September 20, 2010

Dear Physician/Provider:

Enclosed please find important information regarding changes to the Health Care District of Palm Beach County’s Provider Handbook. Please add this bulletin to your current handbook. If you need any assistance, contact your Provider Representative at (561) 659-1002.

Sincerely,

Provider Services Department

Enclosure
The purpose of this bulletin is to inform all participating providers that updates have been made to the pharmacy network for the following Health Care District programs: Coordinated Care Option 1, Option 2, Option 3/Ryan White, MCP, and the Trauma program.

OVERVIEW

Effective October 16, 2010

The Health Care District pharmacy network will no longer include Walgreens, Walmart, Winn-Dixie, or Target locations. The pharmacies that will continue to participate in the HCD network include:

CVS Pharmacies, Publix Pharmacies, the Health Care District pharmacies located at the Health Department Health Centers, and the contracted independent pharmacies (see complete list on page 2 of this bulletin).

The members have all been notified via mail of the change. However, we are requesting that our providers assist their patients as new prescriptions are written or in situations where assistance is needed transferring any prescriptions.

For your patients who are not currently using one of the updated in-network pharmacies they will need to go to one of them and ask that the pharmacist
request to transfer their prescription from their old pharmacy to their new pharmacy. To make it easier, your patients can bring the prescription bottle to the new pharmacy and they will help the member transfer the prescription.

If you have questions regarding this provider bulletin, please contact your Provider Representative at (561) 659-1002.

HEALTH CARE DISTRICT PARTICIPATING PHARMACY NETWORK LOCATIONS

ANTHONY'S PHARMACY  IRA'S DISCOUNT PHARMACY
APEX PHARMACY        JUPITER DRUGS
ATLANTIC PHARMACY INC KINGS PHARMACY
BIOSCRIPT PHARMACY    LAKE ONE PRO PHARMACY INC.
BOCA PHARMACY & HOME HLTH CNTR LINTON SQUARE PHARMACY & MED SUPPLY
CENTER CITY PHARMACY, INC. MAXI-CARE, INC.
CHEMISTS N DRUGGISTS PHARMACY MD OMEGA PHARMACY
CHERRY RD PHARMACY    MEDICATION STATION, INC
CIRCLE "S" PHARMACY, INC. MOTTO PHARMACY
CITY PLACE PHARMACY    MY COMMUNITY PHARMACY LLC
COMMERCARE PHARMACY   C2M NEBMED INC
COSTCO PHARMACY (ALL STORES) PROGRESSIVE PHARMACY
CVS PHARMACY (ALL STORES) PUBLIX PHARMACY (ALL STORES)
DELRAY SHORES PHARMACY ROBALO PHARMACY
DRG PLACE             SAMPLE SQUARE PHARMACY
FARMACIA LAS AMERICAS  SCHAEFER DRUGS
FOREST HILL PHARMACY  SKYEMED PHARMACY
GARDENS DRUGS         SPEEDY SCRIPTS, INC.
GREEN'S PHARMACY      UNIVERSITY PHARMACY
HEALTH CARE DISTRICT PHARMACIES WINSHIPS PRESCRIPTION CENTER
HUBER DRUGS

Please insert this bulletin into your Provider Handbook. The policies and procedures in this bulletin supersede any related policies and procedures within the handbook.