

Compounded Medications

Effective Dec. 1, 2014, compounded prescriptions with ingredients deemed unsafe or potentially ineffective are no longer covered under CareFirst member benefits. Also, any compound prescription costing \$300 or more will now require prior authorization. In October, impacted providers and their patients were notified of the change.

What this means for you: If your patients are impacted by this change, you and your patients will be notified. As a reminder, to lower costs for your patients, consider the use of commercially available, FDA-approved medications.