

# **Pharmacy Update**

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#### **OTC Pediculicides Now Covered**

OTC treatments for lice are now a covered benefit for all members. A prescription is required for coverage, and fills are limited to one individual package size for a seven day supply.

Currently, the following OTC products are covered:

NDC Code	NDC Desc	Package Size	Drug Form	Description
00472-5242-67	PERMETHRIN	59	ML	PERMETHRIN TOPICAL 1% LIQUID
00472-5242-69	PERMETHRIN	118	ML	PERMETHRIN TOPICAL 1% LIQUID
15127-0243-31	LICE TREATMENT	120	ML	PERMETHRIN TOPICAL 1% LIQUID
49348-0143-30	LICE CREAM RINSE	120	ML	PERMETHRIN TOPICAL 1% LIQUID
49348-0434-37	LICE KILLING	240	ML	PERMETHRIN TOPICAL 1% LIQUID
49348-0460-30	LICE TREATMENT	60	ML	PERMETHRIN TOPICAL 1% LIQUID
49348-0460-34	LICE TREATMENT	60	ML	PERMETHRIN TOPICAL 1% LIQUID

### **Prescription-Only Pediculicides Will Require Prior Authorization**

Effective May 1, 2008, prescription products in this category will require prior authorization.

#### Lindane lotion & shampoo

- Available only after first-line treatment with an OTC product has failed
- Member must be at least 13 years old or weigh at least 110 pounds
- Quantity limit of 60ml for 7 day supply
- One 7 day supply per 30 days maximum

## Malathion lotion (Ovide®)

- Available only after treatment with an OTC product and lindane have failed
- Member must be at least 6 years old
- Lindane trial not required if member is 6 to 13 years old and weighs less than 110 pounds
- Quantity limit of 60ml for 7 day supply; may be repeated once if needed for current infestation after 7 days from original fill date

## Crotamiton lotion (Eurax®)

- Available only after treatment with OTC product has failed
- Quantity limit of 60 grams or milliliters for 30 day supply

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