UTAH MEDICAID PHARMACY PRIOR AUTHORIZATION REQUEST FORM Samsca (tolvaptan)

Member and Medication Information * indicates required field *Member ID: *Member Name: *DOB: *Weight: Medication Name/Strength: Do Not Substitute. Authorizations will be processed for the preferred Generic/Brand equivalent unless specified. *Directions for use: **Provider Information** * indicates required field Requesting Provider Name: *NPI: *Address: *Contact Person: *Phone #: *Fax #: Email: Fax form and relevant documentation including: laboratory results, chart notes and/or updated provider letter to Pharmacy PA at **855-828-4992**, to prevent processing delays.

Samsca Criteria for Approval (ALL criteria must be met):

- □ Treatment of clinically significant hypervolemic and euvolemic hyponatremia
- Dose limited to 60mg daily and to 30 days duration.
- Documentation that therapy was initiated in the hospital.
- □ Documentation that serum sodium ≤ 125mEq/L. **OR**
- Documentation that hyponatremia is symptomatic if serum sodium > 125mEq/L AND documented failure of other treatment strategies including but not limited to:
 - o Fluid restriction
 - o Salt administration (for euvolemic hyponatremia only)
- Evidence is required that the underlying disease state causing the hyponatremia is being adequately treated.

Re-authorization Criteria:

Updated letter with medical justification or updated chart notes demonstrating positive clinical response.

Samsca only: Authorization up to one (1) month

PROVIDER CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify this treatment is indicated, necessary and meets the guidelines for use.

Prescriber's Signature

Date