



## **Preferred Drug List (PDL)/Recommended Drug List (RDL)**

### **Policy for Review of Drug Status on the PDL/RDL**

- A. All drugs on the PDL/RDL are reviewed at the annual Pharmaceutical and Therapeutics (P & T) Committee Meeting held in the last quarter of the calendar year.
- B. Newly introduced products to the market, with or without submitted supplemental rebate offers, are reviewed by the P & T Committee at the next scheduled quarterly P & T Committee meeting.
- C. Recently introduced drugs that were initially reviewed without a supplemental rebate consideration (see B above), may upon the receipt of a valid supplemental rebate offer be reviewed at the discretion of the P & T Committee at the next quarterly P & T Committee meeting.
- D. All P & T Committee Meetings include an opportunity for Public Comment. All public members, including drug manufacturers, have the opportunity to speak before the P & T Committee about any product. Additionally, Public Comments may be submitted via the website, [www.iowamedicaidpdl.com](http://www.iowamedicaidpdl.com), at all times. These comments are posted to the website and all hardcopies are presented to the P & T Committee at each meeting. It is at the discretion of the P & T Committee to re-discuss drugs mentioned during Public Comment.
- E. Drugs may not be eligible for review if existing contract(s) with other labeler's products precludes additional preferred products within the same therapeutic class on the PDL.
- F. Minutes of the P&T Committee meeting will include the basis on which a drug status recommendation on the PDL/RDL was made.
- G. Manufacturers requesting reconsideration of the status of a product on the PDL/RDL will only be considered if there is new supporting information (i.e. new clinical information or cost data) that impacts the original decision made by the P&T Committee. The request must be submitted by e-mail within five business days following the date of the P & T Committee meeting at which the recommendation was made. The request must be e-mailed to [info@iowamedicaidpdl.com](mailto:info@iowamedicaidpdl.com).