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This notice is to advise you of information regarding the *TennCare Pharmacy Program*.

**Please forward or copy the information in this notice to all providers
 who may be affected by these processing changes.**

This notice is being sent to notify you of changes for the TennCare pharmacy program. We encourage you to read this notice thoroughly and contact Magellan's Pharmacy Support Center (866-434-5520) should you have additional questions.

Effective September 5, 2017, TennCare will begin implementation of a Morphine Milligram Equivalent (MME) edit. The MME edit will utilize morphine equivalent dosing for all agents in the Short-Acting Narcotic and Long-Acting Narcotic Classes of the PDL. The edit will accumulate MME for all short-acting narcotics and long-acting narcotics a patient is currently receiving and will deny claims for patients prescribed a cumulative daily MME of greater than 200 MME. Prior authorization will be required for patients exceeding the daily MME limit. The chart below can be used as a reference for MME per unit.

In addition, the following products, both brand and generic, will have a change in the daily quantity limit effective 9/5/17:

- hydrocodone/APAP: 6/day
- hydrocodone/ibuprofen: 6/day
- oxycodone IR 5, 7.5, 10 mg: 8/day
- oxycodone IR 15, 20, 30 mg: 4/day
- oxycodone/APAP: 6/day
- oxycodone/ibuprofen: 6/day
- oxymorphone: 4/day

Generic Label Name	Drug Strength	Dosage Form	Example Product (s)	MME/Unit
ACETAMINOPHEN WITH CODEINE	120-12MG/5ML	Suspension	APAP-CODEINE, TYLENOL with CODEINE	0.36
	240-24/10ML			0.36
	300-30/12.5ML			0.36
	300MG-15MG	TABLET		2.25
	300MG-30MG			4.5
	300MG-60MG			9
BUPRENORPHINE	5 MCG/HR	PATCH	BUPRENORPHINE, BUTRANS	63
	7.5 MCG/HR			94.5
	10 MCG/HR			126
	20 MCG/HR			252
	15 MCG/HR			189
BUPRENORPHINE HCL	75 MCG	FILM	BELBUCA	2.25
	150 MCG			4.5
	300 MCG			9
	450 MCG			13.5
	600 MCG			18
	750 MCG			22.5
	900 MCG			27

CODEINE SULFATE	15 MG	TABLET	CODEINE SULFATE	2.25			
	30 MG			4.5			
	60 MG			9			
FENTANYL	12 MCG/HR	PATCH	DURAGESIC PATCH, FENTANYL PATCH	86.4			
	25 MCG/HR			180			
	37.5MCG/HR			270			
	50MCG/HR			360			
	62.5MCG/HR			450			
	75MCG/HR			540			
	87.5MCG/HR			630			
	100 MCG/HR			720			
HYDROCODONE BITARTRATE	20 MG	TABLET	HYSINGLA	20			
	30 MG			30			
	40 MG			40			
	60 MG			60			
	80 MG			80			
	100 MG			100			
	120 MG			120			
	10 MG			CAPSULE	ZOHYDRO ER	10	
	15 MG	15					
	20 MG	20					
	30 MG	30					
	40 MG	40					
	50 MG	50					
	HYDROCODONE/ACETAMINOPHEN	2.5-325 MG	TABLET			NORCO, HYDROCODONE-APAP, VICODIN, LORCET, LORTAB, XODOL	2.5
		5 MG-325MG					5
		5 MG-300MG		5			
7.5-325 MG		7.5					
7.5-300 MG		7.5					
10MG-325MG		10					
10MG-300MG		10					
2.5-108/5 ML		SOLUTION	HYDROCODONE-APAP, LORTAB, ZAMICET	0.5			
5-217MG/10 ML				0.5			
5-163/7.5				0.67			
7.5-325/15 ML				0.5			
10-300/15 ML				0.67			
10-325/15				0.67			
HYDROCODONE/IBUPROFEN	2.5-200MG	TABLET	REPREXAIN, HYDROCODONE-IBU	2.5			
	5MG-200MG			5			
	10MG-200MG			10			
HYDROMORPHONE HCL	3 MG	SUPPOSITORY	HYDROMORPHONE, DILAUDID, EXALGO ER	12			
	1 MG/ML	SOLUTION		4			
	2 MG	TABLET		8			
	4 MG			16			
	8 MG			32			
	16 MG			64			
	32 MG			128			
IBUPROFEN/OXYCODONE HCL	400MG-5MG	TABLET	OXYCODONE-IBUPROFEN	7.5			

