# Drug Utilization Review Board Recommendations September 15, 2011

On September 15, 2011, the Georgia Medicaid Fee-for-Service (FFS) Drug Utilization Review (DUR) Board provided its clinical and financial recommendations for the Department of Community Health (DCH) to consider in their decisions on the following follow-up reviews, new drug reviews and clinical utilization reviews for the Georgia Medicaid FFS Preferred Drug List (PDL).

# **Follow-Up Reviews**

#### **Emergency Contraceptive**

The DUR Board recommended *Non-Preferred* status with *Prior Authorization* for  $Ella^{TM}$ .

## **Multiple Sclerosis**

The DUR Board recommended *Non-Preferred* status with *Prior Authorization* for *Gilenya*<sup>TM</sup>.

## **Anticoagulant**

The DUR Board recommended **Preferred** status with **Prior Authorization** for **Pradaxa**<sup>TM</sup>.

## **Alpha-1 Proteinase Inhibitors**

The DUR Board recommended *Preferred* status with *Prior Authorization* for all agents, *Aralast-NP*<sup>®</sup>, *Glassia*<sup>TM</sup>, *Prolastin-C*<sup>®</sup> and *Zemaira*<sup>®</sup>.

# **New Drug Reviews**

# **Long-Acting Opioid Agonist-Antagonist**

The DUR Board recommended *Non-Preferred* status with *Prior Authorization* for *Butrans*<sup>TM</sup>.

## **Antimuscarinic**

The DUR Board recommended *Non-Preferred* status with *Prior Authorization* for  $Cuvposa^{TM}$ .

## **Growth Hormone Modifier**

The DUR Board recommended *Non-Preferred* status with *Prior Authorization* for *Egrifta*  $^{TM}$ .

## **Antihyperkinesis Agent**

The DUR Board recommended *Non-Preferred* status with *Prior Authorization* for *Kapvay*<sup>TM</sup>.

## **Ophthalmic Antihistamine**

The DUR Board recommended *Non-Preferred* status with *Prior Authorization* for *Lastacaft*<sup>TM</sup>.

#### **Atypical Antipsychotic**

The DUR Board recommended *Non-Preferred* status with *Prior Authorization* for *Latuda*<sup>TM</sup>. The DUR Board also recommended the *Atypical Antipsychotic Class* be reviewed at the December 13, 2011 meeting and the manufacturers of atypical antipsychotics to submit supplemental rebate offers to Goold Health Systems by October 28, 2011.

## **Progestin**

The DUR Board recommended *Non-Preferred* status with *Prior Authorization* for *Makena*<sup>TM</sup>.

#### Neurologic

The DUR Board recommended *Non-Preferred* status with *Prior Authorization* for *Nuedexta*<sup>TM</sup>.

## **Antiinfective**

The DUR Board recommended *Preferred* status with *Prior Authorization* for *Teflaro*<sup>TM</sup>.

## **Clinical Utilization Reviews**

#### **Long-Acting Beta-Agonist Containing Products**

The DUR Board requested the Department continue to educate providers on the appropriate use of *Long-Acting Beta-Agonist Containing Products* in the treatment of asthma as well as continue to monitor the utilization of these products and to provide a follow-up report at the June 2012 meeting.

## **Simvastatin 80mg Containing Products**

The DUR Board recommended the Department educate providers on the appropriate use of *Simvastatin* 80mg *Containing Products* in the treatment of dyslipidemia as well as continue to monitor the utilization of these products and to provide a follow-up report at the June 2012 meeting.