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Topic: Medical Benefits

Provider Announcement: Requirements for Tamper-Resistant Prescription

Subject: Pads, effective October 1, 2008

Applies to (check all that apply):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Area Agencies on Aging | <input type="checkbox"/> Health Services |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Children, Adults and Families | <input type="checkbox"/> Seniors and People with Disabilities |
| <input type="checkbox"/> County DD Program Managers | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): DHS staff and others identified on the SPD, CAF, AMH and DMAP transmittal lists |

Message: In September 2008, DMAP mailed a notice to all prescribing providers and pharmacies about required changes related to tamper-resistant prescription pads. Due to an error in the mailing, DMAP is mailing the attached postcard to them.

If you have any questions about this information, contact:

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ATTENTION: Medicaid Prescribers

On **October 1, 2008**, prescribers must comply with the federal tamper-resistant prescription pad guidelines for all hand-written and computer-printed Medicaid prescriptions.

Requirements and exceptions can be viewed online at:

www.oregon.gov/DHS/healthplan/notices_providers/2008/trpp0808.pdf

Please ensure that your staff is aware of this information.

If you do not have internet access or are unable to download the document, call DMAP at 800-527-5772.

Due to a recent mailing error, you may have received the above document with an incorrect name/address. We apologize for the error and are taking steps to correct it. Thank you for your patience.



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