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Drug Use Review (DUR) Board Approves Changes Effective August 1, 2017

The Nevada Medicaid Drug Use Review (DUR) Board met on January 28, 2017, and voted to adopt the following changes effective August 1, 2017:

Drug Class/Program	Changes
Lock-in Program	Allows providers to change the assigned lock-in pharmacy on behalf of the member.
Buprenorphine/Naloxone	Seven-day supply allowed without prior authorization (PA) when pharmacy submits an appropriate diagnosis related to opioid dependence and submits the specified PA code.
Hepatitis C Antivirals, Direct Acting	Added criteria for Epclusa® (Sofosbuvir/Velpatasvir)
Incretin Mimetics	Removed the prior authorization requirement, if a diagnosis related to diabetes is submitted on the claim.
Medication for Recipients on Hospice	All medications require prior authorization for recipients enrolled in the Hospice program regardless of age.
Orkambi® (Lumacaftor/Ivacaftor)	Updated the age to six (6) years old.