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IHCP pharmacy benefits resumes pre-COVID-19 process for early refill requests June 1, 2020

In response to the national public health emergency for the coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19), the Indiana Health Coverage Programs (IHCP) implemented changes regarding pharmacy benefits. These changes temporarily allowed early refills for noncontrolled substances without prior authorization (PA). See *IHCP Bulletin* [BT202021](#).



Effective for dates of service (DOS) on or after June 1, 2020, the IHCP will resume the process in place prior to the national public health emergency in requiring PA for early refills.

This change applies to pharmacy benefits delivered under both the fee-for-service (FFS) and managed care delivery system.

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