



# Updates to the Medi-Cal Rx Provider Manual

December 1, 2022

The updates/additions below have been made to the *Medi-Cal Rx Provider Manual*.

For more information, see the [Medi-Cal Rx Provider Manual](#) Version 2.0 on the Medi-Cal Rx Web Portal.

## Updates

Section	Update Description	Effective Date
<i>Section 15.8 – Physician Administered Drugs</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Added verbiage and link regarding <i>Appendix H – List of List of Physician Administered Drugs (PADs) with Reject Code 816</i>.</li></ul>	December 1, 2022
<i>Section 17.0 – COVID-19 Vaccine Coverage, Reimbursement, OTC Antigen Test Kits, Oral Antiviral Product Coverage, and Monoclonal Antibody Product Coverage</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Updated section title.</li></ul>	December 1, 2022
<i>Section 17.5 – COVID-19 Oral Antiviral Product Coverage (NEW!)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Added verbiage regarding product coverage and reimbursement for COVID-19 oral antiviral, Paxlovid.</li></ul>	December 1, 2022
<i>Section 17.6 – COVID-19 Monoclonal Antibody Product Coverage (NEW!)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Added verbiage regarding product coverage and reimbursement for COVID-19 monoclonal antibody, Bebtelovimab.</li></ul>	December 1, 2022

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<i>Section 18.0 – Monkeypox Vaccine Coverage (NEW!)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Added verbiage regarding product coverage for the Monkeypox vaccine.</li> </ul>	December 1, 2022
<i>Section 18.1 – Monkeypox Vaccine Reimbursement (NEW!)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Added verbiage regarding reimbursement for the Monkeypox vaccine.</li> </ul>	December 1, 2022
<i>Appendix H – List of Physician Administered Drugs with Reject Code 816 (NEW!)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Added list of Physician Administered Drugs that will reject with <i>NCPDP EC 816 – Pharmacy Benefit Exclusion, May Be Covered Under Patient’s Medical Benefit.</i></li> </ul>	December 1, 2022

## 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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