

PROVIDER UPDATE

COVID-19 Prescription and Durable Medical Equipment Guidelines

The following are updates to the temporary provisions that are in effect as of dates specified below as part of COVID-19 pandemic response.

Prescription Early Refills

Effective May 1, 2021, Highmark Health Options (HHO) will reinstate our early refills for medications to allow for early refill for medications once 83% of the previous fill for the medication has lapsed based on the day supply.

Prescription Co-Pays

HHO will continue to waive member co-pays for prescriptions until otherwise notified.

Durable Medical Equipment Refills

Effective Dec. 1, 2021, HHO will no longer permit a 30-day early refill for the following medical supplies. Existing authorization requirements and annual limitations for these codes remain in place.

Code	Description
A4351	Incontinence Supplies/Urinary Supplies
A4357	Incontinence Supplies/Urinary Supplies
A4358	Incontinence Supplies/Urinary Supplies
A4353	Incontinence Supplies/Urinary Supplies
A4624	Oxygen & Tracheostomy Supplies
A7526	Tracheostomy Supplies
A7507	Tracheostomy Supplies
A7038	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators
A7031	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators
A7035	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators
A7032	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators
A7030	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators
A7034	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators
A7005	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators

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Code	Description
A7033	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators
A7003	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators
A7013	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators
A7015	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators
A7013	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators
A7039	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators
A7016	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators
A7036	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators
A7007	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators
A7010	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators
A7012	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators
A7004	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators
A7020	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators
A7006	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators
A7018	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators
A7027	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators
A7028	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators
A7029	Accessories for Nebulizers, Aspirators and Ventilators
A7000	Accessories for Suction Pumps
A7002	Accessories for Suction Pumps
A5120	Additional Incontinence and Ostomy Supplies
A5121	Additional Incontinence and Ostomy Supplies
A5114	Additional Incontinence and Ostomy Supplies
A5200	Additional Incontinence and Ostomy Supplies
A5112	Additional Incontinence and Ostomy Supplies
A5063	Additional Ostomy Supplies
A5061	Additional Ostomy Supplies
A5056	Additional Ostomy Supplies
A5062	Additional Ostomy Supplies
A5054	Additional Ostomy Supplies
A5057	Additional Ostomy Supplies
A5055	Additional Ostomy Supplies
A4253	Diabetic Supplies
A4256	Diabetic Supplies
A4258	Diabetic Supplies
A4259	Diabetic Supplies
A4520	Diapers
A9276	Glucose Monitoring
A9277	Glucose Monitoring
A9274	Glucose Monitoring
A9278	Glucose Monitoring
14541	Incontinence Supplies
14535	Incontinence Supplies
14527	Incontinence Supplies

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14522	Incontinence Supplies
14526	Incontinence Supplies
14524	Incontinence Supplies
14528	Incontinence Supplies
14523	Incontinence Supplies
14534	Incontinence Supplies
14544	Incontinence Supplies
14521	Incontinence Supplies
14530	Incontinence Supplies
14532	Incontinence Supplies
14525	Incontinence Supplies
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14537	Incontinence Supplies
14537	Incontinence Supplies
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A4332	Incontinence Supplies/Urinary Supplies
A4322	Incontinence Supplies/Urinary Supplies
A4349	Incontinence Supplies/Urinary Supplies
A4314	Incontinence Supplies/Urinary Supplies
A4315	Incontinence Supplies/Urinary Supplies
A4334 A4335	Incontinence Supplies/Urinary Supplies Incontinence Supplies/Urinary Supplies
A4338	Incontinence Supplies/Urinary Supplies
A4336 A4310	
A4310 A4331	Incontinence Supplies/Urinary Supplies
A4331 A4320	Incontinence Supplies/Urinary Supplies
	Incontinence Supplies/Urinary Supplies
A4352	Incontinence Supplies/Urinary Supplies
A4312	Incontinence Supplies/Urinary Supplies
A4354	Incontinence Supplies/Urinary Supplies
A4340	Incontinence Supplies/Urinary Supplies
A4344	Incontinence Supplies/Urinary Supplies
A4311	Incontinence Supplies/Urinary Supplies Inhalation Solutions
J7613	
J7644	Inhalation Solutions
J7620	Inhalation Solutions
J7626	Inhalation Solutions
J7611	Inhalation Solutions
J7605	Inhalation Solutions
J7609	Inhalation Solutions
J7612	Inhalation Solutions
J7606	Inhalation Solutions
J7614	Inhalation Solutions