LEVORPHANOL TARTRATE	2 MG	TABLET	LEVORPHANOL	22		
MEPERIDINE HCL	50 MG	TABLET	MEPERIDINE	5		
	100 MG			10		
	50 MG/5 ML	SOLUTION		1		
METHADONE HCL	5 MG	TABLET	DOLOPHINE, METHADONE, METHADOSE	20		
	10 MG			40		
	40 MG	TABLET DISPR		320		
	5 MG/5 ML	SOLUTION		8		
	10 MG/ML			80		
MORPHINE SULFATE	5 MG	SUPPOSITORY	MORPHINE IR, MORPHINE ER, AVINZA, KADIAN	5		
	10 MG			10		
	20 MG			20		
	30 MG			30		
	10 MG/5 ML	SOLUTION		2		
	20 MG/5 ML			4		
	100 MG/5ML			20		
	15 MG	TABLET		15		
	30 MG			30		
	60 MG			60		
	100 MG			100		
	200 MG			200		
	10 MG			CAPSULE	10	
	20 MG				20	
	30 MG	30				
	40 MG	40				
	45 MG	45				
	50 MG	50				
	60 MG	60				
	75 MG	75				
	80 MG	80				
	90 MG	90				
	100 MG	100				
	120 MG	120				
	200 MG	200				
	MORPHINE SULFATE/NALTREXONE	20MG-0.8MG		CAPSULE	EMBEDA ER	20
		30MG-1.2MG				30
		50 MG-2 MG				50
60MG-2.4MG		60				
80MG-3.2MG		80				
100MG-4MG		100				
OXYCODONE HCL	5 MG/5 ML	SOLUTION	OXYCODONE, OXAYDO, ROXICODONE, OXYCONTIN	1.5		
	20 MG/ML			30		
	5 MG	TABLET		7.5		
	7.5 MG			11.25		
	10 MG			15		
	15 MG			22.5		
	20 MG			30		
	30 MG			45		

	40 MG			60
	60 MG			90
	80 MG			120
	5 MG	CAPSULE		7.5
OXYCODONE HCL/ACETAMINOPHEN	5-325/5 ML	SOLUTION	OXYCODONE-APAP, ENDOCET, PRIMLEV, PERCOCET	1.5
	2.5-325 MG	TABLET		3.75
	5 MG-325MG			7.5
	5 MG-300MG			7.5
	7.5-325 MG			11.25
	7.5-300 MG			11.25
	10MG-325MG			15
	10MG-300MG			15
OXYCODONE MYRISTATE	9 MG	CAPSULE	XTAMPZA ER	13.5
	13.5 MG			20.25
	18 MG			27
	27 MG			40.5
	36 MG			54
OXYMORPHONE HCL	5 MG	TABLET	OXYMORPHONE, OPANA, OPANA ER	15
	7.5 MG			22.5
	10 MG			30
	15 MG			45
	20 MG			60
	30 MG			90
	40 MG			120
TAPENTADOL HCL	50 MG	TABLET	NUCYNTA, NUCYNTA ER	20
	75 MG			30
	100 MG			40
	150 MG			60
	200 MG			80
	250 MG			100
TRAMADOL HCL	50 MG	TABLET	ULTRAM, TRAMADOL, TRAMDOL ER, CONZIP	5
	100 MG			10
	200 MG			20
	300 MG			30
	100 MG	CAPSULE		10
	150 MG			15
	200 MG			20
	300 MG			30
TRAMADOL HCL/ACETAMINOPHEN	37.5-325MG	TABLET	TRAMADOL-APAP	3.75

Important Phone Numbers:

TennCare Family Assistance Service Center

866-311-4287

TennCare Fraud and Abuse Hotline

800-433-3982

TennCare Pharmacy Program Fax

888-298-4130

Magellan Pharmacy Support Center

866-434-5520

Magellan Clinical Call Center

866-434-5524

Magellan Call Center Fax

866-434-5523

Helpful TennCare Internet Links:

Magellan: <https://tenncare.magellanhealth.com>

TennCare website: www.tn.gov/tenncare/

Please visit the Magellan TennCare website regularly to stay up-to-date on changes to the pharmacy program.

For additional information or updated payer specifications, please visit the Magellan website at: <https://tenncare.magellanhealth.com> then click on pharmacy and choose program information from the drop down menu. Please forward or copy the information in this notice to all providers who may be affected by these processing changes.

Thank you for your valued participation in the TennCare program.