

**Date:** [Date]

**TO:** [Insurance Company Name]

**ATTN:** [Appeals/Medical Review Department]

**FAX:** [Insurance Fax Number]

**RE:** [Patient Name]

**DOB:** [Patient Date of Birth]

**Member ID:** [Member ID Number]

**Group Number:** [Group Number]

**Case Number:** [Case Reference Number, if applicable]

Dear Medical Director,

I am writing to request authorization and provide a Letter of Medical Necessity for [**Name of Biologic Medication**] for the treatment of my patient, [**Patient Name**], who has been diagnosed with moderate-to-severe Crohn's Disease (ICD-10: K50.x).

**Clinical History and Diagnosis:**

The patient was diagnosed with Crohn's Disease on [Date of Diagnosis]. The disease is currently located in the [Location, e.g., terminal ileum/colon] and is characterized by [Symptoms, e.g., chronic diarrhea, abdominal pain, weight loss, fistulas]. Recent [Endoscopy/Imaging] performed on [Date] showed [Findings, e.g., deep ulcerations, strictures].

**Previous Therapies Attempted:**

The patient has failed the following treatments or has contraindications to them:

- [Drug Name, e.g., Mesalamine]: [Dates/Duration] - Reason for failure: [Inadequate response/Intolerance]
- [Drug Name, e.g., Azathioprine]: [Dates/Duration] - Reason for failure: [Side effects/Lack of efficacy]
- [Drug Name, e.g., Corticosteroids]: [Dates/Duration] - Reason for failure: [Steroid dependency/Refractory]
- [Previous Biologics, if any]: [Dates/Duration] - Reason for failure: [Primary non-response/Secondary loss of response]

**Rationale for Treatment:**

Based on the patient's disease severity and history of failed conventional therapies, [**Name of Biologic Medication**] is medically necessary to achieve clinical remission, prevent bowel damage, and avoid surgical intervention. [Add any specific trial data or patient-specific factors such as extraintestinal manifestations].

I request that you approve coverage for [**Name of Biologic Medication**] at a dose of [Dose and Frequency]. Please contact my office at [Phone Number] if further information is required.

Sincerely,

[Physician Name, MD/DO]  
[Gastroenterology Practice Name]  
[NPI Number]  
[Phone Number]