

MEMORANDUM FROM MIDWEST HEALTH AKM, INC.

Effective Date: October 1, 2010

Effective October 1st, 2010 there is a new formulary for Med Basic (Wayne County Adult Benefit Waiver Program) and Macomb Health Plan (Macomb Adult Benefit Waiver Program). The new formulary is found on the Midwest Health Plan web site of www.Midwesthealthplan.com (Choose pharmacy information from the home page, click on ABW Formularies). This formulary is the same formulary for Plan B products of BasiCare (Wayne Plan B) and Macomb Care Connect (Macomb Plan B). This formulary is also attached to the October Midwest Health Plan Provider Newsletter.

As of October 1, 2010, you will need to get a Prior Authorization for drugs not on this list.

Members will be notified of this change and their options are as follows:

1. Talk with their PCP for obtaining coverage for a similar medication that is on the formulary.
2. Talk with their PCP and switch to a different medication that is on the formulary.
3. Call 1-888-477-2669 to see if they can get coverage through a patient assistance program offered by pharmacy manufacturers.
4. Take their prescription to their DHS worker (along with their diagnoses) to see if they can apply to another program that covers their medications.
5. Choose an FQHC as their PCP as their medications may be covered at a reduced cost.

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