

Hong Kong Arthritis & Rheumatism Foundation (HKARF)
Patient Support Fund / Expensive Drug Support Scheme
Doctor / Therapist's / Rheumatology Nurse Recommendation

To be completed by the doctor-in-charge / therapist-in-charge

Name of the Patient: _____

HKID No.: _____

Age: _____

or place a sticker with particulars of
patient here

Has the patient been referred to Samaritan Fund?

☐ **Yes: The patient is not entitled to apply for Patient's Support Fund / Expensive Drug Support Scheme.**

☐ **No: Please indicate which of the following scheme the patient is going to apply for.**

1. ☐ **Expensive Drug Support Scheme** (Only restricted to the below medications)

☐ Upadacitinib (RINVOQ®)

☐ Etanercept (Enbrel®)

☐ Adalimumab (Humira®)

☐ Golimumab (Simponi®)

☐ Tofacitinib (Xeljanz®)

☐ Certolizumab (Cimzia®)

☐ Ixekizumab (Taltz®)

OR

2. ☐ **Patient Support Fund**

☐ Drugs

☐ Rehabilitation Aids

☐ Home Modifications

I certify that the drugs/ rehabilitation aids/ home modifications below can improve the health / quality of life of the patient concerned but the patient has to bear the expenses. Thus, I refer him/her to Hong Kong Arthritis & Rheumatism Foundation to get the support.

1. Diagnosis: _____

2. Drugs/ rehabilitation aids/ home modifications required:

3. Other remarks: _____

4. Whether patient has been recruited into clinical studies related to the medications? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Name of referring doctor / therapist /

rheumatology nurse: _____

Post: _____

Department of: _____

Hospital: _____

Fax No.: _____

Email: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

If the referring doctor is a non-specialist resident, this application form should be countersigned by a specialist rheumatology doctor / specialist rheumatology nurse

Name of specialist: _____

Post: _____

Department of: _____

Hospital: _____

Fax No.: _____

Email: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

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