

REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE

On Act 259
Relating to the State Budget

Part III, Section 39
Prescription Drugs for Fee-for-Service Clients
Including Mental Health Treatment

Department of Human Services
Med-QUEST Division

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LEGISLATIVE REPORT

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Part III, Section 39 – Prescription Drugs for Fee-for-Service Clients
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The Department of Human Services (DHS) submits the following information requested by the 2001 Legislature.

1. Expenditures for Medications by Medicaid – Calendar year 2000

Total: \$63,255,737.00

Please see the attached two reports which indicate the top 100 drugs by: (1) Allowance paid and (2) number of prescriptions filled.

2. Number of Recipients by Drug Type – Calendar year 2000

? The requested report listing the number of recipients by drug type is not being submitted for the following reasons:

- a. Information on medications is not maintained or analyzed in this fashion.
- b. A report indicating the number of recipients per drug type is not produced or used for analysis of drug expenses, utilization of drugs, and cost effectiveness of drug because a recipient often takes various different types of medications.

? DHS is providing the following information:

- a. The number of claims paid was 1,389,610 for approximately 35,000 eligible recipients.
- b. An average of 3.26 prescriptions was paid per eligible recipient per month.

3. Cost Containment Measures

Calendar Year 2001

A. The Med-QUEST Division (MQD) contracted with a new pharmacy fiscal agent in June 2001. The new contractor will provide enhanced services such as:

- ? Better reporting capabilities for tracking and identifying issues, trends, outliers;
- ? Clinical activities such as disease state management programs, provider education, etc.; and

? A drug rebate program to more actively pursue collection and resolve disputes more quickly.

B. A mandatory generic program was implemented in October 2001.

C. Prior authorization requirements for certain high cost medications were implemented.

Calendar Year 2002

The MQD plans to implement in calendar year 2002:

A. State Maximum Allowable Costs (MACs) for various drugs.

B. Quantity limits for certain medications that are:

? Overutilized - A prior authorization to justify large quantities will be required; and

? Billed with inflated quantities to reduce overpayments and drug rebate disputes.

C. The pharmacy audit contract will result in providers and the pharmacy fiscal agent being reviewed for various types of fraud and abuse issues.

D. Additional prior authorizations for highly utilized medications such as Oxycontin will be implemented to reduce inappropriate usage.

E. A historical drug rebate contract will address the first ten years of drug rebate issues including collection of outstanding rebates owed.

