



A *Guide* to Preparing for a Peer-to-Peer Payer Discussion

Due to the rarity of both indicated diseases, it may be beneficial to contact your patient's health plan to request a peer-to-peer discussion. This is an opportunity for you to explain to a medical peer who reviews cases for payers why you believe the payer should cover Gamifant® (emapalumab-lzsg) for this patient. During the peer-to-peer discussion, you, as the prescribing physician, can explain the disease, the patient's medical history and condition, and your rationale for prescribing Gamifant.

A peer-to-peer discussion can also occur if a health plan denies a prior authorization and can assist the health plan in better understanding the treatment choice.

INFORMATION THAT MAY BE INCLUDED

- Summarize your patient's clinical status, citing diagnostic criteria as evidence of both indicated diseases, and include baseline exam results, pertinent lab values, hospitalization notes, and genetic testing results (if available).
- Other test results related to both indicated diseases
- Explain why, in your opinion, Gamifant is the appropriate choice for your patient.
 - Provide any clinical validation supporting Gamifant treatment and cite any relevant literature.
 - State any patient-specific reasons for selecting Gamifant, such as the expected effect of treatment.
 - Review the criteria listed in the health plan's medical policy (if available) and designate the specific criteria your patient meets. For any unmet criteria, explain why the patient should be exempted from meeting those criteria.

YOU MAY CHOOSE TO SUBMIT ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTATION SUPPORTING YOUR DECISION TO STRENGTHEN YOUR REQUEST, SUCH AS

- General medical history, comorbidities, medication history, and any other relevant patient information
- Letters from other healthcare professionals (such as geneticists, rheumatologists, or hematologists) supporting your choice of Gamifant
- Relevant clinical information regarding your treatment choice, such as the product's Prescribing Information
- A Patient Appeal Letter. Refer your patients to the **Patient Appeal Letter** as a guide.



After the peer-to-peer discussion, it is important to follow up with the payer regarding their decision or for the payer to provide a list of additional information that may be required.