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Attn: Providers with BlueMedicare HMO and/or PPO Patients

Help your patients save money! New \$0 Copay for Select Care Drugs

You can help your BlueMedicare HMO and PPO patients save money on their medications. Effective January 1, 2018, a new **\$0 copay** will apply to a number of generic drugs used to treat BlueMedicare HMO and PPO members diagnosed with diabetes, high blood pressure and/or high cholesterol.

- Our Select Care 6 Tier formulary is designed to make some generic drugs used to treat certain key chronic conditions more affordable for our members.
- Oral antidiabetic drugs, angiotensin-converting enzyme (ACE) inhibitors and angiotensin II receptor antagonists (ARBs), and HMG CoA reductase inhibitors (statins) are the classes of drugs included on the plan's formulary Select Care Drug list. *Attached*, for your immediate reference, is a consolidated list of these drugs.
- To increase adherence, a 90-day supply of Select Care drugs are available for \$0 copay at mail-order through AllianceRx Walgreens Prime or at any Extended Supply Network pharmacy in our retail pharmacy network. To locate an Extended Supply Network pharmacy, visit us at www.floridablue.com or call our Pharmacy Helpdesk at **(888) 877-6420**.

We encourage providers to prescribe a 90-day supply of the \$0 copay drugs referenced above to help patients save money and improve adherence. Our BlueMedicare HMO and PPO members are also being notified of this new \$0 copay savings.

Thank you for your continued work in delivering quality care and positive health care experiences to our members.

See attached consolidated list of applicable drugs.



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Select Tier Drugs with \$0 Copay

| Drug Name | Treatment Category | Drug Name | Treatment Category |
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| AMLODIPINE BESYLATE/ATORVASTATIN CALCIUM | Cholesterol | BENAZEPRIL HCL/ HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE | High Blood Pressure |
| ATORVASTATIN CALCIUM | Cholesterol | CANDESARTAN CILEXETIL | High Blood Pressure |
| EZETIMIBE/SIMVASTATIN | Cholesterol | CANDESARTAN CILEXETIL/ HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE | High Blood Pressure |
| LOVASTATIN | Cholesterol | CAPTOPRIL | High Blood Pressure |
| PRAVASTATIN SODIUM | Cholesterol | ENALAPRIL MALEATE | High Blood Pressure |
| ROSUVASTATIN CALCIUM | Cholesterol | ENALAPRIL MALEATE/ HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE | High Blood Pressure |
| SIMVASTATIN | Cholesterol | FOSINOPRIL SODIUM | High Blood Pressure |
| GLIMEPIRIDE | Diabetes | FOSINOPRIL SODIUM/ HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE | High Blood Pressure |
| GLIPIZIDE | Diabetes | IRBESARTAN | High Blood Pressure |
| GLIPIZIDE ER | Diabetes | IRBESARTAN/ HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE | High Blood Pressure |
| GLIPIZIDE XL | Diabetes | LISINOPRIL | High Blood Pressure |
| GLIPIZIDE/METFORMIN HCL | Diabetes | LISINOPRIL/ HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE | High Blood Pressure |
| METFORMIN HCL | Diabetes | LOSARTAN POTASSIUM | High Blood Pressure |
| METFORMIN HCL ER | Diabetes | LOSARTAN POTASSIUM/ HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE | High Blood Pressure |
| METFORMIN HYDROCHLORIDE | Diabetes | MOEXIPRIL HCL | High Blood Pressure |
| NATEGLINIDE | Diabetes | MOEXIPRIL/ HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE | High Blood Pressure |
| PIOGLITAZONE HCL | Diabetes | PERINDOPRIL ERBUMINE | High Blood Pressure |
| PIOGLITAZONE HCL/METFORMIN HCL | Diabetes | QUINAPRIL HCL | High Blood Pressure |
| PIOGLITAZONE HCL- GLIMEPIRIDE | Diabetes | QUINAPRIL/ HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE | High Blood Pressure |
| REPAGLINIDE | Diabetes | RAMIPRIL | High Blood Pressure |
| AMLODIPINE BESYLATE/BENAZEPRIL HCL | High Blood Pressure | TELMISARTAN | High Blood Pressure |
| AMLODIPINE BESYLATE/BENAZEPRIL | High Blood Pressure | TELMISARTAN/ HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE | High Blood Pressure |

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| HYDROCHLORIDE | | | |
| AMLODIPINE BESYLATE/VALSARTAN | High Blood Pressure | TRANDOLAPRIL | High Blood Pressure |
| AMLODIPINE/VALSARTAN/HC TZ | High Blood Pressure | VALSARTAN | High Blood Pressure |
| BENAZEPRIL HCL | High Blood Pressure | VALSARTAN/ HYDROCHLOROTHIAZIDE | High Blood Pressure |

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