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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 May 1, 2008, 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.

1. MAC Additions:

Generic Name	Strength	Form	MAC Effective 05/01/08
ALENDRONATE SODIUM	5MG	TABLET	\$1.84180
ALENDRONATE SODIUM	10MG	TABLET	\$1.84180
ALENDRONATE SODIUM	35MG	TABLET	\$5.57000
ALENDRONATE SODIUM	70MG	TABLET	\$5.54750
BUTORPHANOL TARTRATE	10MG/ML	SPRAY	\$7.50000
FENTANYL CITRATE	600MCG	LOZENGE	\$17.71200
FENTANYL CITRATE	800MCG	LOZENGE	\$21.52440
FENTANYL CITRATE	1600MCG	LOZENGE	\$32.68080
HYDRALAZINE HCL	10MG	TABLET	\$0.15740
HYDRALAZINE HCL	25MG	TABLET	\$0.18450
HYDRALAZINE HCL	50MG	TABLET	\$0.20310
HYDRALAZINE HCL	100MG	TABLET	\$0.48170
MAGNESIUM OXIDE	400MG	TABLET	\$0.04916
RIBAVIRIN	400-400MG	TAB DS PK	\$11.42950
RIBAVIRIN	600-400MG	TAB DS PK	\$14.28690
RIBAVIRIN	600-600MG	TAB DS PK	\$17.14420

2. **MAC Adjustments:**

Generic Name	Strength	Form	MAC Effective 05/01/08
ATENOLOL	25MG	TABLET	\$0.03250
ATENOLOL	50MG	TABLET	\$0.03405
ATENOLOL	100MG	TABLET	\$0.05600
HYDROCORTISONE	2.5%	CREAM (GM)	\$0.10380
ISOTRETINOIN	40MG	CAPSULE	\$4.87180
LOPERAMIDE HCL	2MG	CAPSULE	\$0.06530
METRONIDAZOLE	0.75%	GEL W/APPL	\$0.37742
ONDANSETRON ODT	4MG	TAB RAPDIS	\$0.62536
ONDANSETRON ODT	8MG	TAB RAPDIS	\$0.94610
PHENYTOIN	125MG/5ML	ORAL SUSP	\$0.08876
PHENYTOIN SODIUM EXTENDED	100MG	CAPSULE	\$0.23420
VENLAFAXINE HCL	25MG	TABLET	\$1.46810
VENLAFAXINE HCL	37.5MG	TABLET	\$1.56190
VENLAFAXINE HCL	50MG	TABLET	\$1.63840
VENLAFAXINE HCL	75MG	TABLET	\$1.71190
VENLAFAXINE HCL	100MG	TABLET	\$1.74860

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