

October 18, 2019

Dear Dr. Provider

As of Wednesday Oct 30<sup>th</sup> 2019, Remicade (infliximab)has been therapeutically interchanged to Inflectra (infliximab-dyyb) as TNF alpha blocking agent of choice at Tuality/ OHSU. The main reason behind this change is that Inflectra® has proven to be as safe and efficacious as Remicade® but is available at a lower cost.

If you wish to order Infliximab please access the Inflectra (infliximab-dyyb) infusion plan on our website.

A Remicade authorization override can be requested by contacting the Tuality infusion pharmacy if your patient meets one of these criterias:

- Your patient is on a medication patient assistance program
- Your patient's insurance denied a prior authorization for Inflectra (infliximab –dyyb)

Please let us know if you have any questions regarding the process. Thank you for your support and care of our patients.

Sincerely,

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