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## ADMINISTRATIVE NEWS

### Ambulatory Surgery Centers and Publix Member

Providers can help their patients, our members, keep their health care costs down. Publix members who have services performed at an Ambulatory Surgery Center (ASC) will have a significantly lower out-of-pocket cost than having the same services performed at a hospital's outpatient center. [Learn more>>](#)

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## PHARMACY

### Benefits of Prescribing Maintenance Medications for 90 Days

Once you and your patient decide which medications work well and support your treatment plan, we encourage you to write a 90-day supply for maintenance medications. [Learn more>>](#)

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## QUALITY / HEDIS / CAHPS

### 2018 Quality Engagement Program *(for providers of Florida Blue QHP and MA members with chronic conditions)*

Every year, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) requires plans like Florida Blue to submit diagnoses received on claims that are related to chronic conditions. CMS reviews them to evaluate the health of our members. We want to make sure that we provide this information to CMS in a timely manner, so we're asking applicable providers to assess and/or confirm their patients' conditions for this year. [Learn more>>](#)