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Emergency Contraceptives

The current contract between the managed care organizations (MCO) and the Louisiana Department of Health (LDH) provides:

6.3.4.2 The MCO shall override prior authorization for selected drug products or devices at LDH's discretion.

Effective Oct. 1, 2018, MCOs may no longer require prior authorization for drugs with FDA indication for emergency contraception.

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