



New Hampshire Fee-For-Service Medicaid Pharmacy Program

TO: New Hampshire Medicaid Providers

FROM: New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services/ Magellan Rx

Management

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SUBJECT: NH Medicaid Carve Out Drug Update

Pharmacy Billing Changes Effective 1/1/2024:

All **pharmacy** claims for the following drugs should be billed at POS through FFS for ALL Medicaid members.

New:	Continue:
Crysvita® Gattex® Procysbi® Vijoice™	Carbaglu [®] carglumic acid Ravicti [®] All Hemophilia factor products.

Gene therapies that qualify for medical claims processing and handling should follow the instructions provided by each MCO.

Emergency Drug Coverage

Pharmacies are reminded that federal statute requires Medicaid programs (Fee-for-Service and managed care) provide payment for dispensing of at least a 72-hour supply for any drugs requiring prior authorizations if prior authorization cannot be obtained outside of Medicaid business hours. (Section 1927 of the Social Security Act. Codified as Section 1396r-8 of Title 42.(d)(5) (B))

Pharmacies must request payment for the 72-hour supply from the client's prescription plan, either Fee-For-Service or the appropriate Medicaid MCO.





Pharmacy Co-payment

Medicaid providers are not permitted to require Medicaid recipients to pay copayments as a condition for receiving services. However, the consequences for a recipient who does not pay the copayment is that the provider:

- (a) may request the copayment each time a recipient needs an item or service;
- (b) may ask a recipient for outstanding copayments the next time the recipient comes in for an item or service, or
- (c) may send the recipient bills.

New Hampshire Medicaid Web Portal

Prescribers and pharmacies have access to NH FFS Medicaid drug specific data including coverage, prior authorization required, preferred drugs, quantity limits, dose optimization and the pharmacy provider manual. You can access this information at nh.magellanrx.com.

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