

# CHANGES TO RX PROCESSING UNDER CHANNEL ALIGNMENT PROGRAM

Updates Effective December 1, 2020

At Highmark, we're taking action to ensure our members are accurately billed for the care they receive and that providers are accurately reimbursed for the care they deliver.

Highmark implemented the Channel Alignment Program to ensure that drugs which are more appropriately billed through the pharmacy benefit are not billed under the medical benefit.

As part of this program, Highmark will shift certain drugs to process under members' prescription drug coverage that were previously processed under their medical coverage according to the terms of their coverage. The following drugs/procedure codes are included in this program.

Procedure Code*	Drug Name	Effective Date
J3490*	AIMOVIG	10/01/2019
J3031	AJOVY	10/01/2019
J2793	ARCALYST	12/01/2020
J1826 & Q3027	AVONEX	01/01/2019
J1830	BETASERON	01/01/2019
J1595	COPAXONE	01/01/2019
J3590*	EMGALITY	10/01/2019
J1438	ENBREL	01/01/2019
J3590*	ENSPRYNG	12/01/2020
J1830	EXTAVIA	01/01/2019
J1744	FIRAZYR	10/01/2019
J3110	FORTEO	01/01/2019
J1595	GLATIRAMER ACETATE	01/01/2019
J1595	GLATOPA	01/01/2019
J2941	GROWTH HORMONE	01/01/2019
J0599	HAEGARDA	10/01/2019
J7170	HEMLIBRA	01/01/2019
J0135	HUMIRA	01/01/2019
J0638	ILARIS	01/01/2019
J2170	INCRELEX	01/01/2019
J3590*	PLEGRIDY	10/01/2019
Q3028	REBIF	10/01/2019
J3590*	SKYRIZI	04/01/2020
J0593	TAKHZYRO	01/01/2019
J3490*	TEGSEDI	10/01/2019
J1628	TREMFYA ONE-PRESS	10/01/2019
J3490*	VYLEESI	04/01/2020

\* Note: When drugs with NOC or temporary codes are assigned a specific HCPCS code, they will remain in the Channel Alignment Program.

For more information, please contact Provider Services.

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