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Pharmacy Announcement

Preferred Drug List (PDL) Changes Effective January 1, 2016

On September 24, 2015, the Pharmacy and Therapeutics (P&T) Committee of the Nevada Department of Health and Human Services' Division of Health Care Financing and Policy met to review new and existing therapeutic drug classes on the Nevada Medicaid Preferred Drug List (PDL).

The actions taken by the committee are indicated below. All changes are effective January 1, 2016. The complete PDL is posted on the "[Preferred Drug List](#)" webpage.

Drug Class	Drugs Added as Preferred	Drugs Added as Non-Preferred
Analgesics: Analgesic/Miscellaneous: Neuropathic Pain/Fibromyalgia Agents	DULOXETINE	CYMBALTA®
Analgesics: Opiate Agonists – Abuse Deterrent (NEW)	EMBEDA®	HYSINGLA ER® OXYCONTIN®
Biologic Response Modifiers: Immunomodulators: Disease- Modifying Antirheumatic Agents		COSENTYX®
Biologic Response Modifiers: Multiple Sclerosis Agents – Injectable		GLATOPA® LEMTRADA® PLEGRIDY®
Biologic Response Modifiers: Multiple Sclerosis Agents – Oral		GILENYA®
Cardiovascular Agents: Antihypertensive Agents: Beta- Blockers		SOTYLIZE®
Cardiovascular Agents: Antihypertensive Agents: Vasodilators – Oral	ORENITRAM®	ADCIRCA®
Cardiovascular Agents: Antilipemics: Omega-3 Fatty Acids (NEW)	LOVAZA® VASCEPA®	OMEGA-3-ACID OMTRYG®
Dermatological Agents: Topical Antiinfectives: Topical Antifungals (onychomycosis)		JUBLIA® KERYDIN® PENLAC® ITRACONAZOLE
Electrolytic and Renal Agents: Phosphate Binding Agents		AURYXIA®

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Gastrointestinal Agents: Antiemetics: Miscellaneous (NEW)	DICLEGIS®, EMEND®	
Hematological Agents: Anticoagulants: Oral		SAVAYSA®
Hormones and Hormone Modifiers: Androgens		NATESTO®
Hormones and Hormone Modifiers: Antidiabetic Agents: Insulins (Vials, Pens and Inhaled)		AFREZZA® HUMALOG® U-200 TOUJEO SOLO® 300 IU/ML
Hormones and Hormone Modifiers: Antidiabetic Agents: Sodium-Glucose Co-Transporter 2 (SGLT2) Inhibitors	INVOKAMET® XIGDUO XR®	GLYXAMBI® SYNJARDY®
Neurological Agents: Anti- Migraine Agents: Serotonin- Receptor Agonists	RIZATRIPTAN ODT	ZECUITY® TRANSDERMAL ZOMIG® ZMT
Psychotropic Agents: ADHD Agents	ADDERALL XR® PROCENTRA®	AMPHETAMINE SALT COMBO XR DEXTROAMPHETAMINE SOLUTION
Psychotropic Agents: Anxiolytics, Sedatives, and Hypnotics		BELSOMRA® ESZOPICLONE HETLIOZ®
Psychotropic Agents: Psychostimulants: Narcolepsy Agents (NEW)	PROVIGIL®	MODAFINIL NUVIGIL® XYREM®
Respiratory Agents: Respiratory Antiinflammatory Agents: Respiratory Corticosteroids	AEROSPAN HFA®	PULMICORT RESPULES®*
Respiratory Agents: Respiratory Long-Acting Antimuscarinic/Long-Acting Beta-Agonist Combinations (NEW)	ANORO ELLIPTA® STIOLTO RESPIMAT®	
Toxicology Agents: Substance Abuse Agents: Mixed Opiate Agonists/Antagonists	ZUBSOLV®	