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DEPT. OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Jim Pillen, Governor

Nebraska Medicaid DUR Board Meeting
Tuesday October 27th, 2026
In Person
Public Meeting 6:30pm
Best Western Plus Lincoln Inn & Suites
2201 Wildcat Circle Lincoln, Nebraska 68521

DRAFT pending approval at the next meeting

DUR Board Members Present: Matt Titchener, R.P., Charlie Moore, R.P., Jaci Timmons, M.D., Tracy Jordan, R.P.

DUR Board Members Absent: Marin Broucek, M.D., David Randolph, R.P.

Nebraska MLTC employees in attendance: Lee Stutzman, R.P., Pharmacy Director, Leah Spencer, RN, Program Specialist, Dianne Garside, R.P., Spencer Moore, R.P.

Contracted attendees: Jamie Benson, R.P., Nebraska Total Care; Michael Labadie, R.P., Molina Healthcare; Bernadette Ueda, R.P., United HealthCare; Shaleigh Hammons, Account Executive, Prime Therapeutics, Nikia Bennette-Carter, R.P., Prime Therapeutics

Public Attendees: Randy Roth, Merck

I. **Opening and Introductions**
Lee Stutzman called the meeting to order at 6:30 PM. The meeting was held at the Best Western Plus Lincoln Inn & Suites in Lincoln, NE. A copy of the open meetings act was available.

II. **Declaration of any Conflict of Interest or changes**
No changes in conflict of interest were declared.

III. **Agenda approval**
The agenda for the meeting was approved as follows: Jordan-yes, Moore-yes, Timmons-yes, Titchener-yes

IV. **Review and Approval of Minutes from previous Board meeting August 18th, 2026**
The meeting minutes were approved as follows: Jordan-yes, Moore-yes, Timmons-yes, Titchener-yes.

V. **Update on Recommendations from Previous Meeting**
No new updates were given

VI. Retrospective DUR

Old Business

Spencer Moore presented additional data on the concomitant use of alpha-blockers that was reviewed at the previous meeting. The Board reviewed the data and determined no further intervention was necessary.

New Business

Spencer Moore presented data on stroke prevention in atrial fibrillation and the benefits of anticoagulation. The board reviewed the data which identified some patients may be eligible for anticoagulation and may not be receiving therapy. The board proposed an educational one-page document be drafted regarding the benefits of stroke prophylaxis in AFib. A motion was made by Titchener and voted on as follows: Jordan-yes, Moore-yes, Timmons-yes, Titchener-yes

Spencer Moore presented the annual review of SUPPORT Act data. The board requested the State review the data further and try to determine the volume of short vs. long periods of overlap. A motion was made by Titchener and voted on as follows: Jordan-yes, Moore-yes, Timmons-yes, Titchener-yes

VII. Prospective DUR

Old Business

Fee-For-Service PA annual review
The State presented the Buprenorphine for Opioid Dependence Treatment Prior Authorization and Informed Consent forms. A motion to approve the document as presented was made by Moore and the motion carried.

New Business

None.

VIII. Special Requests from the Department

Lee Stutzman noted an updated cost of dispensing survey was sent to all pharmacies and requests completed surveys be returned to Myers & Stauffer by December 3rd, 2027.

IX. Future Meeting Dates

January 12th, 2027, May 11th, 2027, August 17th, 2027, and October 26th, 2027

X. Concerns and Comments from the DUR Board

None.

XI. Concerns and Comments from the DUR Director

None.

XII. Concerns and Comments from the State DHHS Representatives

None.

XIII. Concerns and Comments from the MCO Representatives

None.

XIV. Concerns and Comments from the Public Attendees

None.

XV. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn the meeting was approved at 7:20pm. No objections were made from the Board.