Code	Description
J7639	Inhalation Solutions
S9433	Medical Food
S9435	Medical Food
A4628	Oxygen & Tracheostomy Supplies
A4627	Oxygen & Tracheostomy Supplies
A4615	Oxygen & Tracheostomy Supplies
A4629	Oxygen & Tracheostomy Supplies
A4623	Oxygen & Tracheostomy Supplies
A4620	Oxygen & Tracheostomy Supplies
A4617	Oxygen & Tracheostomy Supplies
A4616	Oxygen & Tracheostomy Supplies
A4625	Oxygen & Tracheostomy Supplies
A7046	Respiratory Accessories
A4216	Saline
A4217	Saline
A4232	Self-Administered Injection and Diabetic Supplies
A4230	Self-Administered Injection and Diabetic Supplies
A4221	Self-Administered Injection and Diabetic Supplies
A4223	Self-Administered Injection and Diabetic Supplies
A4222	Self-Administered Injection and Diabetic Supplies
A4231	Self-Administered Injection and Diabetic Supplies
A4224	Self-Administered Injection and Diabetic Supplies
A4233	Self-Administered Injection and Diabetic Supplies
A4225	Self-Administered Injection and Diabetic Supplies
A4235	Self-Administered Injection and Diabetic Supplies
A4927	Supplies for ESRD
A4657	Supplies for ESRD
A4670	Supplies for ESRD
A4930	Supplies for ESRD
A4660	Supplies for ESRD
A4663	Supplies for ESRD
A7520	Tracheostomy Supplies
A7521	Tracheostomy Supplies
A7525	Tracheostomy Supplies
A7527	Tracheostomy Supplies
A7509	Tracheostomy Supplies
A4604	Tubing for Positive Airway Pressure Device
A4554	Underpads
A4553	Underpads
A4402	Urinary Supplies
A4394	Urinary Supplies
A4409	Urinary Supplies
A4406	Urinary Supplies
A4362	Urinary Supplies

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A4385	Urinary Supplies
A4425	Urinary Supplies
A4371	Urinary Supplies
A4432	Urinary Supplies
A4369	
A4309 A4424	Urinary Supplies
A4424 A4414	Urinary Supplies
	Urinary Supplies
A4407	Urinary Supplies
A4367	Urinary Supplies
A4389	Urinary Supplies
A4419	Urinary Supplies
A4364	Urinary Supplies
A4410	Urinary Supplies
A4413	Urinary Supplies
A4430	Urinary Supplies
A4363	Urinary Supplies
A4373	Urinary Supplies
A4391	Urinary Supplies
A4393	Urinary Supplies
A4415	Urinary Supplies
A4421	Urinary Supplies
A4426	Urinary Supplies
A4427	Urinary Supplies
A4390	Urinary Supplies
A4392	Urinary Supplies
A4411	Urinary Supplies
A4412	Urinary Supplies
A4416	Urinary Supplies
A4433	Urinary Supplies
B9002	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4104	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4087	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4222	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4081	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4162	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4100	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4157	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4193	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4102	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4036	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4197	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4103	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4158	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4220	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy

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B4224	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4153	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
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	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4034	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4154	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4088	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4155	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4149	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4150	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4152	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4161	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B9998	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4160	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
B4035	Enteral and Parenteral Therapy
A6402	Surgical Dressing
A6216	Surgical Dressing
A6212	Surgical Dressing
A6252	Surgical Dressing
A6197	Surgical Dressing
A6209	Surgical Dressing
A6196	Surgical Dressing
A6199	Surgical Dressing
A6021	Surgical Dressing
A6219	Surgical Dressing
A6250	Surgical Dressing
A6210	Surgical Dressing
A6251	Surgical Dressing
A6257	Surgical Dressing
A6253	Surgical Dressing
A6266	Surgical Dressing
A6222	Surgical Dressing
A6217	Surgical Dressing
A6234	Surgical Dressing
A6223	Surgical Dressing
A6258	Surgical Dressing
A6203	Surgical Dressing
A6213	Surgical Dressing
A6224	Surgical Dressing
A6220	Surgical Dressing
A6237	Surgical Dressing
A6242	Surgical Dressing
A6260	Surgical Dressing
A6403	Surgical Dressing
A6207	Surgical Dressing

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A6229	Surgical Dressing
A6248	Surgical Dressing
A6254	Surgical Dressing
A6206	Surgical Dressing
A6211	Surgical Dressing
A6235	Surgical Dressing
A6243	Surgical Dressing
A6259	Surgical Dressing
A6407	Surgical Dressing
A6449	Surgical Dressings
A6446	Surgical Dressings
A6448	Surgical Dressings
A6457	Surgical Dressings
A6443	Surgical Dressings
A6453	Surgical Dressings
A6454	Surgical Dressings
A6450	Surgical Dressings
A6441	Surgical Dressings