

Update: AmeriHealth Caritas District of Columbia (Medicaid) Formulary Change

1) On June 01, 2017, the following products will be removed from the AmeriHealth Caritas District of Columbia (Medicaid) drug formulary.

Members currently receiving these products will require a new prescription for an alternative product before **June 01, 2017**. Members for whom it is not medically advisable to change therapy will require prior authorization to continue to receive coverage for the non-formulary product.

Formulary Removals	
Product list	Alternative Product(s)
Lantus® vial and Lantus® SoloSTAR pen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basaglar® KwikPen
Brand EpiPen® and EpiPen Jr®	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Generic epinephrine auto-injector
Brand Condylox® topical gel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Generic Condylox (podofilox) topical solution
Rectiv® (nitroglycerin) Ointment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Compounded calcium channel blockers: 2% topical diltiazem or 0.2% topical nifedipine. • Oral calcium channel blockers. • Lidocaine 3% ointment.
Brand Condylox® topical gel	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Generic Condylox (podofilox) topical solution

2) On June 01, 2017, Incruse Ellipta® will also be removed from the AmeriHealth Caritas District of Columbia (Medicaid) drug formulary.

Members currently receiving Incruse Ellipta® will require a new prescription for an alternative product before **July 15, 2017**. Members for whom it is not medically advisable to change therapy will require prior authorization to continue to receive coverage for the non-formulary product.

Formulary Removals	
Product list	Alternative Product(s)
Incruse Ellipta® (umeclidinium)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spiriva® Respimat (tiotropium bromide) or Combivent® Respimat (ipratropium bromide)

If you have questions about this communication, please contact the AmeriHealth Caritas District of Columbia (Medicaid) Provider Pharmacy Services at **1-888-602-3741**. You may also contact your Provider Account Executive.