



Medi-Cal Rx Monthly Bulletin

February 1, 2026

Medi-Cal Rx has implemented or scheduled the following updates. Stay up to date with all that is happening at Medi-Cal Rx by visiting the [Bulletins & News](#) page and signing up for the [Medi-Cal Rx Subscription Service](#) to receive notification of future publications.

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1. Updates to the Medi-Cal Rx Contract Drugs List

The following updates have been made to the [Medi-Cal Rx Contract Drugs List](#) (CDL) and the [Medi-Cal Rx Diagnosis Crosswalk](#) *.

Drug Name	Description
Amivantamab and Hyaluronidase-lpuj	Added to the CDL with labeler restriction (LR).
Brinzolamide	Effective March 1, 2026: Removed LR 00078.
Denileukin Diftitox-cxdl	Added to the CDL with LR.
Estrogens, Conjugated	Additional strength (0.45 mg) added to the CDL.
Estrogens, Conjugated and Medroxyprogesterone Acetate	Additional strengths (0.3 mg-1.5 mg and 0.45 mg-1.5 mg) added to the CDL.
Mepolizumab *	Added to the CDL with LR, quantity limit (QL), and diagnosis restrictions.
Mirikizumab-mrkz *	Added to the CDL with age limit (AL), LR, QL, and diagnosis restrictions.
Nystatin/Triamcinolone	Additional formulation (ointment) added to the CDL.
Sevabertinib	Added to the CDL with LR.

2. Updates to the Medi-Cal Rx Provider Manual

The following updates/additions have been made to the [Medi-Cal Rx Provider Manual](#).

Section	Update Description
<i>Section 2.1.3.6 – DHCS and Provider Tax Reporting Responsibilities</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Updated the Introduction section to state that the Medi-Cal Rx Form 1099-MISC will be mailed and available electronically.
<i>Section 3.3 – Electronic Fund Transfer (EFT), Checkwrite Schedule, and Remittance Advices (RAs)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Added information to clarify what access registered Medi-Cal Rx users need to request payment method and delivery preferences.Added information specifying what files and documents Receivers can access.Added information regarding how payments, RAs, and forms are delivered depending on set preferences.
<i>Section 3.3.3.3 – Medi-Cal Rx Form 1099-MISC (NEW!)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Added new section regarding Medi-Cal Rx Form 1099-MISC.

Section	Update Description
<i>Section 15.9.1 – Vaccines For Children Program</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Added language to explain how Vaccines For Children (VFC)-enrolled providers should submit claims during a federal VFC vaccine supply shortage or delay to ensure claims will be reimbursed at the non-VFC rate (Ingredient Cost + Professional Dispensing Fee + Professional Service Administration Fee).
<i>Section 17.1 – COVID-19 Vaccine Administration Reimbursement</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Added language regarding federally documented VFC vaccine supply shortages and delays.
<i>Section 17.3 – COVID-19 Antigen Test Kits</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Added language regarding coverage for claims submitted with a date of service (DOS) on or after January 1, 2026, for contracted self-administered COVID-19 antigen tests with a prior authorization (PA) for medical necessity. Clarified language regarding requirements and coverage restrictions for contracted self-administered COVID-19 antigen tests. Added information about PA request requirements for contracted self-administered COVID-19 antigen tests.
<i>Section 17.3.1 – COVID-19 Antigen Test Kits Reimbursement</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Removed outdated information about COVID-19 antigen test kits reimbursement.

3. Reminder: Proper Submission of Compound Pharmacy Claims for Medi-Cal Rx

When submitting a compound claim, it is essential that pharmacy providers submit complete and accurate details for proper adjudication under Medi-Cal Rx. Pharmacy providers may submit compound claims via the point-of-sale (POS) system, batch file submission, Web Claims Submission (WCS), a *Universal Claim Form* (UCF), or a [*California Specific Compound Pharmacy Claim Form \(30-4\)*](#). The *California Specific Compound Pharmacy Claim Form (30-4)* is located on the [Forms & Information](#) page on the [Medi-Cal Rx Provider Portal](#).

