



## DERMATOLOGY

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### ACCUTANE INFORMATION SHEET

#### ALL PATIENTS:

The dispense of this medication is highly regulated by a national system called Ipledge/REMS program. **Attention: Ipledge is not related to your Dermatology practice in ANY way. This is a national system everyone MUST comply with to be able to fill Accutane prescriptions successfully.**

1. Make sure all items on your consent are accurate. Once consented, our office will register you in ipledge system and you will be given an individual ipledge number.
2. You will receive your individual IPLEDGE LOGIN directly from ipledge via the method of communication you marked as preferred on your consent. (this is NOT shared with our office and unique to each patient, please make sure you save this login information). **Please call ipledge at # 1-866-495-0654 for any issues with your account**
3. Ipledge/REMS REQUIRES all patients to have Dermatologist appointment (in person or virtual) every 30 days as NO refills are allowed on any Accutane prescriptions. You MUST keep your monthly appointments to avoid running out of medication. FEMALES will also be required to have in office pregnancy tests every month.
4. Failure to show up for monthly appointments, have labs drawn on time, or miss pregnancy tests will result in ipledge locking your account. Once your account is locked, you may be required to wait an additional 31 days after your most recent visit to resume Accutane.

**FEMALE OF CHILDBEARING AGE:** Every month, you will be required to log into your ipledge account and answer the questions. You must remember and notate your methods of birth control exactly **as you have indicated on your consent form**, otherwise ipledge will lock your account. This is to ensure you are aware not to get pregnant and using consistent methods to prevent pregnancy. You have a **7-day window** after your visit to complete your questionnaire. If you fail to complete your questionnaire within the allotted time, you have missed your window and will be locked out of IPLEDGE. You will have to wait **31 days** to receive your prescription.

**Once your script is prescribed to pharmacy AND your personal questionnaire confirmed in ipledge (FEMALES) AND your MD note confirmed in ipledge, the RX will be released. You will have 7 days to fill your script or it will expire.**

**Please follow the instructions above exactly and carefully to avoid delays in your Rx**

#### **FAQ**

**Will I have to get Labs drawn?** Yes. Labs are ordered after each visit with the doctor and must be completed before the prescription is sent. They are electronically ordered to either Labcorp or Quest, and you may present to any location with your information. The lab will already have the electronic order already and when completed will fax us your results directly. The doctor MUST view results before refilling, therefore make sure this is performed no later than 2 days after your order.

**Will I get a pregnancy test each month?** Yes. Pregnancy tests are administered in the office for all females of childbearing age or accepted via virtual visits. Negative results are required before continuing.

**Do I have to answer the comprehension questions each month?** Yes. IPLEDGE will not allow a pharmacy to dispense your prescription until your questions are answered correctly by you every month.