



Provider Alert

To: Sharp Health Plan Providers and Provider Office Staff
From: Sharp Health Plan
Date: October 5, 2024
Subject: Change in Medicare coverage for HIV pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) medication

Dear Provider Partner:

Effective Oct. 1, 2024, Medicare coverage for HIV prevention medication, or pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP), is moving from Medicare Part D prescription drug benefits to Part B medical benefits. This change is due to new requirements from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services.

Here's what you need to know:

- We will mail a letter to impacted members next week letting them know of the change.
- Drugs used for HIV treatment and post-exposure prophylaxis (PEP) will still be covered under Part D.
- When prescribing, please include the diagnosis code for either preventive or treatment.

If you have questions, please contact our provider account management team at 1-858-499-8330.

Sincerely,

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