

## Supporting Information for Step Therapy Exception Request

Pursuant to [§38.2-3407.9:05](#) Virginia State Code

Determination required within:

- 24 hours (urgent)
- 72 hours

Pursuant to [§38.2-3407.9:05](#) Virginia State Code, the patient qualifies for an exception to the step therapy protocol because any **one** of the following conditions has been met:

- The required prescription drug is contraindicated.
- The required drug would be ineffective.
- The patient previously discontinued taking the drug due to ineffectiveness, diminished effect, or an adverse event.
- The patient is currently receiving a positive therapeutic outcome on a drug other than the required drug while under their current or immediately preceding health plan.

### Rationale for Request

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Signature:

Date:

**Attn: State Corporation Commission**

Contact: <https://www.scc.virginia.gov/pages/Contact-Us> / Complaint:

<https://www.scc.virginia.gov/pages/File-Complaint-Consumers>