



NETWORK Notification

Notice Date: December 12, 2025
To: Indiana Medicaid Providers
From: CareSource
Subject: MDwise Transition Pharmacy Network Update
Effective Date: January 1, 2026

Summary

Effective Jan. 1, 2026, MDwise will no longer be a managed care plan option for Healthy Indiana Plan (HIP) or Hoosier Healthwise (HHW) members. Members will have to select a new managed care plan or go through the auto-assignment process. CareSource is here to serve your HIP and HHW patients.

Impact

We want to inform providers and pharmacies of the largest retail pharmacy network variations between CareSource and MDwise. **Walgreens and Kroger retail pharmacies are currently not in the CareSource Pharmacy network.**

If your MDwise patient is switching to CareSource and currently utilizing Walgreens, Kroger, or any other out-of-network pharmacy, we encourage you to work on a plan to switch prescriptions to an in-network retail pharmacy or proactively send new prescriptions to an in-network pharmacy for use on or after January 1st. In-network pharmacy locations can be found by using the [Find a Pharmacy tool](#) .

Pharmacies that are in CareSource's Indiana Medicaid retail network, particularly those in proximity to Walgreens or Kroger, should anticipate an increase in prescription volume as a result.

Please note: MDwise members will maintain their MDwise coverage through December 31st. Prescriptions filled on Dec. 31, 2025 or prior will still default to MDwise's pharmacy network.

Importance

Ensuring your patients transitioning to CareSource have prescriptions sent to a pharmacy in CareSource's network for use on or after Jan. 1, 2026 will help to ensure continuity of care.

Questions?

We are here to help with any questions. Please reach out to CareSource Provider Services at **1-844-607-2831**. We are open Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. ET.

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