

**To:** Keystone First and Keystone First Community HealthChoices (CHC) Providers

**Date:** January 3, 2022

**RE:** Update: Formulary Changes

**1. The following products will be removed from the Keystone First and Keystone First Community HealthChoices drug formulary.**

Members or Participants currently receiving the product listed below will require a new prescription for an alternative product before **February 1, 2022**. Members or Participants for whom it is not medically advisable to change therapy will require prior authorization to continue to receive coverage for the formulary changed products.

Formulary Removals	
Product List	Alternative Product(s)
Isopto® Tears (hypromellose) 0.5% eye drops	Refresh Tears 0.5% (carboxymethylcellulose sodium) eye drops, Genteal Tears 0.1%-0.2%-0.3% (dextran/hypromellose/glycerin) eye drops or Artificial Tears 1.4% (polyvinyl alcohol) drops

**Additional prior authorization criteria may apply. Please refer to most recent drug formulary and prior authorization information available on-line at:**

[www.keystonefirstpa.com](http://www.keystonefirstpa.com) → Providers → Pharmacy Services

[www.keystonefirstchc.com](http://www.keystonefirstchc.com) → Providers → Pharmacy Services

**2. The following products will have a quantity limit and day supply limit without prior authorizations.**

Members or Participants currently receiving more than the quantity limit and day supply limit whom it is not medically advisable to change therapy will require prior authorization before **February 1, 2022**.

Formulary Limits	
Product List	Quantity Limit, Day Supply limit
Promethazine & Phenylephrine Syrup 6.25-5 MG/5ML	<b>Quantity limit:</b> 240 ml per 30 days without prior authorization
Promethazine-DM Syrup 6.25-15 MG/5ML	<b>Quantity limit:</b> 240 ml per 30 days without prior authorization
Chemet® (succimer) 100 mg capsule	<b>Day supply limit:</b> 19 day supply without prior authorization

**If you have any questions regarding this notice, please contact Pharmacy Services.**

Plan Name	Telephone Number
Keystone First	1-800-588-6767
Keystone First Community HealthChoices	1-866-907-7088

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