### Immunosuppressant MEDICATION GUIDE

Common meds: Daclizumab, Zenapax.

Read this Medication Guide before you start taking this drug and each time you get a refill. There may be new information. This Medication Guide does not take the place of talking to your healthcare provider about your medical condition or treatment. You and your healthcare provider should talk about this drug when you start taking it and at regular checkups.

#### What is this drug?

This drug is an immunosuppressant which acts to decrease the body's immune response; this drug has many medical uses.

### What is the most important information I should know about this drug?

- This drug has some serious side effects; talk to your Healthcare provider regarding the risks and benefits of this drug.
- This drug can cause an increased risk of infection; contact your Dr if you develop signs of an infection like fever, chills, sore throat, coughing, congestion, burning or difficult urination or redness, pain or swelling on a skin wound.
- Tell your healthcare provider about all the medicines you take including prescription and non-prescription medicines, vitamins, and herbal supplements.

#### How is this drug given?

• It is given in the vein usually in a hospital or clinic.

# What should I avoid while taking this drug?

- Avoid contact with people who are sick with a cold, flu or other infections.
- Check with your Healthcare provider before taking vaccines while on this drug.

# General Information on most drugs.

Medicines are sometimes prescribed for purposes not mentioned in a Medication Guide. Do not use this drug for a condition for which it was not prescribed. Do not give this drug to other people, even if they have the same condition. It may harm them.