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Pharmacy and Therapeutics (P&T) Committee Meeting
February 1, 2012
MINUTES

1. Call to Order

A meeting of the P&T Committee convened at 4:00 p.m. on Wednesday, February 1, 2012.

2. Welcome

Thomas Phillips, R.Ph., called the meeting to order and welcomed members, guests, and staff members.

Mr. Phillips opened the meeting by stating that the P&T Committee meetings are held in compliance with the Freedom of Information Act's (FOIA) mandate that the public is notified when the public's business is being done, and that furthermore, the public has been notified that this facility is accessible to individuals with disabilities, and special accommodations could have been provided if requested in advance.

3. Committee Members Present:

Jony Bolinger, MD
Sara Lindsey, MD
Tan Platt, MD

Jim Lindsay, MD
Thomas Phillips, R.Ph.
Gregory Browning, MD

M. Narasimhan, MD, DFAPA

SC DHHS Staff:

James M Assey, R.Ph.
Marion Burton, MD

Magellan Medicaid Administration:

Mary Roberts, R.Ph.

4. Discussion Topics

A. Committee Meeting Minutes, Wednesday, November 2, 2011.

The draft minutes from the previous P&T Committee meeting were emailed to the members so that they could review the document prior to the meeting. The minutes were approved unanimously.

B. Public Comment

There were no Speakers.

Company	Speaker	Drug/Class

C. Drug Classes for Review

Mary Roberts led the discussion for the following drug classes:

- Tetracyclines
- Topical Acne Agents

The chart below represents the recommendations from the P & T Committee:

TETRACYCLINES	
Preferred	Non-Preferred
DOXYCYCLINE HYCLATE	ADOXA
DOXYCYCLINE MONOHYDRATE (50,100MG)	DEMECLOCYCLINE
MINOCYCLINE	DORYX
TETRACYCLINE	DOXYCYCLINE HYCLATE DR
VIBRAMYCIN SUSPENSION	DOXYCYCLINE MONOHYDRATE (75, 150MG)
VIBRAMYCIN SYRUP	DYNACIN
	MORGIDOX
	ORACIA
	PERIOSTAT
	SOLODYN
	VIBRAMYCIN CAPS

TOPICAL ACNE AGENTS	
Preferred	Non-Preferred
AKNE-MYCIN	ACANYA
AZELEX	ACZONE
BENZACLIN	ADAPALENE
BENZOYL PEROXIDE	ATRALIN
CLINDAGEL	BENZEFOAM
CLINDAMYCIN PHOSPHATE	CLARIFOAM EF
ERYTHROMYCIN	CLINAC BPO

TOPICAL ACNE AGENTS (Continued)	
Preferred	Non-Preferred
RETIN-A MICRO	CLINDAMYCIN/BENZOYL PEROXIDE
SULFACETAMIDE/SULFUR/UREA	DIFFERIN
TRETINOIN	DUAC
	EPIDUO
	ERYTHROMYCIN-BENZOYL PEROXIDE
	EVOCLIN
	INOVA
	SE BPO
	SUMAXIN TS
	TAZORAC
	VELTIN
	ZIANA
	ZYCLARA

5. **Old Business**

None

6. **New Business**

The P&T Committee asked for savings information since the PDL was implemented in 2004. The Committee also suggested that the PDLs for each MCO be posted in one location (e.g., SC DHHS website). And, the Committee would like to know how many children, between the ages of 0 – 10 years of age, are getting Tetracyclines?

7. **Resolved Items**

Recommendations regarding PDL status for drugs in the following classes were approved for submission to DHHS.

Tetracyclines

Topical Acne Agents

8. **Closing Comments**

The next meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 2, 2012, at 4:00 p.m.

9. **Adjournment**

The meeting adjourned at 5:10 p.m.