

**NOTICE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE MEDICAID FEE FOR SERVICE
DRUG UTILIZATION REVIEW BOARD
PUBLIC HEARING
March 20, 2017**

The New Hampshire Drug Utilization Review (DUR) Board invites you to attend a public hearing at 2:00 p.m., on March 20, 2017 at the Philbrook Building - 121 South Fruit Street, Concord, NH. A DUR meeting will immediately follow this public hearing.

The purpose of the public hearing is to solicit information and provide an opportunity for the public to present its views regarding the NH Medicaid Fee for Service pharmacy prior authorization criteria.

The public hearing will begin at 2:00 p.m. and end no later than 3:00 p.m. The DUR meeting will begin at or before 3:00 p.m., upon completion of public comments. The public is invited to present oral comments regarding the proposed prior authorization criteria. Members of the public shall notify the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) at least 48 hours in advance of the public hearing of their intent to comment at the public hearing. Comments will be limited to no longer than five (5) minutes per person and will be limited to the items on the agenda as they relate to the prior authorization criteria.

Written material may also be submitted by the public for DUR Board consideration if received by DHHS at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting and may not exceed five (5) pages in length.

If accommodations are needed for communication access such as interpreters, CART (captioning), assistive listening devices, or other auxiliary aids and/or services, please contact Nancy Plourde at 603-271-9422 by March 6, 2017. At least 5 business days advance notice is requested in order to assure availability; requests made fewer than 5 days prior to the event will attempt to be accommodated but cannot be guaranteed.

DRUG UTILIZATION REVIEW BOARD MEETING

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Meeting Agenda

I. Introductions and Welcome to Board Members

II. Old Business

1. Minutes – 10/11/16 review

III. New Business

1. Program Integrity Lock-in Criteria
2. DUR Business Operations
 - A. Overview of Drug Utilization Patterns for the New Hampshire Medicaid Fee-for Service Program
 1. Prospective DUR Reports
 2. Utilization Reports
 3. Retrospective DUR Reports
 - B. Review of Current Prior Authorization Criteria
 1. Benign Prostatic Hyperplasia (currently Cialis only)
 2. Brand Name Multiple Source Prescription Drug Product Criteria
 3. Direct Renin Inhibitors
 4. Hepatitis C
 5. Huntington's Disease
 6. Legend oral NSAIDS (RX only)
 7. Legend topical NSAIDS
 8. New Drug Product Criteria
 9. Proton Pump Inhibitors
 10. Topical combination benzoyl peroxide & clindamycin
 11. Weight loss
 12. Xenical for hypercholesterolemia
 - C. Proposal of New Prior Authorization Criteria
 1. Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension

IV. Adjourn

Further information regarding the agenda items may be obtained after March 6, 2017. Notice of intent to testify at the public hearing, and/or submittal of written comments, should be directed to Nancy Plourde, NH Department of Health and Human Services, 129 Pleasant Street, Concord, NH, 03301, (603) 271-9422, or e-mail at: nancy.plourde@dhhs.nh.gov