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340B Pharmacy and 340B Drug Claims

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We would like to inform you of the additional reporting requirement for all 340B drugs that were dispensed to IEHP Members. The Drug Rebate Equalization Act of 2009 (DRE) extends Medicaid drug rebate to Medicaid Managed Care Organizations (such as IEHP) starting March 23, 2010.

In order for the State of California to collect the rebate, IEHP must report covered drug utilization by IEHP Members using the National Drug Code (dosage form, strength, and package size) to the State. Since the federal law prohibits the manufacturer from paying a rebate on 340B acquired drugs, IEHP must exclude all 340B drugs from this report. If your pharmacy currently participates and acquires 340B drugs AND the drugs are dispensed to IEHP Members, please fill out the communication form below then fax to IEHP Pharmaceutical Services at 909-891-1577. Failure to inform IEHP of the 340B status may result in civil monetary penalties imposed by CMS.

340B drugs must be identified in the NCPDP post adjudication field 223 (when submitted through the contracted PBM). For all physician-administered drugs that are acquired through 340B inventory, a modifier = **UD** must be submitted in addition to the HCPCS and NDC code in the CMS 1500 or UB 04 forms.



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IEHP Pharmacy Provider 340B Pharmacy Status

Pharmacy Name: _____ NPI: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number : _____ Fax: _____

Pharmacist In Charge Name: _____

Email address (if preferred for communication use): _____

Reason your pharmacy is eligible for the 340B discount (please check the appropriate box)

- FQHC
- Black lung clinic
- Entity receiving funds under section 318 (treatment of STD, TB)
- Free standing cancer hospital
- Family Planning
- Comprehensive hemophilia diagnostic treatment center
- Disproportionate share hospital
- Rural referral center
- Entity receiving a grant under RWCA
- Urban Indian Organization
- Children’s hospital
- Sole community hospital
- ADAP
- Entity receiving assistance under title XXVI of the SSA
- Critical access hospital

Are you currently submitting 340B drug identifier for claims using 340B acquired drugs to IEHP? Yes ____ No ____

Please fax this form to 909-891-1577

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