UnitedHealthcare Community Plan
Preferred Drug List Changes

Effective July 1, 2019 for the following states:

- Arizona
- California
- Florida – Healthy Kids
- Hawaii
- Maryland
- Michigan
- Nebraska
- New Jersey
- New York
- Ohio
- Rhode Island
- Texas

Effective July 1, 2019, UnitedHealthcare Community Plan’s Preferred Drug List (PDL) will be updated.

UnitedHealthcare Community Plan updates the PDL quarterly in order to reflect current medical practices along with any changes in prescribing these medications.

UnitedHealthcare Community Plan’s PDL will be updated to reflect supply limit revisions on several topical steroids. The supply limit revisions will include:

- Maximum quantity limits per prescription (MQPP)
- Maximum quantity limits per month (PQE)

**What This Means For Your Pharmacy**

If a UnitedHealthcare Community Plan member tries to fill a prescription that exceeds the MQPP or PQE, the rejection code message(s) and quantity allowed for the prescription will appear at the point-of-sale and the quantity allowed for the prescription.

- MQPP- Reject 76: Maximum Quantity of 15g
- PQE- Reject 76: Max Quantity 45g in 30 Days

To override the rejection code and fill the prescription, simply dispense the quantity in the rejection message. Members do not need prior authorization as long as the drug dispensed is within the plan’s supply limits. If the member needs more than the MQPP or PQE, their provider will need to request prior authorization and confirm that a larger quantity is needed.

These new supply limits will not remove any topical products from the Preferred Drug List. Members are not required to switch drugs; only the amount of their medication will change.

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If you have questions, please contact the OptumRx Help Desk at (877) 305-8952 (24 hours a day, 7 days a week).

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