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To: MaineCare Providers
From: Jennifer Cook, Pharmacy Unit Manager
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Re: PDL updates: Effective 05/8/2009

The following medications will be non-preferred and will require prior authorization:

Intelence	Uloric
Amiloride HCL	Banzel
Sancuso	Divalproex Sodium Sprinkle Capsules
Astepro	Vimpat
Alvesco	Requip XL
Kapidex	Promacta
Apriso	Nplate
Rapaflo	Azone
Aplenzin	Epiduo
Xenazine	Vectical
Ryzolt	

The following medications will be preferred and will not require prior authorization:

Toviaz
Topiramate

The following are miscellaneous PDL changes/clarifications:

Promacta and Nplate have been added to the MaineCare PDL in the Hematological Agents-Thrombopoietin Receptor Agonist category and will require a clinical PA. Criteria will require that a prior trial with insufficient response to both corticosteroids and immunoglobulins prior to approval. Step therapy will apply within the category and may be seen at www.mainearepdl.org