



**New Hampshire Medicaid –Managed Care Organization (MCO)
Community Mental Health Center
Prior Authorization/Mental Health Drug Approval Form**

DATE OF MEDICATION REQUEST: / /

SECTION I: PATIENT INFORMATION AND MEDICATION REQUESTED **ALL INFORMATION MUST BE COMPLETED**

LAST NAME: _____ FIRST NAME: _____

MEMBER ID NUMBER: _____ DATE OF BIRTH: - -

GENDER: Male Female

Medical Diagnosis

Drug Name _____ Strength _____

Dosing Directions _____ Length of Therapy _____

Is this request for initial or continuing therapy? If continuing therapy, provide treatment start date. Start Date _____

SECTION II: PRESCRIBER INFORMATION **ALL INFORMATION MUST BE COMPLETED**

LAST NAME: _____ FIRST NAME: _____

SPECIALTY: _____ NPI NUMBER: _____

PHONE NUMBER: _____ FAX NUMBER: _____

SECTION III: MEDICAL HISTORY **AN EXPLANATION MUST BE PROVIDED FOR EACH BOX CHECKED IN ORDER TO BE PROCESSED**

CHAPTER 188 OF THE LAWS OF 2004 REQUIRES THAT MEDICAID ONLY COVER NON-PREFERRED DRUGS UPON A FINDING OF MEDICAL NECESSITY BY THE PRESCRIBING PHYSICIAN. CHAPTER 188 REQUIRES THAT YOU BASE YOUR DETERMINATION OF MEDICAL NECESSITY ON THE FOLLOWING CRITERIA.

Allergic reaction Drug-to-drug interaction Please describe reaction: _____

Previous episode of an unacceptable side effect or therapeutic failure. Please provide clinical information: _____

Clinical contraindication, co-morbidity, or unique patient circumstance as a contraindication to a preferred drug. Please provide clinical information: _____

Age specific indications. Please provide patient age and explain: _____

Unique clinical indication supported by FDA approval or peer reviewed literature. Please explain and provide a reference: _____

Unacceptable clinical risk associated with therapeutic change. *Additional information required:*

- Client is under a Conditional Discharge or Outpatient Treatment Order and is psychiatrically stable on this medication.
- Client discharged from inpatient psychiatric unit within the past 30 days and is psychiatrically stable on this medication.
- Other. Please explain: _____

Please attach or provide any pertinent medical information that should be considered. _____

I certify that the information provided is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and I understand that any falsification, omission, or concealment of material fact may subject me to civil or criminal liability.

PRESCRIBER'S SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____