

## Tocilizumab (Actemra) Treatment Plan

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

Height (cm): \_\_\_\_\_ Weight (kg): \_\_\_\_\_ Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Diagnosis (select one and complete the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> digits to complete the ICD-10 code):**

- ☐ M05.\_\_\_\_ Rheumatoid Arthritis with Rheumatoid factor
- ☐ M06.\_\_\_\_ Rheumatoid Arthritis without Rheumatoid factor
- ☐ Other: ICD 10 Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Diagnosis Description: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Pre-Medications:** \*\*administered 30 minutes prior to infusion\*\*

- ☐ None
- ☐ Acetaminophen 650 mg PO
- ☐ Diphenhydramine: Dose: ☐ 25 mg ☐ 50 mg Route: ☐ PO or ☐ IVP
- ☐ Methylprednisolone: Dose: ☐ 40 mg or ☐ 125 Route: IVP
- ☐ Famotidine: Dose: 20 mg Route: ☐ PO or ☐ IVPB
- ☐ Other (include drug, dose, and route): \_\_\_\_\_

### **Drug Orders:**

- Tocilizumab (Actemra) (J3262) per 100 mL Sodium Chloride 0.9% IV to infuse over 1 hour
  - ☐ Induction: 4 mg/kg and then maintenance dose of ☐ 4 mg/kg or ☐ 8 mg/kg every 4 weeks
  - ☐ Maintenance: ☐ 4 mg/kg or ☐ 8 mg/kg every 4 weeks
- Order Duration: Six months unless otherwise specified (Other: \_\_\_\_\_)

**Lab Orders:** \*\*Selected labs are drawn with first dose and then every 12 weeks thereafter. Standard parameters listed on following page\*\*

- ☐ CBC w/ Diff
- ☐ CMP
- ☐ LFTs
- ☐ Cholesterol level

### **Standing Orders:**

- Infusion Reaction Protocol (CPOE-1396) will be activated if any hypersensitivity reaction occurs, including anaphylaxis. Infusion will be stopped and physician notified.

Physician Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Physician Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Pre-Screening Requirements:**

- Provide TB screening results (PPD or QuantiFERON Gold Test) prior to start of therapy and within last 12 months
- Provide Hepatitis screening (Hepatitis B Surface Antigen) prior to start of therapy and within last 12 months
- Lab results (CBC w/ Diff, LFTs, Cholesterol) within last 30-60 days if available. If not provided, they will be drawn prior to treatment as ordered by physician

**Lab Parameters:**

- If ANC= 500-1000 cells/mm<sup>3</sup>, interrupt tocilizumab dosing and have patient return in 4 weeks. Tocilizumab may be resumed at 4 mg/kg when ANC > 1000 cells/mm<sup>3</sup>. May increase to 8 mg/kg as clinically appropriate. If ANC < 500 cells/mm<sup>3</sup>, discontinue tocilizumab and notify physician.
- If Platelet count= 50,000-100,000 cells/mm<sup>3</sup>, interrupt tocilizumab dosing and have patient return in 4 weeks. Tocilizumab may be resumed at 4 mg/kg when Platelet count > 100,000 cells/mm<sup>3</sup>. May increase to 8 mg/kg as clinically appropriate. If Platelet count < 50,000 cells/mm<sup>3</sup>, discontinue tocilizumab and notify physician.
- If liver enzymes are > 3-5 x upper limit normal, hold tocilizumab and notify physician.
- If Cholesterol level is elevated, notify physician for monitoring.

**Previous Therapies:**

- For new patient referrals, please send history and physical and most recent physician note with completed plan
- If patient has previously received tocilizumab at another facility, please provide last date received: \_\_\_\_\_
- If patient has previously received another biologic therapy, please provide the name: \_\_\_\_\_ and the last date received: \_\_\_\_\_

**Insurance/Authorization Information:**

Insurance Type: \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance Authorization Reference Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Obtained: \_\_\_\_\_ Authorization Valid Until: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Notes: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax completed Treatment Plan with authorization information to McLeod Infusion Services at the number below or call with any questions.

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