_\_ Medical History: ☐ Diabetes ☐ Hypertension ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
IGA Deficiency: ☐ Check box if patient requires low IGA product PRA Level: \_\_\_\_\_ (attach copy of results)  
Dialysis Type: \_\_\_\_\_ Dialysis Schedule: \_\_\_\_\_  
Previous Transplant History Dates: \_\_\_\_\_ Ship to Patient at ☐ Home ☐ Work ☐ Physician Office ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**PRESCRIPTION****PLEASE ATTACH CLEAR COPIES OF BOTH SIDES OF PATIENT'S INSURANCE CARDS****PHYSICIAN ORDERS - IVIG THERAPY** ☐ **NO IVIG REQUESTED**

Is this the first dose? ☐ ☐ If no: List product \_\_\_\_\_ Date of last infusion \_\_\_\_\_ Next dose due \_\_\_\_\_  
Dose based on ☐ Actual Body Weight\* ☐ Adjusted Body Weight\* ☐ Ideal Body Weight\* \*rounded to nearest 5 grams  
☐ Infuse IVIG \_\_\_\_\_ GMS **OR** \_\_\_\_\_ mg/kg IV over \_\_\_\_\_ hours or as tolerated.  
Dosage adjustments: ☐ Spilt all doses greater than \_\_\_\_\_ GMS  
☐ Maximum total dose \_\_\_\_\_ GMS ☐ per dose **OR** ☐ per month  
If not specified, will follow company policy for IVIG administration  
Frequency: \_\_\_\_\_ QTY: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Refills: \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Pharmacy to select IVIG Product ☐ Specific Brand desired, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**IVIG PRE-MED ORDERS** Pre-Medicate: 30 minutes prior

☐ **No IVIG Pre-Meds** ☐ Diphenhydramine \_\_\_\_\_ mg orally ☐ Acetaminophen \_\_\_\_\_ mg orally  
☐ Prednisone \_\_\_\_\_ mg orally ☐ Clonidine 0.1mg orally for BP > 160/95 and may repeat in one hour  
☐ Hydrocortisone \_\_\_\_\_ mg IV push ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**PHYSICIAN ORDERS - ACTEMRA (tocilizumab)** ☐ **NO ACTEMRA REQUESTED**

Is this the first dose? ☐ ☐ Date of last infusion \_\_\_\_\_ Next dose due \_\_\_\_\_  
Dose based on ☐ Actual Weight\* ☐ IBW\* \*dose rounded to nearest vial size  
☐ Infuse Actemra \_\_\_\_\_ mg **OR** ☐ \_\_\_\_\_ mg/kg in NS 100 ml IV over 60 minutes.  
Frequency: \_\_\_\_\_ QTY: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Refills: \_\_\_\_\_  
Actemra Pre-med Orders Pre-medicate: 30 minutes prior ☐ No Actemra Pre-meds  
☐ Diphenhydramine \_\_\_\_\_ mg orally ☐ Acetaminophen \_\_\_\_\_ mg orally ☐ Hydrocortisone \_\_\_\_\_ mg IV push ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**PHYSICIAN ORDERS - RITUXAN (rituximab)** ☐ **NO RITUXAN REQUESTED**

Is this the first dose? ☐ ☐ Date of last infusion \_\_\_\_\_ Next dose due \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Infuse Rituxan \_\_\_\_\_ mg in \_\_\_\_\_ ml NS IV over 4 hours or as tolerated.  
Frequency: \_\_\_\_\_ **OR** ☐ 5-7 days past 1<sup>st</sup> IV dose ☐ monthly QTY: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Refills: \_\_\_\_\_  
Pre-medicate: 30 minutes prior  
☐ Diphenhydramine \_\_\_\_\_ mg orally ☐ Acetaminophen \_\_\_\_\_ mg orally ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**PHYSICIAN ORDERS - THYMOGLOBULIN (ANTI-THYMOCYTE GLOBULIN)** ☐ **NO ANTI-THYMOCYTE GLOBULIN**

☐ Infuse Anti-Thymocyte Globulin \_\_\_\_\_ mg **OR** ☐ 2.5mg/kg\* IVPB over \_\_\_\_\_ hours **OR** ☐ over 4 hours as tolerated.  
☐ QTY: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Refills: \_\_\_\_\_ \*Based on IBW and rounded to nearest 2.5 mg  
Frequency: ☐ \_\_\_\_\_ **OR** ☐ Post-op day 1 is given in the hospital followed by home administration 1x daily on post-op days 3, 5, 7, and 9  
(Anti-Thymocyte Globulin to be diluted in D5W or Normal Saline to a final concentration of 0.5mg/ml)  
IV Access must be through a high flow vein. It is recommended to use a Midline/PICC or CVC.  
Line should be placed in hospital prior to discharge.

**ANTI-THYMOCYTE GLOBULIN (THYMOGLOBULIN) PRE-MED ORDERS**

Pre-Medicate: 30 minutes prior **Pre-Meds must be ordered for Anti-Thymocyte Globulin home administration**  
☐ Diphenhydramine \_\_\_\_\_ mg orally ☐ Acetaminophen \_\_\_\_\_ mg orally ☐ Prednisone \_\_\_\_\_ mg orally  
☐ Hydrocortisone \_\_\_\_\_ mg IV push ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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**PRESCRIPTION**
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**PHYSICIAN ORDERS - OTHER MEDICATIONS/THERAPIES**

Medication/Drug Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Strength: \_\_\_\_\_ Dose: \_\_\_\_\_  
Frequency: \_\_\_\_\_ Route of Administration: \_\_\_\_\_ Infusion Rate/Time: \_\_\_\_\_  
QTY: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Refills: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Pharmacy to select Product ☐ Specific Brand desired, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**PRE-MEDICATIONS** Pre-medication 30 minutes prior.

