

Iowa Medicaid Enterprise

Revisions to the State Maximum Allowable Cost (State MAC) Program for Multi-Source Prescription Drugs

Notification Date: March 21, 2009

This letter provides notification of the increases, decreases and additions and removal of State MAC rates to the Iowa Medicaid State MAC program.

Iowa Medicaid State Maximum Allowable Cost (State MAC) Program

The following table lists State MAC rates to be **removed** from the State MAC Program:

Table 1: Iowa Medicaid State MAC Rate Terminations, **Effective March 25, 2009**

Drug Name
CEFACLOR 250 MG CAPSULE
ISOSORBIDE MONONITRATE 60 MG TAB.SR 24H

The following table lists State MAC rates to be **increased** in the State MAC Program:

Table 2: Iowa Medicaid State MAC Rate Increases, **Effective March 25, 2009**

Drug Name	State MAC Rate
CEFACLOR 500 MG CAPSULE	2.74498
ISOSORBIDE MONONITRATE 30 MG TAB.SR 24H	0.37828
ISOSORBIDE MONONITRATE 120 MG TAB.SR 24H	0.55328

Future Notification of Revisions to the State MAC Program

Notification for revisions to the State MAC program that are made in between annual pharmacy acquisition cost surveys will be posted to the State MAC website (www.mscliowa.com) prior to the effective date of the changes. Revisions include addition of new State MAC rates, increases and decreases of current State MAC rates, or termination of current State MAC rates. Providers are advised to access the State MAC website regularly to review these revisions.

If you would like to receive email notification of these revisions to the State MAC program, please send your email address to pharmacy@mslc.com.

This publication provides information to Pharmacy providers who submit claims to Iowa Medicaid Enterprise. This bulletin should be shared with all health care practitioners and managerial members of the pharmacy store staff.