



**** Fee-For-Service Pharmacy Provider Notice #244 – Brand/Generic Switches ****

May 7, 2020

Please be advised that the Department for Medicaid Services (DMS) is making the following routine changes to the Kentucky Medicaid Fee-For-Service (FFS) Pharmacy Preferred Drug List (PDL).

On May 26, 2020 the following changes will be effective:

Brand/Generic Switches

Drug Class	The following products will become preferred products:	The following products will become non-preferred products and require prior authorization (PA):
Androgenic Agents	testosterone gel pump (generic Androgel® pump)	Androgel®
Anticonvulsants: First Generation	diazepam rectal gel ^{QL}	DiaStat® ^{QL}
Antiretrovirals: HIV/AIDS	efavirenz	Sustiva®
Bladder Relaxants	solifenacin ^{QL}	VESicare® ^{QL}
Inhaled Corticosteroids	budesonide inhalation suspension ^{QL, AE}	Pulmicort Respules® ^{QL, AE}
Neuropathic Pain	pregabalin capsules ^{CC, QL}	Lyrica® capsules ^{QL}
Phosphate Binders	sevelamer carbonate tablets	Renagel® Renvela™ tablets
Topical Steroids	clobetasol propionate shampoo	Clobex® shampoo

Thank you for helping Kentucky Medicaid members maintain access to prescription coverage by selecting drugs on the preferred drug list whenever possible. Please contact Magellan Medicaid Administration at kyproviders@magellanhealth.com for any additional information or questions you may have.

Sincerely,

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Kentucky Medicaid Fee-for-Service Pharmacy Program's Contact Information		
Clinical Support Center	1-800-477-3071 Sunday – Saturday 24 hours a day	Please contact the Clinical Support Center to request a prior authorization (PA) or to check the status of a request. NOTE: The only drugs that are now required to be submitted via fax are Brand Medically Necessary, Buprenorphine products, Synagis®, and Zyvox®.
Pharmacy Support Center	1-800-432-7005 Sunday – Saturday 24 hours a day	Please contact the Pharmacy Support Center when claims assistance is required. Timely filing, lock-in, and early refill (ER) overrides can be obtained through this Call Center.
Provider Services	1-877-838-5085 Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Please contact Provider Services if you have questions about enrollment or when updating your license or bank information.
Member Services	1-800-635-2570 Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Please contact Member Services if you are a member or if you as the provider have questions regarding the member's benefits or eligibility coverage dates.