



UHA
HEALTH INSURANCE

ATTENTION: UHA PARTICIPATING PHARMACY

Please Post For Pharmacists and Pharmacy Staff

New Pharmacy Benefits Manager (PBM) Effective June 1, 2016

Aloha!

UHA Health Insurance is excited to announce that effective **June 1, 2016**, Express Scripts will become UHA's Pharmacy Benefits Manager (PBM), replacing OptumRx. UHA's partnership with Express Scripts will provide the quality and value needed to take our retail prescription benefits services to the next level to better serve you and our members.

This change will require new UHA Medical ID cards. The new ID cards should be sent the week of **May 18, 2016**. The updated information on the ID card will assist members in picking up their prescription medications under their drug plan. Pharmicare mail order and Extended Fill programs will remain the same.

We are confident this will be a smooth transition for our members and providers with little to no disruption in care. If there are any disruptions, notifications will be sent directly to those affected members. In some cases, members will not need a new prescription for medications that they currently take unless:

- a. they wish to lower their copay by moving to a generic drug
- b. they are taking a drug that exceeds the FDA-approved quantity limits
- c. their prescription will no longer be covered under the plan

The new prescription drug cards will not be effective until **June 1, 2016**.

Please note the following to update your systems accordingly:

- RxGrp: NKTA
- RxBin: 003858
- RxPCN: A4

Our prescription drug formulary will change to an Express Scripts National Preferred Drug List. This may result in a change to the copayment on certain drugs. UHA members can view this list and look up drugs by name at uhahealth.com/express-scripts.

For assistance please contact the Express Scripts Pharmacy Help Desk at 800-922-1557, available 7 days a week, 24 hours a day.

Mahalo,

Howard Lee
President and Chief Executive Officer