

# IHCP *bulletin*

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## Pharmacy update approved by Drug Utilization Review Board December 2016

The Indiana Health Coverage Programs (IHCP) announces changes to prior authorization (PA) criteria as approved by the Drug Utilization Review (DUR) Board at its December 16, 2016, meeting. These changes apply to the fee-for-service (FFS) pharmacy benefit.

### PA changes

PA criteria for Fentanyl were established and approved by the DUR Board. These PA changes will be effective for PA requests submitted on or after February 13, 2017. The PA criteria are posted on the *Pharmacy Prior Authorization Criteria and Forms* page under the [Pharmacy Services](#) quick link at indianamedicaid.com.

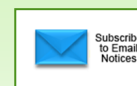
Notices of the DUR Board meetings and agendas are posted on the [FSSA website](#) at in.gov/fssa. Click “FSSA Calendar” on the left side of the page to access the events calendar.

Please direct FFS PA requests and questions about the FFS Preferred Drug List (PDL) or this bulletin to the OptumRx Clinical and Technical Help Desk by calling toll-free 1-855-577-6317. Questions regarding pharmacy benefits for members in the Healthy Indiana Plan (HIP), Hoosier Healthwise, and Hoosier Care Connect should be referred to the managed care entity with which the member is enrolled.



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