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TO: Pharmacy Providers Participating in the Nebraska Medicaid Program

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RE: Nebraska Medicaid State Maximum Allowable Cost (SMAC) Program
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Please Share This Information With Administrative, Clinical, Billing/IT Staff and Trading Partners.

Effective January 22, 2013, the Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Medicaid & Long-Term Care (MLTC) will begin contracting with Magellan Medicaid Administration (MMA) for SMAC pricing. MMA will provide assistance in establishing and maintaining the SMAC rates for medications covered in the pharmacy program. As new SMAC rates are developed, the rates will be posted on the nebraska.fhsc.com website. Please visit this website regularly for changes to the SMAC list.

Providers may submit a MAC Price Research Request Form if there are concerns with current rates established. This form can also be obtained online at nebraska.fhsc.com and can be submitted via email to StateMACProgram@magellanhealth.com or faxed to 888-656-1951. A copy of the purchasing invoice for the medication must accompany the MAC Price Research Request form in order to evaluate a MAC price inquiry.

Please email questions to dhhs.MedicaidPharmacyunit@nebraska.gov