Oklahoma Medicaid Pharmacy Update

Pharmacy Help Desk Telephone Numbers (405) 271-6349 or 1-800-831-8921 OHCA Website www.ohca.state.ok.us

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Dear Pharmacy Provider,

Isradipine (Dynacirc CR) and Moexipril (Univasc have been moved from Tier 2 to Tier 1, this means no prior authorization is required for these drugs. Benazepril and Benazepril/HCTZ (Lotensin and Lotensin/HCT) will be moved to Tier 1 by May 1, 2004

Starting APRIL 19th, 2004

Quantity Limits on selected drugs will begin to be phased in. The first group of products will include anti-infective agents. For more information and a detailed list of products and effective dates, go to:

www.OHCA.state.ok.us/provider/pharmacy/billing/limits.htm

Please be sure when billing DME claims that you use your DME Provider number not your pharmacy provider number.

DME Providers Pharmacies. For a list of providers who are willing to bill Medicaid for DME supplies, go to www.OHCA.state.ok.us/provider/pharmacy/dme.htm If you are a contracted DME provider and would like to be included on the list please contact the help desk. If you are not a contracted DME provider and would like to be, please contact provider contracts at (405) 522-7 or check the website.

Diabetic supplies should be billed through your DME provider number on the HCFA 1500 claim form or on the OHCA secure web site. Please use the following table as a guide for billing:

HCPCS	Item	Billable Units	Max Units
A4206	Syringes	1 = 1	Unlimited
A4253	Strips	1 = 50	2 Units / Month
A4258	Lancet Device	1 = 1	1 Unit / Year
A4259	Lancets	1 = 100	1 Unit / Month
A4245	Alcohol Wipes	1 = 100	Unlimited
A4254	Meter Batteries	1 = 1	3 Units / Year
E0607	Glucometer	1 = 1	1 Unit / Year
A4250	Ketone Strips	1 = 100	Unlimited
A4256	Meter Control Solution	1 = Bottle	Unlimited

Please watch for more information about these changes to Oklahoma Medicaid. Updates are planned periodically so that pharmacies can be prepared. You may also check the OHCA website at www.ohca.state.ok.us for more detailed information about planned changes.

If you have not signed onto OHCA's secure provider website, you are encouraged to do so at this time. The secure provider website is located at www.OHCAprovider.Com For questions call OHCA helpdesk customer service at (405) 522-6205 or 1_800-522-0114.

Thank you for your continued service to Oklahoma's Medicaid clients.