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RE: Continuous Glucose Monitoring

Dear Member,

SoonerCare is pleased to announce Continuous Glucose Monitoring (CGM) will be available through pharmacies starting Jan. 1, 2020. After Jan. 1, 2020, CGM will no longer be covered through the Durable Medical Equipment (DME) system. The covered branded products are Dexcom and Freestyle *Libre* receivers, transmitters (if needed), and sensors.

Our records show that your dependent is currently receiving CGM services through the SoonerCare DME/medical benefit. In order to continue receiving CGM coverage after Jan. 1, 2020, the CGM products will need a prior authorization through a pharmacy.

You will need to choose a pharmacy and contact them to see if they are able to provide CGM for your dependent. Once you have selected a pharmacy, please contact your dependent's diabetic prescriber to begin the switch over to your pharmacy of choice. The diabetes prescriber will need to fill out a prior authorization form and send it to the pharmacy you chose.

Supplies for insulin pumps will continue to be available through the current DME system. You do not have to do anything new for insulin pump supplies.

If you have questions, please contact the Pharmacy Authorization Unit at 800-522-0114, option 4.

Sincerely,

Melody Anthony State Medicaid Director

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