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MEMORANDUM

ACS M07-13B

Continuation of ACS M07-13 and ACS M07-13A

TO: Medicaid Physicians, Dentists, Physician Assistants, Advanced Practice Registered Nurses, Optometrists, Medicaid Participating Hospital Emergency Rooms, Other Providers with Prescribing Authority and Pharmacy Providers

FROM: Lois Lee, Acting Med-QUEST Division Administrator *ll*

SUBJECT: FEE-FOR-SERVICE (FFS) PROGRAM ONLY

REVISION: **PRESCRIBERS NEED TAMPER-RESISTANT PRESCRIPTION PAPER (TRPP) TO USE, EFFECTIVE APRIL 1, 2008**

On Saturday, September 29, 2007, President George W. Bush signed Bill H.R. 3668\* into law cited as "TMA, Abstinence Education, and QI Programs Extension Act of 2007". Under the new law, the implementation date for all written Medicaid prescriptions must be on tamper-resistant prescription pads as of April 1, 2008, which enables a 6 month delay.

Amended Section 7002 (b) of the United States Troop Readiness, Veterans' Care, Katrina Recovery and Iraq Accountability Appropriations Act of 2007 now states effective April 1, 2008, all written prescriptions will only be reimbursable if on a TRPP for Medicaid FFS outpatient drugs.

The website [www.himed-questffs.org](http://www.himed-questffs.org) has more information such as links to: TRPP Summary, Printers Approved by Medi-Cal (California Medicaid), Provider Memorandum M07-13 dated August 30, 2007, Provider Memorandum M07-13A dated September 24, 2007, etc.

If you have questions regarding this memo or Medicaid drug claims processing, please contact Affiliated Computer Services Pharmacy Benefits Manager (ACS PBM) Call Center at 1 (877) 439-0803.

\*Bill H.R. 3668, Sec. 5. 6-month delay in requirement to use tamper-resistant prescription pads under Medicaid.

# Hawaii Prescription Benefits

Welcome!

ACS State HealthCare welcomes you to our Hawaii Medicaid Fee-for-Service website. ACS has been the prescriptions benefit manager for the State of Hawaii Medicaid Fee-for-Service Program since 8/1/01. Please click on the appropriate subject to the left and you will be directed to the site of your choosing.

[Click here for Tamper-Resistant Paper Prescription summary of changes effective 10/01/2007](#)

[Click Here for a list of Tamper-Resistant Paper Prescription Pad Suppliers](#)

[Click here for FAQs from CMS regarding Tamper-Resistant Paper Prescription Pads](#)

[Prescribers Need Tamper-Resistant Prescription Paper and/or Pads \(TRPP\) To Use Effective April 1, 2008](#)

**NOTE: All supplies are to be submitted to the ACS Fiscal Agent for processing and reimbursement. Supplies include DME, Diabetic, Medical, Prosthetic, Orthotic, etc. Supplies must be billed by HCPCS codes and not ND numbers. For questions, please contact the ACS Fiscal Agent at 808-952-5570 or 800-235-4378.**

**To All Hawaii Medicaid Providers**

**As part of CMS' continuing effort to remove non-drug items from the Medicaid Drug Rebate (MDR) system, the following products will be deleted from the MDR Master file of covered outpatient drugs:**

## **Non-Drug Products Deleted By CMS, Effective 7/1/07**

00135-0025 GERITOL TONIC  
00135-0026 GERITOL COMPLETE TABLET  
00135-0027 GERITOL EXTEND CAPLETS

00182-0418 OYST-CAL D TABLETS  
00182-1576 OYST-CAL 500  
00182-4439 OYST-CAL D 500 TABLETS

00281-4285 CHROMAGEN

00472-1469 FERROUS SULFATE DROPS

00536-4103 OYSCO D/CALCIUM SUPPLEMENT TABS  
00536-4106 OYSTCO 500 TABLS  
00536-7817 OYSCO 500 + D

16103-0360 OYSTER SHELL CALCIUM  
16103-0361 OYSTER SHELL CALCIUM + VITAMIN D

24385-0644 OYSTER SHELL CALCIUM

<http://www.google.com/search?q=Hawaii+Tamper+Resistant+Pharmacy&sourceid=ie7&rls=com.microsoft:en-US&ie=utf8&oe=utf8>

Check out the above address for Hawaii tamper resistant information updates.  
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