Required Submission Elements

For each compound claim, pharmacy providers must include the following required fields, including but not limited to:

- Product/Service ID Qualifier
- Systematized Nomenclature of Medicine (SNOMED)/route of administration (ROA) codes
- Compound Type
- Incentive Amount Submitted

- Compound Ingredient Drug Cost
- NDCs, quantities, and costs
- All other applicable NCPDP D.0 fields

Compliance Requirement

All submissions must adhere to NCPDP D.0 standards. Claims missing any of the required elements are likely to be rejected or underpaid.

Resources

For detailed guidance on proper claim submission, pharmacy providers should refer to the following resources:

- The following sections in the [*Medi-Cal Rx Provider Manual*](#):
 - *Compound Processing*
 - *California Specific Compound Pharmacy Claim Form (30-4)*
 - *Completion Instructions for the California Specific Compound Pharmacy Claim Form (30-4)*
 - *(30-4) Tips for Billing*
- [*Medi-Cal Rx Web Claims Submission User Guide*](#)
- [*Medi-Cal Rx Compound Claim Processing Billing Tips*](#)

4. Updates to the Medi-Cal Rx CCS Weekly (910) and Monthly (940) Expenditure Report Details Job Aid

Medi-Cal Rx published updates to the [*Medi-Cal Rx CCS Weekly \(910\) and Monthly \(940\) Expenditure Report Details Job Aid*](#) on January 2, 2026. To access the document, visit the [*Medi-Cal Rx Web Portal*](#) and select the **Medi-Cal Rx Training** tab on the [*Education & Outreach*](#) page.

5. Updates to the Medi-Cal Rx Finance Portal – Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

Medi-Cal Rx published updates to the [*Medi-Cal Rx Finance Portal – Frequently Asked Questions \(FAQs\)*](#) on January 12, 2026. To access the document, visit the [*FAQ*](#) page on the [*Medi-Cal Rx Web Portal*](#).

6. Updates to the Medi-Cal Rx Finance Portal Job Aid

Medi-Cal Rx published updates to the [*Medi-Cal Rx Finance Portal Job Aid*](#) on January 12, 2026. To access the document, visit the [*Medi-Cal Rx Provider Portal*](#) and select the **Reference Materials** tab on the [*Forms & Information*](#) page.

7. Updates to the Medi-Cal Reimbursement of Vaccines For Children (VFC)-Enrolled Pharmacy Providers and for VFC and Non-VFC Vaccines – Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

Medi-Cal Rx published updates to the [*Medi-Cal Reimbursement of Vaccines For Children \(VFC\)-Enrolled Pharmacy Providers and for VFC and Non-VFC Vaccines – Frequently Asked Questions \(FAQs\)*](#) on January 16, 2025. To access the document, visit the [FAQ](#) page on the Medi-Cal Rx Web Portal.

8. Updates to Vaccines For Children Program: Medi-Cal Reference Guide

Medi-Cal Rx published updates to the [*Vaccines For Children Program: Medi-Cal Reference Guide*](#) on January 16, 2026. To access the document, visit the [Medi-Cal Rx Provider Portal](#) and select the [Bulletins & News](#) tab.

9. Updates to the Medi-Cal Rx NCPDP Payer Specification Sheet

Medi-Cal Rx published updates to the [*Medi-Cal Rx NCPDP Payer Specification Sheet*](#) on January 16, 2026. To access the document, visit the [Medi-Cal Rx Provider Portal](#) and select the [Billing Tips & Payer Sheet](#) tab on the [Forms & Information](#) page.

10. Updates to the User Administration Console (UAC) Quick Start Guide and the User Administration Console (UAC) Registration – Next Steps

Medi-Cal Rx published updates to the [*User Administration Control \(UAC\) Quick Start Guide*](#) and the [*User Administration Console \(UAC\) Registration – Next Steps*](#) on January 30, 2026.

To access the *User Administration Control (UAC) Quick Start Guide*, visit the [Medi-Cal Rx Web Portal](#) and select the [**Medi-Cal Rx Training**](#) tab on the [Education & Outreach](#) page or visit the [Medi-Cal Rx Provider Portal](#) and select [**UAC Quick Start Guide**](#). To access the *User Administration Console (UAC) Registration – Next Steps*, visit the [Medi-Cal Rx Provider Portal](#) and select the [Bulletins & News](#) tab.

Contact Information

You can call the Medi-Cal Rx Customer Service Center (CSC) at 1-800-977-2273, which is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days per year.

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