



Consent for Treatment with SUBLOCADE®

Buprenorphine is a medication used to treat opioid use disorder. It is an opioid that reduces cravings and withdrawal symptoms and blocks the effects of stronger and more dangerous opioids to reduce overdose risk. Buprenorphine can be taken as a daily pill or film or as a subcutaneous (under the skin) injection. This consent form is about the monthly shot called SUBLOCADE®.

Buprenorphine can be used for withdrawal management or maintenance therapy. Opioid use disorder is a chronic condition, and maintenance therapy with buprenorphine can continue as long as medically necessary. Longer engagement in treatment is associated with better patient outcomes. It is recommended that buprenorphine treatment lasts for at least six (6) months.

SUBLOCADE® is an extended-release form of buprenorphine. SUBLOCADE® is administered every 28 days into the abdomen. It comes in two (2) different doses: 300mg and 100mg. The recommended dosing for the first two injections is 300mg. After the first two injections, the dose may be decreased to 100mg or can be continued at 300mg. Your clinical team will work with you to determine the most appropriate dose for you.

The patient information you need to know about SUBLOCADE® and its side effects is attached. We will review that material with you before we ask you to sign this form for treatment.

I have read this form and the patient medication form or had them read to me. I understand what they say. I was given the opportunity to ask questions. All of my questions were answered. I believe I have enough information to consent to the SUBLOCADE® shot. By signing this form, I authorize my clinical team to perform subcutaneous injections of SUBLOCADE® in the abdomen as medically appropriate.

Patient Signature Date

Provider Signature Date

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