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RAIN	NUX CODH	D RUG NAME	DIRUG STRENGTH	EARLY PAYMENTS	YEARL RX'S	AVERAGE QUANT TY DISPENSED	AVERAGE RX COST	EV OU RANK
0000	0000 -4 17	ZYPREXA	0MG	378,361	9,441	6	57.84	
00002	0017 -4 60	CLOZAP	00MG	877,812	5,581	56	57.29	
00003	0000 -4 15	ZYPREXA	MG	863,359	4,413	38	95.64	
00004	00071-0155	LIPITOR	10MG	840,469	4,037	32	59.88	
00005	00025-1525	CELEBREX	200MG	772,817	8,871	38	87.12	
00006	00074-6215	DEPAKOTE	500MG	704,074	6,235	76	112.92	
00007	50458-0330	RISPERDAL	3MG	702,123	2,959	52	237.28	
00008	00777-3 05	PROZAC	20MG	689,854	5,955	47	115.84	
00009	00944-2935	HEMOFIL-M	850U (+/-)	629,963	6,74	10,032	8,513.01	
00010	63653-1171	PLAVIX	75MG	628,431	6,954	30	90.37	
00011	00071-0156	LIPITOR	20MG	527,757	5,632	33	93.71	
00012	00006-0936	FOSAMAX	10MG	50,586	7,958	32	64.16	
00013	00071-0805	NEURONTIN	300MG	483,810	4,430	102	109.21	
00014	00087-6060	GLUCOPHAGE	500MG	460,608	9,838	71	46.82	
00015	00053-7656	MONOCLATE-P	250U (+/-)	452,987	65	9,006	6,969.02	
00016	00310-0272	SEROQUEL	200MG	448,752	1,632	64	274.97	
00017	00026-8851	ADALAT CC	60MG	408,032	5,645	35	72.28	
00018	63010-0010	VIRACEPT	250MG	407,436	727	276	560.43	
00019	00049-4900	ZOLOFT	50MG	400,685	4,882	37	82.07	
00020	59011-0105	OXYCONTIN	40MG	397,275	1,386	76	286.63	
00021	00029-3211	PAXIL	20MG	393,205	5,030	34	78.17	
00022	00003-5178	PRAVACHOL	20MG	387,085	5,380	32	71.95	
00023	00074-6214	DEPAKOTE	250MG	380,939	5,128	90	74.29	
00024	50458-0320	RISPERDAL	2MG	379,115	2,003	49	189.27	
00025	00003-5194	PRAVACHOL	40MG	366,070	3,179	32	115.15	
00026	00078-0311	MIACALCIN	200U/DOSE	362,735	6,159	4	58.90	
00027	00002-4415	ZYPREXA	15MG	356,271	848	36	420.13	
00028	59011-0107	OXYCONTIN	80MG	352,224	420	120	838.63	
00029	00310-0271	SEROQUEL	100MG	350,709	2,220	68	157.98	
00030	00006-0952	COZAAR	50MG	342,518	6,566	41	52.17	
00031	00300-3046	PREVACID	30MG	335,122	2,703	35	123.98	
00032	00944-2938	RECOMBINATE	310U (+/-)	323,978	38	8,723	8,525.73	
00033	44087-0006	SEROSTIM	6MG	311,253	50	27	6,225.06	
00034	00006-0117	SINGULAIR	10MG	309,000	4,141	31	74.62	
00035	00186-0742	PRILOSEC	20MG	304,635	2,152	38	141.56	
00036	00173-0595	COMBIVIR	300-150MG	299,106	576	59	519.28	
00037	00085-1258	REBETRON 1200	1200-3/0.2	291,740	242	2	1,205.54	
00038	00026-8513	CIPRO	500MG	286,647	3,980	18	72.02	
00039	00045-0659	ULTRAM	50MG	286,286	4,929	77	58.08	
00040	00025-1520	CELEBREX	100MG	286,213	4,160	50	68.80	
00041	00173-0470	EPIVIR	150MG	277,219	1,159	58	239.19	
00042	00026-8841	ADALAT CC	30MG	271,025	6,657	35	40.71	
00043	00015-0508	MEGACE	40MG/ML	265,291	1,398	344	189.76	
00044	50458-0300	RISPERDAL	1MG	261,614	2,544	43	102.84	
00045	00087-6070	GLUCOPHAGE	850MG	254,634	3,598	65	70.77	
00046	00003-1967	ZERIT	40MG	248,537	920	59	270.15	
00047	00002-4112	ZYPREXA	2.5MG	238,402	1,423	38	167.54	
00048	00049-4910	ZOLOFT	100MG	230,058	2,610	39	88.14	
00049	00006-0740	ZOCOR	20MG	229,722	1,991	32	115.38	

