

**Important Information for Pharmacies:
Higher Reimbursement Rates and Processing Requirements for
Naloxone Rescue Kits
For UnitedHealthcare Community Plan Members**

To help reduce illness and mortality from opioid overdose, UnitedHealthcare Community Plan covers Naloxone rescue kits for members at risk of opioid misuse, abuse and/or overdose. By “kit,” we mean all the following items necessary for Naloxone to be administered intranasally when dispensed as one service:

- Instructions for the rescuer, including how to perform rescue breathing and administer nasal Naloxone
- Commercially available Naloxone HCl mg/mL, 2 x 2 mL as a pre-filled Luer-Lock needle-free syringe (NDC 76329-3369-1)
- One of the following commercially available atomizers:
 - LMA/MAD intranasal mucosal atomization devices available from lmana.com
 - Emergency Medical Products, Inc. mad-mucosal-atomization-device available at buyemp.com

UnitedHealthcare Community Plan Now Reimburses Your Administration Fee

Our pharmacy reimbursement rates now include up to a \$37.50 administration fee in addition to the established retail contract rate fee you receive for assembling the Naloxone rescue kit. Eligibility for coverage is based on the member’s benefit plan.

UnitedHealthcare Community Plan Covered Drug
Naloxone Hydrochloride INJ

Processing Requirements for Submitting Claims for Naloxone Rescue Kits

When your pharmacy provides a Naloxone rescue kit, please populate the NCPDP field 438-E3 (Incentive amount submitted) to submit a claim for the \$37.50 administration fee and populate the Professional Service Code NCPDP Field 44Ø-E5 with the value “MA” (Medication Administration) in the DUR/PPS segment for the service.

To reduce processing errors, please confirm the information on the member’s ID card before submitting prescriptions. If you have any questions, please contact the OptumRx Help Desk, available any time. Thank you.

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