

# OnabotulinumtoxinA for Prevention of Chronic Migraine

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Please fax completed form, along with any supportive medical documentation to: 360-902-9170.

Claim Number	Injured Worker's Name
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## Section 1

Billing code(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Estimated date of procedure: \_\_\_\_\_

Is this the initial request? ☐ Yes — Go to Section 2 ☐ No — Go to Section 3

L&I covers a maximum of five (5) treatment cycles for chronic migraine. The International Headache Society's diagnostic criteria for chronic migraine is headache on  $\geq 15$  days per month for  $> 3$  months, which has the features of migraine headache  $\geq 8$  days per month. See coverage decision ([OnabotulinumtoxinA for Chronic Migraine](#)) for additional information.

## Section 2

Criteria for initial course (all of the following must be met):

Is the migraine diagnosis causally related to the industrial injury or occupational disease? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Has the worker kept a daily headache diary for  $\geq 3$  months? Submit a copy of the diary. ☐ Yes ☐ No

Does the worker meet the International Headache Society's diagnostic criteria for chronic migraine (see box above for criteria)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Has the worker tried  $\geq 3$  prophylaxis drugs from  $\geq 2$  different classes? ☐ Yes ☐ No

### Anticonvulsants

divalproex sodium  
topiramate

### Antidepressants

amitriptyline  
venlafaxine

### Beta-blockers

metoprolol  
propranolol  
timolol

If "Yes", specify:

Drug #1:	Date:	Outcome:
Drug #2:	Date:	Outcome:
Drug #3:	Date:	Outcome:

Is drug therapy being managed to avoid medication overuse headaches (no routine use of analgesics)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

## Section 3

Criteria for additional courses (all of the following must be met):

Were previous botulinum toxin injections well-tolerated (no severe adverse outcomes)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Did previous botulinum toxin injections result in  $\geq 50\%$  reduction in headache days per month? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If "Yes", submit a copy of headache diary with this form.

## Section 4

Prescriber Name	Prescriber Number
Signature	Date