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Re: CHANGE TO CARESOURCE PREFERRED DRUG LIST

## Dear CareSource Member:

Your health care is our priority. That is why we are writing to tell you that on August 1, 2017 CareSource will change its Preferred Drug List (PDL). A PDL is the list of drugs that we prefer your doctor prescribe for you.

As of August 1, 2017 the following medicines will no longer be listed in the CareSource PDL. Your doctor may have given you a prescription for one of these medications

- Adlyxin (lixisenatide) solution (50 mcg/mL, 100 mcg/mL)
- Cuvitru (immune globulin) solution (1 g/5 mL, 2 g/10 mL, 4 g/20 mL, 8 g/40 mL) on medical benefit only
- Exondys51 (eteplirsen) solution (100 mg/2 mL, 500 mg/10 mL) on medical benefit only
- Lidocaine topical (2% gel, 2% solution, 3% cream, 4% cream) prior authorization required if quantity > 1 tube per month
- Lidocaine topical (4% solution, 5% ointment)
- Lidocaine-hydrocortisone topical (0.5%-3% cream)
- Nexium (esomeprazole) capsule (20 mg, 40 mg) prescription strengths formulations only (OTC formulations preferred)
- Prevacid (lansoprazole) capsule (15 mg, 30 mg) prescription strengths formulations only (OTC formulations preferred)
- Xiidra (lifitegrast) ophthalmic solution (5% (50 mg/mL))
- Zegerid (omeprazole-sodium bicarbonate) capsule (20-1100 mg and 40-1100 mg) prescription strength formulations only (OTC formulation preferred)
- Zegerid (omeprazole-sodium bicarbonate) packet (20-1680 mg and 40-1680 mg)

## As of August 1, 2017, the following medications will be listed in the CareSource PDL:

 Neulasta OnPro (pegfilgastrim) prefilled syringe with on-body injector (6 mg/0.6 mL) – on medical benefit only

## What should you do?

First, talk to your doctor. There may be other medicines on the CareSource PDL that you can take instead. There are a few ways you and your doctor can find medicines:

- You can look on our website at <u>caresource.com</u>. Go to the Pharmacy page and click on "Preferred Drug List".
- Or, you can call our Member Services Department at 1-844-607-2829 (TTY: 800-743-3333 or 711).

We are here to help you. The CareSource Member Services Department is open Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

Sincerely,

CareSource Pharmacy Department

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