

**DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES
HEALTH AND RECOVERY SERVICES ADMINISTRATION
Olympia, Washington**

To: Pharmacists
Managed Care Organizations

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Subject: Prescription Drug Program: Maximum Allowable Cost Update

Effective for dates of service on and after February 1, 2009, the Health and Recovery Services Administration (HRSA) will implement the following changes to the Prescription Drug Program:

1. New additions to the Maximum Allowable Cost (MAC) list; and
2. Adjustments to existing MACs; and
3. MAC Deletions.

1. MAC Additions:

Generic Name	Strength	Form	MAC Effective 02/01/09
SUMATRIPTAN SUCCINATE	6MG/0.5ML	INJ KIT REFILL	\$139.02960

2. MAC Adjustments:

Generic Name	Strength	Form	MAC Effective 02/01/09
AZITHROMYCIN	600MG	TABLET	\$4.67280
CLOTRIMAZOLE- BETAMETHASONE (15GM SIZE)	1-0.05%	CREAM	\$0.28800
CLOTRIMAZOLE- BETAMETHASONE (45GM SIZE)	1-0.05%	CREAM	\$0.13333
FLUOCINONIDE (15GM SIZE)	0.05%	OINTMENT	\$0.30600
FLUOCINONIDE (30GM SIZE)	0.05%	OINTMENT	\$0.20100
FLUOCINONIDE (60GM SIZE)	0.05%	OINTMENT	\$0.13250
FOLIC ACID	1MG	TABLET	\$0.02522
GLIPIZIDE	2.5MG	TAB SR 24HR	\$0.20966
GLIPIZIDE	5MG	TAB SR 24HR	\$0.14760
GLIPIZIDE	10MG	TAB SR 24HR	\$0.26881

MAC Adjustments, cont.:

Generic Name	Strength	Form	MAC Effective 02/01/09
GLYBURIDE	1.25MG	TABLET	\$0.05730
GLYBURIDE	2.5MG	TABLET	\$0.05470
GLYBURIDE	5MG	TABLET	\$0.05070
HYDROCODONE-ACETAMINOPHEN	5-325MG	TABLET	\$0.20990
HYDROCODONE-ACETAMINOPHEN	7.5-325MG	TABLET	\$0.23570
HYOSCYAMINE SULFATE	0.125MG	TAB SUBL	\$0.58440
HYOSCYAMINE SULFATE	0.375MG	CAP SR 12HR	\$0.90880
HYOSCYAMINE SULFATE	0.375MG	TAB SR 12HR	\$0.87200
NITROFURANTOIN MACROCRYSTAL	100MG	CAPSULE	\$0.81850
OXCARBAZEPINE	150MG	TABLET	\$0.49150
OXCARBAZEPINE	300MG	TABLET	\$0.71500
OXCARBAZEPINE	600MG	TABLET	\$1.39000
PERPHENAZINE	2MG	TABLET	\$0.56365
RIBAVIRIN	200MG	CAPSULE	\$1.36255
RIBAVIRIN	200MG	TABLET	\$1.11710

3. MAC Deletions:

Generic Name	Strength	Form	MAC Effective 02/01/09
HYOSCYAMINE SULFATE	0.125MG	TAB DISP	\$0.00000

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