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00050	00002-4165	EVISTA	60MG	229,687	3,527	32	65.12	
00051	00002-4116	ZYPREXA	7.5MG	228,090	1,116	39	204.38	
00052	50458-0350	RISPERDAL	4MG	225,776	653	58	345.75	
00053	59011-0103	OXYCONTIN	20MG	213,696	1,444	70	147.99	
00054	60574-4111	SYNAGIS	100MG	206,344	121	2	1,705.32	
00055	00025-5421	AMBIEN	10MG	203,747	3,482	28	58.51	
00056	00597-0082	ATROVENT	18MCG	202,806	4,651	16	43.60	
00057	00087-6071	GLUCOPHAGE	1000MG	198,849	2,534	60	78.47	
00058	00029-3160	AVANDIA	8MG	198,469	1,503	31	132.05	
00059	00029-3159	AVANDIA	4MG	197,927	2,148	39	92.14	
00060	00071-0362	DILANTIN	100MG	193,258	7,327	92	26.38	
00061	62856-0245	ARICEPT	5MG	189,648	1,526	31	124.28	
00062	00087-0822	BUSPAR	15MG	185,862	1,477	65	125.84	
00063	00186-0451	PLENDIL	5MG	185,384	5,116	35	36.24	
00064	00054-2602	MARINOL	5MG	182,884	352	87	519.56	
00065	00045-1525	LEVAQUIN	500MG	182,314	2,567	9	71.02	
00066	00173-0464	SEREVENT	21MCG	181,860	2,693	14	67.53	
00067	00071-0806	NEURONTIN	400MG	180,633	1,257	113	143.70	
00068	00006-0110	VIOXX	25MG	179,720	2,435	31	73.81	
00069	00087-0819	BUSPAR	10MG	179,161	1,680	83	106.64	
00070	50458-0036	DURAGESIC	100MCG/HR	179,159	504	10	355.48	
00071	58406-0425	ENBREL	25MG	178,156	177	7	1,006.53	
00072	00049-1560	GLUCOTROL XL	10MG	170,654	5,040	47	33.86	
00073	00071-0157	LIPITOR	40MG	170,228	1,503	35	113.26	
00074	00173-0135	WELLBUTRIN SR	150MG	166,439	2,184	53	76.21	
00075	00075-0060	AZMACORT	100MCG	166,145	2,937	21	56.57	
00076	64764-0301	ACTOS	30MG	162,828	1,251	31	130.16	
00077	00056-0474	SUSTIVA	200MG	161,779	455	90	355.56	
00078	00456-4020	CELEXA	20MG	158,848	2,339	34	67.91	
00079	00069-3060	ZITHROMAX	250MG	156,525	3,456	7	45.29	
00080	00026-8861	ADALAT CC	90MG	153,676	1,941	33	79.17	
00081	00078-0179	LAHISIL	250MG	151,927	739	29	205.58	
00082	00006-0749	ZOCOR	40MG	144,544	1,293	31	111.79	
00083	00046-0867	PREMARIN	0.625MG	142,291	6,005	38	23.70	
00084	00310-0132	ZESTRIL	20MG	141,014	3,711	38	38.00	
00085	00004-1964	ROCEPHIN	1G	140,708	927	4	151.79	
00086	00083-0027	TEGRETOL	200MG	136,092	2,606	120	52.22	
00087	00034-0517	MS CONTIN	100MG	135,092	266	105	507.87	
00088	62856-0246	ARICEPT	10MG	132,635	1,121	30	118.32	
00089	00006-0573	CRIXIVAN	400MG	131,974	332	167	397.51	
00090	00310-0275	SEROQUEL	25MG	131,764	1,473	69	89.45	
00091	55513-0530	NEUPOGEN	300MCG/ML	129,321	223	23	579.91	
00092	64764-0451	ACTOS	45MG	128,384	927	30	138.49	
00093	00186-0452	PLENDIL	10MG	123,517	2,037	34	60.64	
00094	00078-0248	NEORAL	100MG	123,331	310	75	397.84	
00095	00029-1525	BACTROBAN	2%	122,378	2,774	29	44.12	
00096	00002-8715	HUMULIN 70/30	70-30U/ML	121,615	2,869	19	42.39	
00097	00310-0134	ZESTRIL	40MG	120,760	2,473	34	48.83	
00098	00029-3210	PAXIL	10MG	120,712	1,743	31	69.26	

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00099	00085-0787	K-DUR	20MEQ	120,149	4,864	44	24.70	
00100	00310-0131	ZESTRIL	10MG	119,658	3,426	36	34.93	