



CARESOURCE IMPLEMENTS QUANTITY LIMITS ON OPIOIDS

CareSource® is continuing to take action in the fight against opioid abuse. As part of our commitment, we have implemented limits on both short-acting and long-acting opioid prescriptions. By enacting limits on these types of pain medications, we hope to help reduce and prevent opioid addiction. See the Preferred Drug List on **CareSource.com** for detailed information.

WHAT DOES THIS MEAN FOR YOU?

If a prescription exceeds the limits, prior authorization may be required. Please note that prior authorization requests for certain conditions, such as cancer, will be reviewed within 24 hours. These prior authorization requests will be reviewed within 24 hours. If you have additional questions, please call the CareSource Pharmacy Services Department at **1-855-488-0134**.

Thank you for partnering with CareSource to end opioid abuse.

THANK YOU FOR ATTENDING OUR EDUCATIONAL SEMINARS

We would like to thank our Kentucky health partners who attended one of our 2017 education seminars. The 2017 presentations are available on **CareSource.com**, and we encourage you to email any feedback or suggestions to **KYProviderEngagement@Caresource.com**. Watch for dates to be announced soon for our 2018 sessions.



NEW HEALTH PARTNERS JOIN MARKETPLACE PLAN NETWORK

CareSource is excited to welcome several major new health partners to the CareSource Marketplace health partner network in the final quarter of 2017. These health partners are:

- **T. J. Health Columbia, effective 10/1/17** – Columbia, KY
- **T. J. Samson Community Hospital, effective 10/1/17** – Glasgow, KY
- **Almost Family (Caretenders) Home Health, effective 11/1/17** – all Kentucky locations

The following health partners have agreed to join the CareSource network. Their addition will be effective in the first quarter of 2018:

- **Baptist Healthcare, effective 1/1/18** – all hospitals, including Baptist Health – Louisville, Baptist Health – LaGrange, Baptist Health – Lexington, Baptist Health – Richmond, Baptist Health – Corbin, Baptist Health – Madisonville, and Baptist Health – Paducah; all physicians of Baptist Health Medical Group; and Baptist Home Health.
- **Baptist Physicians Surgery Center, effective 1/1/18** – Lexington, KY
- **Harrison Memorial Hospital, effective 1/1/18** – Cynthiana, KY
- **Amedisys Home Health of Kentucky, effective 1/1/18** – all Kentucky locations
- **Kentucky River Medical Center, effective 2/1/18** – Jackson, KY
- **Three Rivers Medical Center, effective 2/1/18** – Louisa, KY
- **Paul B. Hall Regional Medical Center, effective 2/1/18** – Paintsville, KY

We look forward to working with all of our new health partners.