☐ Diphenhydramine (Benadryl) \_\_\_\_\_ mg orally ☐ Acetaminophen (Tylenol) \_\_\_\_\_ mg  
☐ Prednisone (Cortisone) \_\_\_\_\_ mg orally ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**ANAPHYLAXIS /FLUSH/SUPPLY ORDERS**
*Equipment (pole, pump) / Supplies (needles, syringes, tubing, etc.) will be provided as per therapy and administration requirements and appropriate disposal of infusion materials.*

IV Access: ☐ Peripheral ☐ Midline/PICC ☐ Port # of lumens: \_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_

**Catheter Maintenance:**
☐ Saline 0.9% Flush or D5W (determined by drug compatibility) 10ml syringe  
☐ Heparin Flush 10 units/ml - 5ml syringe ☐ Heparin Flush 100 units/ml - 5ml syringe

**Flush Orders:** Flush with Saline 0.9% or D5W 5-10ml prior to and after each dose of medication and PRN to check catheter patency.

For post lab work flush with 20ml saline 0.9%. Follow with Heparin 5 ml PRN for catheter maintenance (if required based on catheter type or if IV is left in place for subsequent infusion).

IV Access: ☐ Pheresis Catheter (when no other viable access is available).

Blue lumen used for administration of IVIG and/or Anti-Thymocyte Globulin. Red lumen used for lab work.

**Flush Orders for Pheresis Catheter:**
☐ Withdraw 6ml of Heparinized solution from Pheresis catheter prior to flush or lab draw, discard Heparinized solution.  
☐ Saline 0.9% Flush 10ml or D5W (determined by IVIG compatibility) pre and post infusion, for post lab work flush with 20ml saline 0.9%  
☐ Instill Heparin 1,000 units/ml \_\_\_\_\_ ml (equal to volume of lumen of catheter i.e.: 2ml)

**Anaphylaxis Kit:** ☐ Adult ☐ Pediatric (Diphenhydramine Injection 25mg/ml-2ml vial #2, Diphenhydramine 25mg capsules #2, Epinephrine 1mg/ml-1ml ampule #1) QTY: 2 Refills: \_\_\_\_\_

**Anaphylaxis Orders:** kit to be maintained in the home, monitored for expiration and replaced as needed.

1. Stop infusion
2. Call 911 and prescribing physician
3. Administer medications below as per protocol
4. Call BioMatrix

**Medications:**
**Adults & children >66 lbs (30kg)** ☐ Diphenhydramine 50mg orally, IM, or IV as needed for mild - severe allergic reaction  
☐ Epinephrine 0.3mg/0.3ml IM or subcutaneously as needed for severe allergic reaction  
**Children ≤ 66lbs (30kg)** ☐ Diphenhydramine 1.25mg/kg orally, IM, or IV as needed for mild - severe allergic reaction  
☐ Epinephrine 0.15mg/0.15ml IM or subcutaneously as needed for severe allergic reaction

**POST INFUSION ORDERS**
☐ Acetaminophen \_\_\_\_\_ mg orally every 4-6 hours PRN fever/headache  
☐ Diphenhydramine \_\_\_\_\_ mg orally every 4-6 hours PRN itching/rash/site reaction  
☐ Other: Medication/Drug Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Strength: \_\_\_\_\_ Dose: \_\_\_\_\_  
Frequency: \_\_\_\_\_ Route of Administration: \_\_\_\_\_

**LAB WORK ORDERS**
☐ No lab work

☐ CBC with diff ☐ ☐ BUN ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_ Frequency: \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ PRA Level ☐ Frequency: \_\_\_\_\_ or ☐ Prior to 1<sup>st</sup> IVIG dose ☐ monthly  
☐ DSA Level ☐ Frequency: \_\_\_\_\_ or ☐ drawn prior to 1<sup>st</sup> dose in the 6th month of treatment  
☐ Lab Draw Flushing protocol: 5ml Saline pre blood draw, 20ml Saline post blood drawn, 5ml Heparin 100 unit/ml  
☐ Additional Labs: \_\_\_\_\_ Frequency: \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Hold infusion(s) if: ☐ Hgb less than \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Platelets less than \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ WBC less than \_\_\_\_\_

**NURSING ORDERS**
☐ Skilled nurse (SN) to provide care to complete therapy  
☐ SN to provide education regarding: medication, disease state, signs and symptoms of complication/adverse drug reactions, infection control, safety, 24 hour on call availability, and emergency preparedness  
☐ SN to place or access and maintain IV access according to INS standards and de-access or D/C when appropriate at completion of therapy. If port, PICC line or central line is occluded patient may be accessed via peripheral line  
☐ IV Access: ☐ Peripheral ☐ Midline/PICC ☐ Port # of lumens \_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ Baseline Vital Signs: BP, HR, Temp prior to infusion, every 15 minutes x 1<sup>st</sup> hour and each subsequent hour until completion of therapy  
☐ SN to administer drug(s) as per physician's orders stated above  
☐ SN can infuse via gravity if needed  
☐ Observe for response to therapy  
☐ Hold infusion if: ☐ BP systolic above 180 mm Hg or \_\_\_\_\_ mm Hg or ☐ BP diastolic above 105 mm Hg or \_\_\_\_\_ mm Hg  
☐ Nursing visit frequency: to cover number of days from frequency stated in physician orders above plus any lab draw days and PRN therapy related complications, catheter maintenance (dressing changes, access, etc.)

**PLEASE INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING**
☐ Lab results (attach copy of most recent results) ☐ Complete Patient History, reconciled medication list, and most recent clinical visit notes

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