



# Medicaid Pharmacy News

Dear Providers:

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## **NEW WEBSITE FOR WYOMING MEDICAID PHARMACY HOME PAGE**

Effective August 5, 2013, the web address for Wyoming Medicaid has been changed to [www.wymedicaid.org](http://www.wymedicaid.org). The old web address [www.wyequalitycare.org](http://www.wyequalitycare.org) will remain active for up to a year, but will redirect to the new website effective August 14, 2013.

## **INCARCERATED CLIENTS**

Please note the following, per Chapter 26, Section 6 of the Wyoming Medicaid Rules, the following services **ARE NOT COVERED BY WYOMING MEDICAID:**

- (e) Services furnished to an individual who is an inmate of a public institution, or an individual that is in the custody of a state, local, or federal law enforcement agency;
- (f) Services provided to an individual in emergency detention.

Claims billed during a client's incarceration will be subject to subsequent recovery and possible future audit proceedings.

## **WYOMING MEDICAID POLICY ON "USE AS DIRECTED" DOSING INSTRUCTIONS**

Per the Wyoming Medicaid Pharmacy Provider manual, a prescription's days supply must equal the quantity of drug dispensed divided by the daily dose prescribed. A prescription claim will be subject to subsequent recovery and possible future audit proceedings if:

- (i) The days supply submitted is not supported by the dosing directions as prescribed,
- (ii) The dosing directions are given as "take as directed" or "use as directed" and the pharmacist has not taken appropriate action to obtain and document on the prescription the actual dosing directions given by the practitioner, or
- (iii) Extra doses. The Department does not pre-emptively pay for extra doses in the anticipation of lost or wasted medication.

**NOTICE FROM CENTERS FOR MEDICARE & MEDICAID SERVICES**

Per the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS), the following non-drug products do not meet the definition of a covered outpatient drug as set forth in Section 1927(k)(2) of the Social Security Act (the Act). As a result, they are not eligible for inclusion in the Medicaid Drug Rebate Program. Therefore, they will NO LONGER BE COVERED by Wyoming Medicaid. The non-drug products that are ineligible for rebates are as follows:

<u>NDC</u>	<u>Product Name</u>
50383-0120	Geri-Tonic
50383-0167	Vitamin C Syrup
50383-0625	Polyvitamin Drops
50383-0632	Polyvitamin Drops with Iron
50383-0683	Thera-Plus
50383-0635	Tri-Vitamin Drops