

Continuous Glucose Monitors and Medicaid Drug Rebate Program Updates

Continuous Glucose Monitors for Elevate Medicaid Choice

As of 11/1/2025, continuous glucose monitors (CGMs) for Elevate Medicaid Choice members are to be billed directly to Medicaid Fee-for-service as a wrap benefit. They will no longer be covered under the DHMP Elevate Medicaid Choice benefit.

Wrap Around Benefits are services that are Medicaid benefits not authorized or paid by Elevate Medicaid Choice. Wrap Around Benefits are authorized and paid for by the State of Colorado Medicaid fee-for-service program after review and determination of Medical Necessity. Therefore, Elevate Medicaid Choice cannot issue an approval or denial.

For questions and assistance, providers and pharmacy can call the Colorado Department of Healthcare Policy and Finance (HCPF) Medical team at 1-844-235-2387.

The CGM Benefit Coverage information for HCPF can also be found at: [Hcpf.colorado.gov/DMEPOS-manual#Therapeutic](https://hcpf.colorado.gov/DMEPOS-manual#Therapeutic)

Medicaid Drug Rebate Program

MDRP Coverage Requirement

- » **All covered drugs must be listed in the Medicaid Drug Rebate Program (MDRP)**—this applies to both Elevate Medicaid Choice and Medicaid Fee for Service plans.

» **Xifaxan Coverage Status**

- » Salix Pharmaceuticals, the maker of Xifaxan, has exited the MDRP.

» **Implication:**

- » Patients enrolled in **Elevate Medicaid Choice will no longer receive coverage** for Xifaxan.

» **What you need to know:**

- » Continue monitoring **DHMP updates**—we'll flag any status changes.
- » **MDRP data refreshes quarterly**; changes will be reflected promptly.

» **Action Items for Providers**

- » **Review the [formulary](#)** and discuss alternative therapies for affected patients.
- » **Document any prescription changes** and communicate them to patients promptly.
- » **Stay tuned for quarterly updates**—we'll circulate any new drug additions or removals.

» **Contact & Resources**

- » **Questions?** Reach out to the DHMP Pharmacy team at ManagedcarePAR@dhha.org.
- » **More information** on MDRP eligibility can be found at: [Medicaid Drug Rebate Program Data](#).