State of Hawaii Department of Human Services MED-QUEST DIVISION

MEDICAID STATE PLAN
SPA MEMO NO.: 23-05

DATE: 05/05/2023

ORIGINATOR: POLICY AND PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT OFFICE

TO: Custodian of Med-QUEST Division Medicaid State Plan

FROM: Judy Mohr Peterson, PhD

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SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF AMENDMENT UNDER THE MEDICAID STATE PLAN

EXPLANATION:

The State of Hawaii received approval from the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) for State Plan Amendment Number 23-0005 "Coverage of Naloxone and Birth Control Over-the-counter (OTC)".

CMS suggested that Hawaii consider updating the state plan pages to include broader language that would allow for coverage of OTC naloxone or OTC birth controls if the state chooses to do so once available. Hawaii has amended its state plan page Attachment 3.1-A and 3.1-B pg. 3.2.b that "Non-legend drugs (that will be covered under Hawaii Medicaid include drugs listed) on the (Hawaii Medicaid) website".

FILING INSTRUCTIONS:

Review and file the amended Medicaid State Plan pages in your Medicaid State Plan Manual as follows:

Supplement to Attachment 3.1-A and 3.1-B pg. 3.2.b.

Remove OLD Supplement to Attachment 3.1-A and 3.1-B pg. 3.2.b. and replace with amended Supplement to Attachment 3.1-A and 3.1B pg. 3.2.b.

The Med-QUEST Division amendment described above has been incorporated into the electronic version of the Medicaid State Plan located at the Department of Human Services (DHS) website link for public transparency below:

http://humanservices.hawaii.gov/reports/hawaii-medicaid-state-plan/

Attachments

C: Attorney General's Office

Audit, Quality Control & Research Office/Quality Control Staff

Clinical Standards Office

Department of Health/Child & Adolescent Mental Health Division

Department of Health/State Planning Council Developmental Disabilities

Department of Health/Developmental Disabilities Division

Department of Human Services /Adult Protective and Community Services Branch

Department of Human Services/Policy and Program Development Office

Eligibility System Project (KOLEA)

Finance Office

Hawaii Document Center/HI State Library

Hawaii Legislative Reference Bureau Library

Health Care Services Branch

Legal Aid Society of Hawaii

(d) Selective Non-legend drugs will be covered as listed on the state Medicaid website.

TN No. 23-0005 Supersedes TN No. 14-005

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