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State Plan Amendment (SPA) #: MO-21-0012

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June 15, 2021

Kirk Mathews  
Acting Director  
MO HealthNet Division  
P.O. Box 6500  
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-6500

Dear Mr. Mathews:

We have reviewed Missouri’s State Plan Amendment (SPA) 21-0012, Prescribed Drugs, received in the CMS Medicaid & CHIP Operations Group on April 14, 2021. This SPA proposes to add a reimbursement methodology for drugs purchased through the 340B drug program.

Based on the information provided and consistent with the regulations at 42 CFR 430.20, we are pleased to inform you that SPA 21-0012 is approved with an effective date of July 1, 2021. We are attaching a copy of the signed CMS-179 form, as well as the pages approved for incorporation into Missouri’s state plan.

If you have any questions regarding this request, please contact Lisa Shochet at 410-786-5445 or lisa.shochet@cms.hhs.gov.

Sincerely,

Cynthia R. Denemark, R.Ph.  
Deputy Director  
Division of Pharmacy

cc: Jennifer Tidball, Acting Director, MO Department of Social Services  
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Marissa Crump, Executive Assistant, MO HealthNet Division  
Deborah Read, CMS, Medicaid & CHIP Operations Group
TRANSMITTAL AND NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF STATE PLAN MATERIAL
FOR: HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION
TO: REGIONAL ADMINISTRATOR
HEALTH CARE FINANCING ADMINISTRATION
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES
5. TYPE OF PLAN MATERIAL (Check One):
☐ NEW STATE PLAN ☐ AMENDMENT TO BE CONSIDERED AS NEW PLAN ☑ AMENDMENT
COMPLETE BLOCKS 6 THRU 10 IF THIS IS AN AMENDMENT (Separate Transmittal for each amendment)
6. FEDERAL STATUTE/REGULATION CITATION:
42 CFR 447.502, 42 CFR 447.512, 42 CFR 447.518
7. FEDERAL BUDGET IMPACT:
a. FFY 21 $(5,958,071)
b. FFY 22 $(6,243,587)
8. PAGE NUMBER OF THE PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT:
Attachment 4.19 B, Page 3
9. PAGE NUMBER OF THE SUPERSEDES PLAN SECTION OR ATTACHMENT (If Applicable):
10. SUBJECT OF AMENDMENT:
340B Purchased Drugs
11. GOVERNOR'S REVIEW (Check One)
☐ GOVERNOR'S OFFICE REPORTED NO COMME
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☐ NO REPLY RECEIVED WITHIN 45 DAYS OF SUBMITTAL
12. SIGNATURE OF STATE/AGENCY OFFICIAL:
13. TYPE NAME:
Jennifer Nibbali
14. TITLE:
Acting Director
15. DATE SUBMITTED:
04-06-2021
16. RETURN TO:
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Post Office Box 6500
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17. DATE RECEIVED:
April 14, 2021
18. DATE APPROVED:
June 15, 2021
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July 1, 2021
20. SIGNATURE OF REGIONAL OFFICIAL:
21. TYPED NAME:
Cynthia R. Denemark, R.Ph.
22. TITLE:
Deputy Director, Division of Pharmacy
23. REMARKS:
FORM HCFA-179 (07-92)
State: Missouri

340B Purchased Drugs

1. 340B purchased drugs dispensed by pharmacy providers will be reimbursed at their actual acquisition cost, up to the 340B Maximum Allowable Cost (MAC) (calculated ceiling price) plus the professional dispensing fee.
   a. Covered entities as described in section 1927 (a)(5)(B) of the Social Security Act are required to bill no more than their actual acquisition cost plus the professional dispensing fee.
   b. Drugs acquired through the federal 340B drug pricing program and dispensed by 340B contract pharmacies are not covered, unless the State approves an exception.
2. Physician-administered drugs purchased through the 340B program will be reimbursed the lesser of the Physician-Administered 340B MAC or the actual acquisition cost submitted by the provider.
   a. No professional dispensing fee will be applied to physician-administered drugs.