

Setting the Standard for Community Health Care

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REMINDER

CVS Specialty: Anthem Blue Cross Designated Specialty Pharmacy

Effective July 1, 2020, Anthem Blue Cross has designated **CVS Specialty Pharmacy** as their designated pharmacy for specialty medications administered in the office or outpatient hospital setting. Providers will be required to obtain specialty pharmacy medications directly from **CVS**.

Anthem has financial risk for the cost of the specialty medication covered through the members Medicaid HMO benefits.

Providers will NOT bill for the medication itself, CVS specialty will bill Anthem directly.

All specialty medications must be obtained through **CVS Specialty Pharmacy**, otherwise the claim will be denied by Anthem Blue Cross. CHCN will continue the prior authorization process as it relates to the administration of the medication.

CVS Specialty's dedicated Anthem Provider Services contact information:

Phone number: 1-877-254-0015

Fax: 1-866-336-8479

Hours of operation:

Monday through Friday from 5 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. Pacific time

Saturday from 6 a.m. to 10 a.m. Pacific time