

**XIFAXAN (rifaximin) PRIOR AUTHORIZATION FORM** (form effective 01/03/2022)

Prior authorization guidelines for **Antibiotics, GI and Related Agents** and **Quantity Limits/Daily Dose Limits** are available on Geisinger Health Plan's website at <https://healthplan.geisinger.org/pharmacy/pharmacy.aspx?strip=true&style=OneGeisinger>

<input type="checkbox"/> New request	<input type="checkbox"/> Renewal request	# of pages: _____	Prescriber name:	
Name of office contact:			Specialty:	
Contact's phone number:		NPI:	State license #:	
LTC facility contact/phone:		Street address:		
Beneficiary name:		Suite #:	City/State/Zip:	
Beneficiary ID#:	DOB:	Phone:	Fax:	

**CLINICAL INFORMATION**

Drug requested: Xifaxan tablet	Strength: <input type="checkbox"/> 200 mg <input type="checkbox"/> 550 mg <input type="checkbox"/> _____	Quantity:	Refills:
Dose/directions: <input type="checkbox"/> 200 mg three times daily x 3 days <input type="checkbox"/> 550 mg three times daily x 14 days <input type="checkbox"/> 550 mg twice daily <input type="checkbox"/> other: _____			
Diagnosis (submit documentation):		Dx code (required):	

**INITIAL requests - complete questions applicable to beneficiary's diagnosis**

<b>Hepatic encephalopathy:</b> Does the beneficiary have a history of trial and failure, contraindication, or intolerance of lactulose?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Submit documentation.
<b>Travelers' diarrhea:</b> Does the beneficiary have a history of trial and failure, contraindication, or intolerance of azithromycin (Zithromax)?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Submit documentation of all medications tried and outcomes.
<b>Irritable bowel syndrome with diarrhea (IBS-D):</b> Is Xifaxan being prescribed by or in consultation with a gastroenterologist?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Submit documentation of consultation, if applicable.
<b>IBS-D:</b> Did the beneficiary try and fail a low FODMAP diet?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Submit documentation of dietary changes tried and outcomes.

**RENEWAL requests - complete questions applicable to beneficiary's diagnosis**

<b>Irritable bowel syndrome with diarrhea (IBS-D):</b> Was the beneficiary's previous treatment course with Xifaxan successful?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Submit documentation of clinical response.
<b>IBS-D:</b> Have the beneficiary's symptoms of IBS-D recurred since the previous treatment course?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Submit documentation.
<b>IBS-D:</b> How many treatment courses of Xifaxan has the beneficiary had? Submit documentation.	<input type="checkbox"/> one <input type="checkbox"/> two <input type="checkbox"/> other: _____	

Please submit to PromptPA <https://ghp.promptpa.com> OR fax to Geisinger Health Plan at 570-271-5610 the completed form with required clinical documentation.

Prescriber Signature:	Date:
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