

February 4, 2016

Subject: Important information regarding 17P coverage

Dear Provider:

To support your efforts in preventing preterm delivery in high-risk pregnant women, Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield Medicaid (Anthem) is launching a new program to ensure physicians are aware of members who may benefit from progestin therapy. You will receive an alert listing members on your panel identified through our high-risk screening survey as potential candidates for progestin therapy. This alert service is optional; you may discontinue it at any time.

If you wish to prescribe progestin therapy for your patients, the following delivery and administration options are available:

- For office administration of compounded 17P, please contact a participating pharmacy. For your convenience, a list of 17P compounding pharmacies in the Anthem network is attached and is also available online at <http://www.anthem.com/kymedicaidoc>.
- If you require Makena™, please call Anthem Provider Services at **1-855-661-2028** to initiate a precertification request.
- If home health services are required, please call an Anthem obstetrics (OB) case manager at **1-855-690-7784**.

If you have questions about the program or wish to opt out of 17P provider alerts, please call Provider Services at **1-855-661-2028** or an Anthem OB case manager at **1-855-690-7784**.

We hope you find this communication helpful. Thank you for all you do to keep our members healthy.

Respectfully,



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Enclosed: 17P Compounding Pharmacies in the Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield Medicaid

<https://mediproviders.anthem.com/ky>

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17P Compounding Pharmacies in the Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield Medicaid (Anthem) network

Pharmacy name	Address	City	ZIP code	Phone	Fax
Nie’s Pharmacy & Wellness Center PCCA member	11745 Madison Pike	Independence	41051	1-859-356-3931	1-859-356-0338
Strawberry Hills Pharmacy PCCA member	2700 New Holt Road	Paducah	42001	1-270-444-7070	1-270-444-7970

This may not be a complete list of in-network pharmacies that compound 17P. Providers may order medications from any pharmacy in the Anthem Express Scripts Network.

PCCA: Professional Compounding Centers of America

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