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Members Affected by Hurricane Irma Able to Get Emergency Supply of Drugs

Sales Audience: IU65, Small Group, Large Group, Medicare

In response to Governor Rick Scott declaring a State of Emergency in Florida, Florida Blue will temporarily allow members in all Florida counties to get an early refill of their medications.

Florida Blue Member Services has been notified and Prime Therapeutics has provided all in-network pharmacies authorization codes to fill a 30-day emergency supply upon request.

Impacted Members and Timing

For two weeks, from September 5–19, all commercial and Medicare members are able to get an early refill of their prescriptions from in-network pharmacy providers. Members who go to an out-of-network provider may not be able to fill their prescriptions early.

Background

On September 4, Governor Rick Scott declared a State of Emergency in those areas and counties that may be impacted by Hurricane Irma. To support our members who live in areas affected by the Declaration and to comply with state law, Florida Blue and Prime will allow members to get their medications filled early upon request.

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