

Pharmacy Department UPDATES December 2021

Medi-Cal Rx-Pharmacy Carve-Out to FFS

Effective January 1, 2022, all prescriptions for Partnership HealthPlan of California (PHC) members must be submitted to Medi-Cal's contracted administrator Magellan Medicaid Inc. BIN Number 022659; PCN 6334225; Group ID MediCalRx; Pharmacies can submit member's Cardholder Identification Number (CIN) or Benefit Identification Card (BIC). MedImpact will no longer process pharmacy claims for PHC members beginning January 1, 2022.

Pharmacies can access the Medi-Cal Rx Payer Sheet with the following link: https://medi-calrx.dhcs.ca.gov/provider/forms/

Medi-Cal Rx Resources: Please use the links below to access important information and resources for Medi-Cal Rx

Medi-Cal Rx homepage-https://medi-calrx.dhcs.ca.gov/home/

Medi-Cal Rx Reference Materials-https://medi-calrx.dhcs.ca.gov/provider/forms/

Medi-Cal Rx Contract Drug List-https://medi-calrx.dhcs.ca.gov/home/cdl/

Medi-Cal Drug Utilization Review (DUR) Educational Articles:

The purpose of this educational intervention component of DUR is to improve the quality and cost-effectiveness of prescribing and dispensing practices for Medi-Cal recipients. Educational interventions include ongoing dissemination of information through the Medi-Cal provider bulletin process about clinically important, drug-specific therapy problems.

You can use the links below to view the Medi-Cal DUR education bulletin and previous education articles.

https://files.medi-cal.ca.gov/pubsdoco/dur/edarticles.aspx

September 2021 2021 Immunization Updates: COVID-19, Influenza, and Meningococcal Disease

September 2021 Drug Safety Communication: Voluntary Recall of Varenicline (Chantix) Due to Nitrosamine

Important Links:

PHC Formulary Search Tool:

https://client.formularynavigator.com/Search.aspx?siteTestID=1196

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